



Dear Counselor-In-Training Applicants and Families;

Thank you for your interest in our Counselor in Training Program. This program is a great opportunity for you to be involved in our Summer Day Camp, work with younger children, and become a leader. This will be a challenging, rewarding, fun and memorable experience.

This program requires an application, interview, and acceptance into the program to participate. Please look over and share the information below with your family before applying for the CIT experience. Accepting to be a CIT is a big responsibility. If you are willing and able to take on these challenges and responsibilities, please complete and return the application. The interview is an important part of the CIT application process. We recommend arriving on time, dressing neatly, and being prepared to tell us why you are a good candidate for this position.

CIT Expectations

- Participate with enthusiasm
- Be on time and prepared for the day (have appropriate clothing, footwear and a lunch)
- Follow directions
- Be a team player
- Demonstrate excellent behavior, CIT behavior standards are dramatically higher than campers. There will be little tolerance for misbehavior amongst CITs.

Time Commitment

CIT's must attend all pre-season training sessions. Training will take place in late May/Early June. Once the training is complete, the CIT's will be able to shadow our Summer Day Camp Counselor Staff. CIT's are required to shadow at least 1 week of camp. CIT's can volunteer for additional weeks if they are available. Please note there is a one-time \$95 fee for this program, this fee includes staff uniforms and CPR/First Aid Certification Training.

If you're ready to take on the challenge of being a CIT then it's time to fill out our application and mail or bring it into the address at the bottom of your application. Once we receive this information, we will call you to verify your interview day and time.

Thank you again for your interest in becoming a CIT. We are looking forward to an exciting, fun and memorable summer.

Sincerely,

Christa Crago
Recreation Specialist
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**City of Spokane Valley
Counselor-In-Training Application**

Applicant Info:

Name:	Date:	
Address:	City:	State:
School:	Grade:	
Phone:	Email:	
I check my email: daily weekly never		

Why do you want to be a CIT?

Have you ever worked at or attended camp before? If so, describe your experience.

What are three of your best characteristics / traits?

Do you have experience as a leader? If so, what has it taught you?

In your own words, define what a positive role model is for you.
Describe someone who's been a positive role model in your life.

How would your teachers describe you?

What are your favorite things to do outside of school?

Please drop off the application at the Spokane Valley Parks and Recreation Office
(CenterPlace Regional Event Center) or mail to the address below:
2426 N Discovery Place, Spokane Valley, WA 99216
Phone: 509-720-5408 Email: ccrago@spokanevalley.org