

Summer 2023

Hello again! I am so glad that you want to come back to Camp Kingfisher for another year in the LIT program in 2023. As a second or a third year LIT, you now know how the program works, you've learned the ropes and are aware of what is expected of you. This is the time to really make the program your own and get as much out of this summer as you possibly can!

I know this past summer was tough. Hours were long, temps were high, and kids were crazy. But that's part of the fun of camp! I am always trying to grow and evolve our program, so I am thrilled that you are coming back again to learn and grow in new ways.

Second year LITs are ones who had a really great first year experience. You've learned how camp works. Now is the time to take your camp experience to the next level. I challenge you to try new things this year. Use the leadership skills you gained last summer and put them to use. We are here to support you every step of the way!

Third year LITs are just about ready to take that next step at camp, becoming a staff member! This is your year to really shine as a leader. You'll be given more responsibility within the program. Not only to challenge you, but to help you prepare to take the leap into possibly being a Camp K counselor. We expect you to not just be a leader to the campers, but to your fellow LITs as well.

When filling out this application, here are some things to think about:

- 1. What do I want to change about my performance from last year, if anything?**
- 2. How can I challenge myself this summer?**
- 3. What new skills can I bring to Camp K this year?**
- 4. How can camp challenge me to achieve my goals?**

As you already know, Camp Kingfisher is always looking for fun, energetic and hardworking high school students to participate in our LIT program. Camp Kingfisher is a place where kids can get back to nature, paddle in a canoe, make amazing new friends, and have an overall great summer experience. As an LIT you are helping contribute to that amazing summer. Not only will you get to be a part of their daily camp life, you will also get time to explore team building activities, learn techniques on working with children, and get the chance to hone your leadership skills. Your days will also consist of assisting and teaching at two of our three canoe ponds. Through workshops with camp professionals and hands on activities with the campers, you will become an outstanding member of the Camp K team!

I look forward to receiving your application soon. I will be in touch shortly after I receive it and am able to look it over. If you have any questions you can always call or email me.

Thanks again,

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