

Seymour Recreation CIT Program

Our Counselor in Training (CIT) program is a great opportunity for 9th, 10th & 11th graders (14 & 15 year olds) to learn what it takes to be a Camp Counselor.

The goal of the CIT Program is to find participants that have a true desire to work with children and who may want to be considered for a counselor position in the future. Through hands on experience counselors in training will participate in planning, implementing activities, and oversight of campers. Counselors will develop leadership skills, child safety, and conflict resolution skills. Each CIT will be assigned to a Senior Counselor and a group or a special project.

A CIT is expected to work with their Senior Counselor to encourage campers to participate in activities in a safe and fun environment. CIT participants may be evaluated mid-way and at the conclusion of the camp.

To apply for the CIT position go to seymourcommunityservices.com select the 2018 Playground Camp Employment Program, and click on the CIT activity on the program page. Please check with your parents to see if your family already has an established account. Log in or create an account, select your name and apply. The cost of the program will be applied during check out. Select the no payment option. You do not need to pay for the program until you are accepted into the program.

Please check your email regularly. Applicants will be contacted via email for both the interview and acceptance into the CIT Program.

All applications must be received by April 23, 2018. Spots are limited and based on total camper registrations.

Program Details:

Cost: \$100, Price includes field trips, t-shirt and pizza

Camp Dates: June 25 – August 10

(Selected CITs must participate in 5 weeks. The first two weeks are required. The remaining 3 weeks must be selected by the applicant at time of application. Participants can participate in the entire 7 weeks. Select this option during the application process.)

Camp Time: Monday – Friday, 8:30 am – 2:30 pm (CIT Counselors must remain the entire day)

Week 1 & 2 (required) June 25 – July 6

Must select 3 additional weeks:

Week 3 July 9 – July 13

Week 4 July 16 – July 20

Week 5 July 23 – July 27

Week 6 July 30 – August 3

Week 7 August 5 – August 10

Parents: While we understand that you may have questions, please have your son or daughter advocate for themselves. This is the time for the applicant to begin to communicate with us directly. Please let them do so. The CIT program is a wonderful place for them to gain the confidence and skill set needed to advocate for themselves and secure future employment.