



Dear CILT Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the Camper in Leadership Training program. The purpose of this letter is to help both the applicant and parents understand more about the program and the YMCA's expectations.

The CILT program is a specialized leadership program for older campers wanting to gain leadership skills. The CILT program provides a unique educational and practical challenge for those camps with leadership potential. CILTs will focus on listening to children, role modeling values, using positive discipline, teaching new skills, leading group games, and building respect. Supervised by the Youth Director and the Camp Director, CILTs will develop their own personal strengths through leading children and serving as role models. Teens who are successful CILTs will not necessarily be asked to volunteer or apply for a position as staff when they are 18 years old. Therefore, apply for the CILT program only if you have a strong and sincere interest in developing leadership skills.

In order to be considered, you must be at least 13 years of age and no older than 17 years of age by the 1st day of the session that you are attending (June 11th or July 9th). In addition, you must attend one of the two Group Interview dates: Sunday, April 15th or Sunday, April 22th from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm at the Meadowmont Y.

Being a CILT is a four-week commitment. You may only sign up for one CILT session; although it is possible to be invited back for extra weeks depending on performance. For each CILT session, space is limited, and not everyone who applies will be accepted. Eight spaces are available for Camp Clearwater CILTs; four for Chapel Hill Y Day Camp CILTs; two for Kinder Camp CILTs; two for Meadowmont Y DaY Camp CILTs; and two for Specialty Camps CILTs.

Three references will be checked once you submit an application and attend one of the Group Interviews. Please do not ask a Y staff member to be a reference for you; we will speak to Y directors who have known you.

Once accepted, you must complete the registration form and submit it to the YMCA's front desk. A down payment of half of the camp fee is required to hold the space. The fee for the four-week CILT program is \$480 for members and \$600 for program participants.

If you have any questions, please email me at avinson@chcymca.org or call 442-9622. Thank you for applying for the CILT program.

Sincerely,

Aubrey Vinson
Youth Director



**SUMMER DAY CAMP 2012
NEW CILT APPLICATION**

Complete and submit to the YMCA front desk.

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Name Called
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Address	City	State	Zip
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Phone	Email	____/____/____	Date of Birth
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Group Interview (Check box)

- April 15th
- April 22th

Camp Session (Check box)

- Session 1 (June 11th - July 6th)
- Session 2 (July 9th - August 3rd)

RANK YOUR CAMP INTERESTS by placing 1 next to your top choice, 2 by your second choice, and so on.

_____ **CAMP CLEARWATER**

- Traditional Outdoor Day Camp located ten minutes south of UNC campus
- 200 campers (rising 1st graders to rising 8th graders) & 24 staff

_____ **CHAPEL HILL Y DAY CAMP** Age-adapted games and sports located at the Y

- 150 campers (rising 1st graders to rising 8th graders) & 15 staff

_____ **SPECIALTY CAMP**

- Specialized week-long activities (art, cooking, acting/moviemaking, & science) located at the Y
- 30 campers (rising 1st graders to rising 8th graders) & 4 staff

_____ **KINDERCAMP**

- Introductory week-long camps to Kindergarteners located at the Y
- 20 campers (rising Kindergarteners) & 2 staff

_____ **MEADOWMONT Y DAYCAMP**

- Games, daily swimming, arts and crafts located at Meadowmont Y
- 40 campers & 5 staff

EDUCATION

	Name of School	City & State	Years Attended
Middle School			
High School			

Grade Completed as of June _____ Current Grade Point Average: _____

CERTIFICATIONS

List certifications related to your area of interest that enhances your skills (CPR, lifeguard training, etc.). Include certifying organization, type of certification, date received, and expiration date.

EMPLOYMENT/VOLUNTEERING HISTORY

Begin with your most recent employment/volunteering.

Company/Employer _____ Volunteer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Position _____ Supervisor _____ Phone _____ Reason For Leaving _____
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QUESTIONNAIRE

How many summers have you attended summer day camp at the Chapel Hill-Carrboro _____

Why do you want to be a CILT?

What experience do you have working with children?

In what extracurricular activities are you or have you been involved?

What assets would you bring to the Y staff team?

What skills do you hope to improve during your CILT experience?

Name two of your heroes and tell why.

REFERENCES

Provide at least 3 references, one of whom must be an immediate family member.

Name_____	Relation_____
Email_____	Phone _____
Name_____	Relation_____
Email_____	Phone _____
Name_____	Relation_____
Email_____	Phone _____

APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION AND AGREEMENT

In consideration of participation, I agree to conform to the rules and policies of the Y, and I understand and acknowledge that my participation may be terminated at any time, with or without cause, and with or without notice, at the option of either the Y or myself.

If accepted into the CILT program, I understand that I will not receive compensation for my efforts as a CILT.

Each and every statement set out in this application for participation is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I acknowledge that any discrepancy may be grounds for not accepting me into the program at any time hereafter. I hereby authorize the Y to investigate the statements and answers, which I have made on this application.

Applicant's
Signature_____ Date_____

Please sign above to indicate that you have read, understand, and agree with this Applicant's Certification and Agreement.

