

BUNAC Summer Camp USA Application Form 2008

Please read the accompanying instructions and answer all the questions. Remember to add your photograph and sign on page 4. PLEASE USE BLACK INK AND PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY. Tick YES/NO boxes as applicable.

1 First name _____	Middle name(s) _____	Last name (write all names exactly as in passport) _____	Mr/Ms _____						
2 Permanent address Postcode _____ Country _____ Telephone _____ E-mail _____ Mobile _____		3 Current Address (if different) Postcode _____ Country _____ Telephone _____ E-mail _____ Dates at this address for correspondence? _____							
4a Age at 1st June 2008 ____ years ____ months		6 Passport details (write exactly as in passport) City/Town of birth _____ Country of birth _____ Country of residence _____ Country of citizenship _____ Passport number _____ Date of issue _____ Date of expiry _____							
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5a Are you currently a full-time student? Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Name of college/university _____ Year _____ Course _____									
5b Are you employed? Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> If yes, what is your job? _____									

Attach photograph here.
Colour passport sized photos only please.

Smile

First impressions are important!

7 The earliest date in 2008 on which I can travel to North America will be _____

8 I must be back home at the latest by _____ (should be after August 20)

9 Marital status: Single Engaged Married
Is your spouse, fiancé or friend also applying? Yes No
Please give their name(s) _____

10 What is your active religion? _____
Would you be happy to work at a camp associated with this faith? Yes No

11 Have you been a camp counsellor in the USA before? Yes No
Camp _____ Year/s _____
Through which organisation? _____

12 Do you agree to abide by the camp's rules on drugs and alcohol as explained in Note 12? Yes No

13 Do you smoke? Yes No Occasionally
Will you be able to refrain from smoking during camp? Yes No

14 With which age group would you prefer to live in a cabin:
 primary (7-11) secondary (11-16)
But will any age be acceptable? Yes No

15 On which types of camps would you be prepared to work?
 standard/traditional mentally disabled physically disabled
 day camp emotionally disabled adult campers
 disadvantaged learning disabled weight loss
 girl scout hyperactive/ADD religiously affiliated

16 Would you prefer your camp to be:
 single sex co-ed Would either be ok? Yes No

17 Are you comfortable working with all races and faiths? Yes No

18 Are you happy to work anywhere in the USA or Canada? Yes No

19 Do you hold a full current driving licence? Yes No
For which vehicle types? _____ Since when? _____

20 ACTIVITIES: In the following lists please put number 1 beside those activities you can organise and teach; 2 for those activities which you can assist in teaching; and 3 for those which are hobbies or in which you have useful experience as a participant.

LANDSPORTS American football _____ archery _____ baseball _____ basketball _____ fencing _____ field hockey _____ fitness/weights _____ golf _____ gymnastics (Olympic) _____ tumbling _____ judo _____ karate _____ lacrosse _____ riflery (.22) _____ roller hockey _____ soccer _____ softball _____ tennis _____ track and field _____ volleyball _____ HORSEBACK RIDING English riding _____ western riding _____ horse care _____	WATERSPORTS canoeing _____ kayaking _____ lifeguarding _____ motorboat driving _____ rowing _____ sailing _____ scuba _____ swim instruction _____ synchro swim _____ waterskiing _____ windsurfing _____ PIONEERING abseiling _____ campcraft _____ campfire songs _____ canoe tripping _____ cycle tripping _____ hiking _____ mountain biking _____ orienteering _____ outdoor cooking _____ primitive camping _____ rockclimbing _____ ropes course _____	ARTS AND CRAFTS basketry _____ batik/printing _____ candlemaking _____ cartooning _____ ceramics (pottery) _____ copper enamel _____ drawing _____ handicrafts _____ jewellery _____ leathercraft _____ macramé _____ metal _____ model making _____ model rocketry _____ naturecraft _____ painting _____ papier maché _____ puppetry _____ sculpture _____ sewing _____ silversmithing _____ stained glass _____ weaving _____ woodworking _____ other _____	MUSIC song leading _____ piano/accompany _____ piano/teach _____ piano - pop _____ piano - classical _____ piano - show tunes _____ piano - play by ear _____ piano - sight-read _____ piano - transpose _____ bugle _____ drums _____ guitar (folk) _____ guitar (classical) _____ other _____ DANCE aerobic _____ ballet _____ choreography _____ hip hop _____ jazz _____ modern _____ show _____ tap _____ other _____	ENTERTAINMENTS broadcast radio _____ circus arts _____ clowning _____ costuming _____ directing _____ dj _____ juggling _____ lighting/sound _____ magic _____ set design/construction _____ skits _____ other _____ SCIENCE astronomy _____ biology _____ chemistry _____ computer programming _____ ecology _____ environmental education _____ electronics _____ nature study _____ physics _____ other _____	MEDIA computer graphics/website _____ film _____ video _____ newspaper production _____ photo/darkroom _____ photo/digital _____ print _____ yearbook _____ MISCELLANEOUS animal farm _____ cookery (teaching) _____ farming _____ first-aid _____ fishing _____ go-karting _____ languages (specify) _____ mini-bikes _____ office _____ religious service _____ skate park _____
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21 In which activities would you most like to work or teach? First choice _____
Other choices _____
We will try, but cannot guarantee placement in the activities you select here.

