## **Counselor Application**

Full Name	Age	Birth date	Year in school	Social Security #
School address		Home addre	255	
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, woodshop, 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)

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