



Counselor-In-Training (C.I.T.)

Parent FAQ

This document provides parents and participants with general information about the **Counselor-In-Training (C.I.T.) Leadership Program**.

Application Process

What does a completed application include?

An application is considered complete when:

- ✓ The **online form** is fully filled out and submitted.
- ✓ Your teen's **personal statement** and **two letters of recommendation** are emailed to cof.citprogram@gmail.com and received.

When are interviews scheduled?

Wednesday, May 6
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Thursday, May 7
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Friday, May 8
4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Program Communication

How will I receive updates and important information?

All communication will be sent via email. Please ensure that both the **student's and parent's (or guardian's) email** are included in **Section C of the online form** to receive all updates.

Program Details & Expectations

Will my teen be able to volunteer all summer?

C.I.T.s are **guaranteed one week** of summer camp. Additional weeks may be assigned based on **availability and performance**.

What is my teen's expected schedule?

C.I.T.s are expected to attend **all five days** of their assigned session. If your teen cannot commit to **all five consecutive days**, they should choose a different week to volunteer.

How will my teen receive credit for volunteer hours?

C.I.T.s must complete an **online evaluation** each day by **9:00 PM**. This can be done before they leave the center.

C.I.T.s serve as role models for campers, so appropriate dress is required:

Daily Attire:

- Tennis shoes (no flip-flops)
- Shorts (no shorter than **3 inches above the knee**)
- No tank tops, no jeans with holes

Swim Days: (One field trip per week, including a pool visit)

- **Females:** One-piece swimsuit preferred; **no bikinis**. Tankinis are allowed if the **belly button is covered**. Swimsuits must have straps.
- **Males:** Swim shorts (no shorter than **3 inches above the knee**).

Additional Information

Will my teen be required to participate in swimming on field trip days?

Yes, C.I.T.s are expected to enter the pool on swim days. If your teen cannot participate, please inform **Ms. Tyshica** in advance.

Can my teen bring a cellphone to work?


Cellphones should **not** be visible during the camp day. If you need to reach your teen, please call the recreation center, and staff will allow them time to speak with you.

Does my teen need to bring lunch?

Yes, C.I.T.s are responsible for bringing their **own lunch** or ordering from the recreation center. If ordering lunch, confirm with the center what time orders are placed daily.

- **C.I.T.s must also bring two snacks.**
- **Leaving the recreation center for lunch is not allowed.**

Questions?

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