22 Would you be happy to be a non-specialist general counsellor? Yes No

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23 Can you swim? Yes No

Please list swimming, lifesaving and swim teaching qualifications with dates gained as well as expiry dates. Please attach or send certificates.

24 What experience have you had with the following:

Boy/Girl Scouts _____

General camping/outdoor pursuits _____

25 Awards/certificates. Indicate those gained, give validity dates and attach copies when relevant to your application (including any swim certification).

First Aid _____

CPR _____

School teacher _____

Pony Club _____

BHSAI/PI _____

Sailing _____

Windsurfing _____

Scuba _____

Canoe _____

Tennis/LTA _____

Duke of Edinburgh Awards _____

Soccer _____

Other _____

26 Give details and dates of any experience of working with children (including any qualifications you will have gained by the summer).

27 Give dates and details of any leadership roles, both paid and voluntary, other than those already mentioned.

28 Describe your own personal philosophy. If you are willing to work on a religiously affiliated camp, please give more detail regarding your own religious background including church attendance, any experience of leading devotions or scripture readings.

29 Why did you decide to apply to be a camp counsellor?

30 What contribution do you think you can make at camp?

31 How do you think the children might benefit from the summer camp experience?

32 How did you hear about this programme?

33 (a) Have you ever been arrested, convicted or cautioned for any offence (spent or unspent) including driving offences? Yes No

(b) Have you ever been accused of, or involved in, an incident involving the sexual or physical abuse of a child? Yes No

If yes to either (a) or (b), please give details, including the dates, offence and penalty (if necessary attach a separate note giving full details).

34 Emergency contact person

Name _____ Relationship _____

Address _____ Phone _____

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35 Further information on activity choices selected in Questions 20 and 21. Describe your teaching experience, qualifications gained, dates, ages of children taught and your personal standard of proficiency, teams joined, positions held, trophies won, etc. If applying to work with people with special needs, you should emphasise your experience with this population and also complete the Special Needs Form (available on the BUNAC website).

1st choice _____

2nd choice _____

3rd choice _____

Other choices. Please provide background information on any additional activities against which you marked '1' or '2' in Question 20. _____

36 Health/Personal. Camp is strenuous and demanding so you need to be in good mental and physical health. Please complete the following and **give details where applicable**. (Please note that your camp will probably require you to have a medical examination.)

- a) Have you ever had any serious or permanently debilitating illness? Yes No
- b) Do you have any physical limitations? Yes No
- c) Have you ever had a nervous breakdown or required psychiatric treatment? Yes No
- d) Are you undergoing any sort of medical treatment (including taking pills or drugs)? Yes No
- e) Do you have any allergies? Yes No
- f) Do you have any diet restrictions? Yes No
- g) Would you be prepared to accept a camp which cannot provide your special diet? Yes No
- h) Do you have any visible tattoos or body piercings? Please give details. Yes No
- i) Are you prepared to remove or cover your piercings or tattoos if required by a camp? Yes No
- j) Height: ft ins Weight: lbs (One stone = 14 lbs; 1 kilo = 2.2lbs)

