

Adventure Camp Leader-in-Training Program (LIT)

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COMPLETED APPLICATION DUE BY MAY 25th, 2021.

Greetings,

We are very excited you want to be part of Adventure Camp's Leader-in-Training program. This fun, challenging learning experience is definitely different from being a camper.

Our purpose for the LIT program is to help you build skills and experience to prepare you to be a future Adventure Camp Staff member, prepare you to work in the outdoor industry, and improve your overall leadership skills. We want to help you learn and gain expertise in group dynamics, communication, activity facilitation, and role modeling for younger campers. This training would bring strong experience and knowledge to your home community and the camp community. Part of your training begins today with the LIT application.

The LIT application serves three purposes:

- Provides us insight as to why you want to be a LIT and highlights leadership experience you may have.
- Helps us determine if the LIT program is a good fit for both of us since we accept a limited number.
- Helps us customize LIT educational sessions to meet your needs.

After you complete and return the application, we will contact you via email. If your camper is accepted to the program you will be issued a special code for use on the Online Registration portion of our camp website.

Please send your completed application to: Matt Caliendo, Adventure Camp Director
Nature's Classroom at Sargent Center
36 Sargent Camp Road, Hancock, NH 03449.

OR email to: matt@naturesclassroom.org

The application deadline is May 25th, 2021.

You will be notified about your acceptance status by June 1st, 2021 or sooner!

Applications received after May 25th, 2021 will be considered if the LIT program still has space available.

Sincerely,

Matt Caliendo
Adventure Camp Director

Please Note: The Leader in Training Program is a 2 week program which runs concurrently with every regular 2 week Adventure Camp session.

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LEADER-IN-TRAINING APPLICATION

Please answer the following. You may use additional sheets of paper, if you need more space.

NAME: _____ **PHONE:** () _____

Session Choice: Please rank the sessions in the order of your preferred attendance:

Session 1 ____ **Session 2** ____ **Session 3** ____ **PARENT EMAIL:** _____

1. Have you previously attended Adventure Camp? If yes, please list the year(s). Have you been a LIT before? If so how many year(s)?

2. If you attended another summer camp, please list the year(s) and types of programs, noting if it was a day camp or overnight camp.

3. Why do you want to be an Adventure Camp LIT, If you already have, what brings you back?

4. LIT's are expected to act as role models and leaders amongst the camper community. What kinds of things will and/or have you done to benefit our camp community?

5. What do you think makes camp such a valuable experience for young people? What is one thing you would say to a new camper to help them feel more comfortable?

6. Camp has tremendous value for everyone involved but it is also supposed to be fun! Describe something fun we could do this summer at adventure camp. Be creative but also be realistic. This input could very likely be used this summer!

Fax (603) 525-4151

Or

Email PDF to: matt@naturesclassroom.org

Questions? Please contact Matt at 603-525-3311 ext 31 or email matt@naturesclassroom.org