

Counseling Positions

Day Camp Counseling Team: Get to spend a majority of their time in the Day Camp program building relationships with children and families to encourage growth in Christ, and assisting in overnight programs.

Dates: June 3 – August 14

Responsibilities include:

- Leading a group of day campers with maturity, enthusiasm, and creativity.
- Facilitating Bible lessons.
- Managing child safety.
- Building relationships in group situations, one-on-one interaction, activity leadership, and much more.
- Helping with other camp programs and activities as needed. Serve as a “cabin buddy” with an overnight cabin in the evenings.
- Applicants should:
- Be enthusiastic leaders, sensitive listeners, positive role models, and servants willing to serve where needed.
- Possess a growing and active faith in Christ and a teachable heart.
- Have a love for and rapport with elementary through junior high school students.
- Be able to live on camp grounds for the duration of the summer season.
- Be incoming high school juniors, seniors, and recent graduates, and at least 16 years old by June 3.

Counseling Team: Get to spend a majority of their time with campers including activities, meal times, and overnight supervision while encouraging growth in Christ. Counselors will rotate between Pier 30 (5th-9th graders) and Kishwaukee (2nd-4th graders) programs, and may plug into the other programs as needed.

Dates: June 3 – August 14

Responsibilities Include:

- Leading a group of campers with maturity, enthusiasm, and creativity.
- Facilitating Bible lessons.
- Managing child safety.
- Building relationships in group situations, one-on-one interaction, activity leadership, and much more.

Applicants Should:

- Be enthusiastic leaders, sensitive listeners, positive role models, servants, and friends to every kid in the cabin.
- Possess a mature and active faith in Christ and a teachable heart.
- Have a love for, rapport with, and some experience interacting with elementary through junior high school students.
- Have completed one year of college or be at least 19 years old by June 3.

Alpha Counselors

Get to work with the Alpha Program Director and Assistant Program Director to develop and implement the Alpha Bible program, daily schedule, service projects, and more. Alpha Counselors also spend their time with high school aged campers to encourage growth in Christ through healthy relationships. While Alpha Counselors, are just that, counselors, they also serve as members of our program staff in helping to build and implement summer programs.

Dates: May 23 - August 15

Responsibilities include:

- Assist the Program Director and Assistant Program Director in development and daily implementation of the Bible program, service projects, and activities.
- Support Program Team with creative, administrative, and organizational gifts.
- Live with, supervise, and work alongside Alpha campers on behind-the-scenes projects and assignments.

Applicants should:

- Have a passion for mentoring, motivating, and encouraging high school students in a small community.
- Have leadership experience with high school students in a camp (or similar) environment.
- Be self-starting, flexible, organized, fun-loving, and willing to go the extra mile to make camp meaningful and exciting.
- Have a proven rapport with high school students, a servant heart, and contagious love for Christ.
- College juniors or seniors preferred.

Roving Counselor: Get to spend time with campers that need a little extra love, care, and attention while encouraging growth in Christ.

Dates: May 30 – August 14

Responsibilities Include:

- Building relationships with peers and campers.
- Assist in providing care for campers as needed.
- Managing child safety.
- Helping in a variety of camp programs and activities as needed.

Applicants Should:

- Be sensitive listeners, positive role models, servants, and friends to all kids.
- Possess a mature and active faith in Christ.
- Have a love for, rapport with, and some experience interacting with elementary through junior high students, especially those with special needs.
- Be willing to be flexible and be available whenever needed.
- Have completed one year of college or be at least 19 years old by May 30.