

Looking for a summer camp job?

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

*****Parents of 15-17 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

Camp Helpers are 16 years old and complete a variety of general tasks around camp, including assisting with a camp group at times if needed. **Only 4 needed!**

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

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 2023 help prepare you for Summer 2024?

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.

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

(1) for 1st choice, (2) for 2nd choice, (3) for 3rd choice, (4) for 4th choice

Fun Bunch Counselor (1 st -2 nd grade) ____	Explorers Counselor (5 th -6 th grade) ____
Adventurers Counselor (3 rd -4 th grade) ____	Teen Camp Counselor (7 th -10 th grade) ____

• **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 Interventionist

Basketball Clinics Swim Coordinator

Sign Here _____

Date _____