

## Looking for a summer camp job?

**\*\*\*Please read this letter before applying for a summer camp position on the next 2 pages.**

**\*\*\*Parents of 14-17 year olds must also read this letter. Thank you.**

Greetings!!! Thank you for your interest in joining our Bronx House Day Camps and Teen Camp team! Our summer camp programs offer many great opportunities for children and staff to learn new things and have a fun and enriching experience. Yes, you can also have fun!!!

We are looking for awesome people that genuinely want to work with children this summer. If you apply for and accept a position with our camp, you are committing to being the best team member you can be every day. This means having a pleasant demeanor and positive attitude, being enthusiastic, building relationships with kids and staff, having a strong work ethic, being open-minded, mindful, thoughtful, competent, patient and caring.

We Want This!



Not This!



You would be a role model to the campers and you would be committing to helping ensure each child has a memorable summer.

The person applying for a camp position must complete this application. Parents, please encourage your child to be responsible for communicating with the camp supervisors regarding all matters. This will help build their communication skills and teach them how to be more responsible and independent.

### Camp Position Categories

**Helper** is a volunteer position for 14 year olds. They help with general tasks around camp and receive a stipend at the end of camp. They are able to swim and attend a couple of trips.

**Counselor-in-Training (C.I.T)** is a training position for 15 year olds. They attend trainings and are assigned to assist a camp group. They receive a stipend at the end of camp.

**Junior Counselors** are 16-17 year olds and **Senior Counselors** are age 18 and up who lead camp groups.

**Specialists** lead a variety of educational and recreational activities or facilitate specific programmatic roles.

Please carefully read and fully complete the attached staff application if you are interested in applying to be an enthusiastic and productive part of our camp team.

Thank you,  
Camp Supervisors



## 2022 Summer Camp Staff Application



**\*\*\*Please read. Thank you.**

By submitting this application you are committing to be present for all required training sessions in the month of June and being present for all 36 days of camp - June 27-August 16 - if you are hired. There will be no exceptions for taking vacation during camp. If there is a change in your availability you must notify the Camp Director immediately. This change may affect your employment.

Resumes are required for all applicants. If you have never been employed by a company, list any volunteer, babysitting, leadership or other relevant experience you may have on your resume.

**In accordance with New York City’s mandate that all NYC workers must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19, anyone that wants to work in our summer camp program must be fully vaccinated by June 27 and must submit proof of vaccination. Individuals that will not be fully vaccinated until after camp begins won’t be able to start working until they are, but we cannot guarantee the amount of positions that might still be available.**

Please submit application and resume to:

Leon Davis  
990 Pelham Parkway S.  
Bronx, NY 10461  
Email: [leon@bronxhouse.org](mailto:leon@bronxhouse.org)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ M F Age:\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.:\_\_\_\_ Cell#:\_\_\_\_  
Last First (Check one)

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt#: \_\_\_\_ City\_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: 

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### Education

H.S.: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduated? Y N Sept. 2022 Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduated? Y N Sept. 2022 Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Education: \_\_\_\_\_ Completed? Y N Sept. 2022 Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Area of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

In the following list, put number “1” before those activities you can organize and teach as an expert and “2” for those in which you can assist in teaching.

### Dancing

Social \_\_\_\_\_

Step Team \_\_\_\_\_

Break Dancing \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Sports

Basketball \_\_\_\_\_

Lacrosse \_\_\_\_\_

Soccer \_\_\_\_\_

Volleyball \_\_\_\_\_

Softball/Wiffleball \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Water Activities

Swimming \_\_\_\_\_

Water Games \_\_\_\_\_

Boating \_\_\_\_\_

### Arts

Crafts \_\_\_\_\_

Drawing \_\_\_\_\_

Painting \_\_\_\_\_

Yoga \_\_\_\_\_

Drama/Theater \_\_\_\_\_

Music \_\_\_\_\_

### Outdoors

Hiking \_\_\_\_\_

Nature \_\_\_\_\_

Gardening \_\_\_\_\_

Are you certified in CPR?  Yes  No Are you a certified Life Guard?  Yes  No

Other relevant certifications (i.e. Child Abuse Training, Ropes Course Certified, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you interested in spending your summer as a Bronx House Day Camp staff member?

**(New Applicants)** What do you think it takes to be a successful camp counselor or specialist? (Answer based on the role you are applying for.)

**(Returning Staff)** How will your experience working with camp in 2021 help prepare you for Summer 2022?

What do you feel you must do to help ensure each camper has the best camp experience possible each day?

What qualities would you display on a daily basis that would make you considered to be a great counselor?

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• Ever been a camper? Y N # of years \_\_\_\_ With Bronx House? Y N If not, where? \_\_\_\_\_

◆  
• Ever been a childcare staff? Y N # of years \_\_\_\_ With Bronx House? Y N If not, where? \_\_\_\_\_

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• In the box below, indicate the camper units you are interested in working with. Assignments depend on availability and can be changed at any point at discretion of the unit leader or camp director.

• Ages 19 and up are eligible to work with Teen Camp. C.I.Ts can only select Fun Bunch and Adventurers.

(1) for 1<sup>st</sup> choice, (2) for 2<sup>nd</sup> choice, (3) for 3<sup>rd</sup> choice, (4) for 4<sup>th</sup> choice

Fun Bunch Counselor (K-2 <sup>nd</sup> grade) ____	Explorers Counselor (5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> grade) ____
Adventurers Counselor (3 <sup>rd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> grade) ____	Teen Camp Counselor (7 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> grade) ____

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• **Unit Leader & Specialist Positions: For individuals with specialized experience. Check position(s) of interest.**

Unit Leader (At least 21 years old and have sufficient, applicable leadership/supervision experience.)

Specialist (At least 18 years old and have sufficient specialty experience. Check position(s) of interest.)

Dance  Theater  Music  Arts & Crafts  Gardening  Reading  S.T.E.M  Math

Ropes Course  Archery  Yoga  Sports  Tennis  Nature  Behavioral  Swim Coordinator

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_