

Counselor Application

Name _____	Age _____	Birth date _____	Year in school _____	Social Security # _____
School address _____	Home address _____			
Phone _____	Phone _____			
Spring break dates _____	Phone _____	e-mail _____		

Use a separate sheet to answer the following questions fully:

- 1) What are your interests? College major? What do you do in your spare time?
- 2) Do you feel at home in the out of doors? Elaborate on experience hiking, camping, etc.
- 3) What experiences have you had with children as a job or otherwise? Do you enjoy children?
- 4) What camp skills do you have? In addition to living in a tent with five campers, each counselor takes responsibility for one activity area: skits, horseback riding, crafts, nature or wild card. Which of these do you feel qualified to lead? Tell something about your interest and experience with these activities.
- 5) Are you disciplined enough in your personal habits so that you keep your things in reasonable order and can set a good example of cleanliness and order for your campers?
- 6) Why do you especially want to work at Celo?

Answer on this page:

- 7) Camp Celo is a drug and alcohol free community. Can you personally refrain from using tobacco, alcohol or other drugs for the entire camp season? _____
- 8) Do you have lifeguard training certification? _____ If not can you get it? _____
- 9) Do you have Wilderness First Aid? _____ If not can you get it? _____ (for Senior Camp)
- 10) Do you have a current drivers license? _____
- 11) What is your religious background or preference? _____
- 12) Our insurance requires us to do criminal background checks on all employees. Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense (including child related offenses)? _____

Circle one: I prefer to work in: junior camp(ages7-10) senior camp(ages 11-12) either.

List previous jobs and length of time held:

Give name, address, E-mail, and phone number of two references, preferably employers who have seen you work with children. State your relationship to each reference.

1) _____ 2) _____

Return this form to: Camp Celo 775 Hannah Branch Rd. Burnsville NC 28714

Skill & Interest Indicator

Please indicate your level of skill and interest in each area by circling;

A. I have knowledge and experience and feel confident taking leadership.

B. My experience is limited but I would like to learn by taking leadership responsibility.

C. I would like to learn by assisting someone with more experience.

Swimming	A	B	C
Hiking	A	B	C
Games other than conventional team sports	A	B	C
Singing	A	B	C
Musical instrument (specify)	A	B	C
Other musical activity such as jug band	A	B	C
Folk Dancing	A	B	C
Telling stories to children	A	B	C
Dramatics with children	A	B	C
Horseback riding	A	B	C
Milking cow or goat	A	B	C
Caring for chickens, guinea pigs or rabbits	A	B	C
Gardening	A	B	C
Cooking	A	B	C
Carpentry (repairs and maintenance)	A	B	C
Wood shop (helping children with use of simple tools)	A	B	C
Arts & Crafts	A	B	C
Nature appreciation	A	B	C
Camp craft (fire building, campout cooking, tarp setup)	A	B	C
Sketching & Painting	A	B	C
Creative writing	A	B	C
Other (specify)	A	B	C