



Prairie Camp Counselor

Job Description

Job summary

The Counselor has the responsibility of directing and overseeing the campers assigned to him/her throughout the entire period of the designated camp.

Employer: Prairie Camp (MCNCD Missionary Church North Central District)

Supervisor: Summer/Teen Camp Director and Camp Staff

Qualifications and Requirements:

- Active relationship with Christ
- Genuine interest in the development of children
- Ability to assist with Summer Program activities, Tower activities, and field trips
- Understand and agree to teach and model positive behavior, Christian values, and follow policies of Prairie Camp
- Excellent character, integrity, and adaptability
- Is at least 16 years old (Summer Camp)
- Out of high school at least one year (Teen Camp)
- Completes an application and interview
- Pass a State/National background check
- Participate in required trainings
- Available for an entire camp, including counselor meetings before and after each camp
- Will act in a manner consistent with biblical teaching

General Duties:

- Be with your campers!
- Maintain a positive and supportive attitude and example
- Communicate and work cooperatively with the entire camp staff
- Be aware of the general well being of your campers and seek assistance when necessary
- Strive to become thoroughly acquainted with and meet the needs of individual campers
- Manage and oversee the general safety and security of your campers
- Be ready to share the Gospel at all times.
- Attend all activities unless excused by the Director

Specific Duties:

- Lead campers to an awareness of Jesus Christ through daily devotions or cabin time
- Attend all Counselor Meetings or have your Co-Counselor attend
- Pray daily for each camper and seek to find ways of ministering
- Assist with clean up at meal time, in the cabin, and after activities
- Prepare and/or participate in songs or skits with your campers
- Serve as chaperone at night in cabins
- Perform other duties as assigned (Be willing to go beyond the call of duty when necessary.)
- Have fun!

Because Prairie Camp is a Christian camp, an evangelical Christian commitment and lifestyle consistent with the organization's mission are required.