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CIT Program Application
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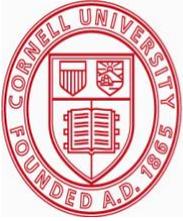
Candidate's Name: _____

Candidate E-Mail: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Current School District: _____ GPA: _____

Please list any extracurricular activities (you can include activities beyond school):

Camp's Attended	Location	# Years
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____



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CIT Program Application, continued

Please answer the following questions on a **separate sheet of paper**. **Please type**. Handwritten applications will **not** be accepted. Our CIT application is due back by February 1st.

1. What is your interest in participating in our CIT program?
2. Describe your most influential counselor/mentor or teacher. Why was he/she influential to you? Did you learn valuable lessons from them? If so, please share one with us?
3. Please share special skills you would bring to the CIT program.
4. Describe your skills in problem solving, how have you worked through a situation in the past that you needed additional help with?
5. When you have a disagreement with someone how do you work through that, list the steps that you might use?
6. List any experiences you have working with younger children ranging in age from 5 – 12. Describe your favorite part of working with children.
7. What kind of a learner are you, or how do you learn best?
8. What are your goals beyond high school?

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CIT PROGRAM RULES

1. I understand that in order to participate in the CIT Program, I must have attended Hidden Valley 4-H Camp for at least two summers (not necessarily consecutive).
2. I understand that the use of or possession of alcohol or drugs including tobacco will result in immediate removal from the program.
3. I understand that leaving camp during the program results in missing great training opportunities and is prohibited unless arrangements are made prior.
4. I understand that any abuse of a camper, physical or emotional, puts campers safety at risk and will result in immediate removal from the program.
5. I understand that romantic relationships between campers and staff are a violation of the trust and safety of campers and parents, and will refrain from participating in or encouraging romantic relationships. I understand that participation in a romantic relationship between campers and staff will result in immediate removal from the program.
6. I understand that the failure to adhere to rules applicable to all Hidden Valley 4-H Camp staff members and campers (i.e. swim with an on duty lifeguard, swim with a buddy, arriving on time to scheduled events, etc..) may result in removal from the program.
7. I understand that in my role as a CIT that I am expected to use language appropriate to all members of the camp community. I am committed to learning about best work practices and want to be successful. I understand that failure to do so may result in disciplinary action or removal from the program.
8. I understand that CIT's are expected to participate in all CIT activities because I am in the program to develop my own job readiness skills. Therefore, I will participate in all activities, trainings and events on camp.
9. I understand that CIT's are expected to report all camper incidents to a counselor immediately and the CIT Program Leader because the safety of our campers comes first.

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Submitting this application means that I agree to abide by all the rules of the Hidden Valley 4-H Camp Counselor – In – Training Program. If I am found in non-compliance I will be sent home.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Parent's Signature (Required)

Date

Return completed application to:

Hidden Valley 4-H Camp
C/O CIT Program
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