

Job Description for Camp Ave Maria Head Counselor

Qualifications:

- Loves kids
- Able to demonstrate experience working with children
- Ability to teach and lead various recreational activities
- Excellent character, integrity and adaptability
- Ability to communicate and work with a variety of age and skill levels
- Enthusiasm, sense of humor, patience and self-control
- Pass a FL State run background check.
- Completed one year of college or at least 18 years of age,
- Available 8:00am-4:00pm, Monday - Friday from June 5 thru August 16, 2014.

Counselor Responsibilities

- Take primary responsibility for the health, well-being and happiness of campers
- Learn the likes and dislikes of each camper
- Recognize and respond to opportunities for problem solving
- Encourage respect for personal property, camp equipment and town facilities
- Set a good example for campers in all areas, including cleanliness, punctuality, clean-up chores, rules, and sportsmanship.
- Guide campers in participating successfully in all aspects of camp activities
- Actively participate in all aspects of the campers' day.
- Observe camper behavior, assess its appropriateness, enforce appropriate safety regulations and apply appropriate behavior-management techniques

And the four most important qualities you must possess...

- Tons of energy (and we mean tons!!)
- A willingness to make a fool of yourself for the sake of making a kid smile
- The ability to plan activities that fill an entire day - we will supply everything you need.
- A desire to have fun!!!!

Employment Application – Camp Ave Maria

Name: _____

SS#: _____

Today's Date: _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone #: _____

Please list previous work experience:

Please list 2 References that we may contact, who do not live with you:

IN THE SPACE PROVIDED PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

1. What characteristics do you possess which would make you a good head counselor?

2. Why do you want to work for Camp Ave Maria?

3. Describe your leadership background (include your own personal philosophy of leadership)?

4. Give your definition of teamwork. Then describe how important this concept is in the framework of a summer camp.

5. What are some of the benefits that summer camp can/should add to a camper's life?

6. If there was one word that could sum up what summer camp means to you. What would it be?

7. Do you have any other commitments from June 5 through August 15? If so, what?



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