

Job Title: Resident/Day Camp Counselor
Reports to: Camp Programs Manager, Lead Staff
Classification: Exempt, seasonal



Camp Fire
MINNESOTA

About This Position

The Camp Counselor is the number one reason why campers come back to camp and comes with a lot of responsibility. Counselors may be assigned to residential and/or day camp, depending on abilities and if you live at camp or commute.

Primary Responsibilities

- Guide and care for 6-12 youth, ages 5-17 in a 24-hour per day program
- Recognize and respond to opportunities for problem solving in the group and with individual campers
- Carry out established roles for supervising camper health and enforcing camp safety regulations
- Organize and lead a variety of games and activities, ensuring all are included and part of the community
- Ensure the site, cabins, and bathrooms are clean and sanitary
- Maintain good public relations with camper families and the Tanadoona community
- Get to know your campers, play with them, and have fun!

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Ability to relate to one's peer group and to children
- Desire to work with youth outdoors, in an active environment
- Ability to work with a variety of different groups, from many different backgrounds
- Possess the "do whatever it takes" mentality in order to create the best experience for the campers
- Maintain Camp Fire Minnesota standards at all times

Minimum Qualifications:

- 1-year of post-secondary schooling or equivalent
- Experience working with youth
- Possess the strength and endurance required to maintain constant supervision of campers and program implementation
- Good character, integrity, and adaptability

Desired Availability:

- Available to attend Camp Training on May 30. Last day of work is September 1. Day Camp Counselors only are expected to stay at camp during training but are able to commute from home once programs begin.

Pay Range:

- \$200-235/weekly stipend, depending on experience, plus room and board.

Application Process:

Submit an application, found at <https://campfiremn.org/camps/tanadoona/work-at-camp/>

- Email: hrcamp@campfiremn.org (include position title in the subject line)
- Fax: 952-378-1661
- Mail: Camp Fire Minnesota, Attn: Camp Staff, 4829 Minnetonka Boulevard, Suite 202, St. Louis Park, MN 55416