

Counselor-in-Training (CIT) Application Quail Lakes Day Camp

Deadline to apply: April 20, 2025

Mandatory training: Friday, May 30th, 5:30-8:00 p.m.

Dear Parents and Prospective CIT applicants,

This year the CIT position will look a little different as we strive to better what we do at Quail Lakes Day Camp. Please remember that an application does not guarantee a position. We will be asking applicants to provide a reference in their application. A youth group leader is a great example as is anyone that knows their prior volunteer history. This is a leadership training opportunity. We are looking for students who wish to become staff members in the future. We strive to teach professionalism within a day camp atmosphere.

CITs, like staff, are asked to follow a dress code. They will need to be in a comfortable and modest tee shirt and pants or shorts/athletic shoes. CITs will sometimes be at the swimming pool; we ask that they have a backpack with appropriate (1 piece) bathing suits and towels with them on a daily basis. We also may ask that any body piercing be covered up when at Day Camp, as well as any unnatural makeup removed. Sandals are permitted, but CITs must start their day in athletic shoes for games, etc.

CITs will be with a Counselor at all times and will need to understand that the Director of Day Camp is their immediate supervisor. Should there need to be corrective action, a CIT may be asked not to return depending on severity. We simply ask that CITs are there to help, be respectful, and act as an example to the younger campers while having fun. CITs are expected to participate in whatever activity is taking place with their unit.

Lastly, we ask that CITs not use electronics during their shift. If they have a cell phone, it should be kept in their backpack or pocket until Day Camp is over.

We hope to have a great season of Day Camp! If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

KEEP THIS PAGE FOR YOUR RECORDS!!!

Thank You,

Malachi Hodge

Director of Children & Family Ministries

Quail Lakes Baptist Church

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Day Camp Volunteer Application (CIT)
Quail Lakes Baptist Church

Name _____ Phone # _____

Email _____

Address _____ Zip _____

School Attending in Fall _____ Grade in Fall _____

Counselor-In-Training is a volunteer Day Camp position available to students entering the 9th grade or above. It is designed to be a combination of participation and learning opportunity. The CIT serves as an assistant leader in a unit of 10-15 campers, Younger Camp only.

We are asking that a \$30.00 (per week) fee accompany you on your reporting Monday, to help defray costs of trips.

1. Please write a little about yourself.

2. Why would you like to be a volunteer at Day Camp?

3. Have you ever had any experience working with children? If so, when and in what capacity?

4. Do you have any age or grade preferences (CITs work only with Younger Camp, 1st–5th grade)?

5. What weeks can you work?

_____ #1 June 2-6

_____ #2 June 9-13

_____ #3 June 16-20

___N/A___ #4 NO DAY CAMP

_____ #5 June 30-July 3

_____ #6 July 7-11

_____ #7 July 14-18

_____ #8 July 21-25

6. Please be aware of the following, and initial each one that you agree to:

_____ I will be at camp to help, not to be a camper.

_____ The campers need me to be a good example.

_____ I will try to have a positive attitude.

_____ I will try to help make a great week for the campers.

_____ It is my job to assist the Counselor.

7. Please use a separate sheet of paper and write about your relationship with the Lord and your involvement in church.

8. Please provide two references for the position you are applying for:

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Relationship: _____

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Relationship: _____

9. For applicant's parent to complete:

As a parent, I feel my son/daughter will contribute and benefit from this experience. I have read this and agree to help him/her exhibit behavior set forth in #6. In addition, I will help him/her be prompt and prepared for each day.

Parent/Guardian Printed _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

**Submit your completed application to Malachi Hodge
in the QLBC Office by the deadline noted on the cover
sheet of this packet.**

Thank you for your interest in this program. CITs play a very important daily role at Day Camp and we are excited you would like to join us. Weeks are given to CITs after an interview process. You will be contacted within three weeks of application deadline.