



Day Camp 2022

| Paid Counselor | Application Process

Application: Please make your application contactless.

To apply for a Camp Counselor position:

Fill out **the 2 pages** of the application ONLY (printed & scanned) and submit it with a cover letter and CV.

DUE DATE: Before Wednesday, March 2 2022 at 11:00 pm.

Please submit application to

to Yvonne.ford@forestbrook.ca

marked

“Attention: Yvonne Ford Day Camp Counselor Application”

DUE DATE: Wednesday, March 2 2022 at 11:00PM

Interview:

Applicants who are applying to be a **paid** member of our Day Camp Team will be informed as to our interest in an interview. It will be with the Children’s Pastor and interview team. These times will be scheduled during the month of March.

Training and weeks of hire: For [all](#) counselors

Training will begin on Monday July 11, 2022. It will continue until Friday July 22. All successful candidates will work continuously, Monday to Friday, from July 11 to August 19; with the exception of civic and statutory holidays, for training and then counseling.

SHIFTS:

Under the COVID-19 scenario, the only shifts that counselors will work will be 8:30-4:30 each day, M-F.

Job offers will be confirmed with successful candidates as soon as the Canada Summer Jobs program has approved our grants.

This usually happens in early April.

Questions? Please contact Yvonne Ford at yvonne.ford@forestbrook.ca

Counselor

Role Description

FBCC DAY CAMP 2022

A Camp Counselor will:

Work on a team to ensure that all our campers have a quality day camp experience. This would include:

- **Group leadership:** with the help of one or two LITs, helping a small group of children to feel safe and secure as well as encouraging their full enjoyment and involvement in the activities at camp. The role of counselor as role model and disciple is significant in this position
- **Program enhancement:** planning, implementing, and completing tasks as is needed to ensure that the activities of camp are quality, fun and very thematic.
- **Elective leadership and assistance:** Lead an elective in either the Arts or Sports/Active games, and/or helping an elective leader to run their elective.

Qualifications:

- Must be able to share things of the Christian Faith from the perspective of a Follower of Jesus Christ who is choosing to live a life submitted and committed to Him as they see it reflecting truths found in the Bible.
- Previous experience with children, preferably within a camp context as well
- Leadership experience
- Must be able to work the complete number of weeks of camp and attend the training days
- Full time
- Should be able to understand the team dynamic and work within the leadership structure put in place in such a way as to benefit everyone within the camp environment.
- Be fun, creative, enthusiastic and organized.
- Responsible and respectful

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Arrive and depart responsibly in enough time to attend devotions and debrief with the Director
- Wear your Day Camp shirt, bringing everything you need for the day
- To abide strictly by the Policies and Procedures set out by Forest Brook Community Church
- Be a positive role model:
 - To stay on task and engaged throughout the entire day
 - To respectfully acknowledge the presence of other counselors and leaders but remain focused on the children and their needs.
 - To behave in such a way as to reflect the behavior wanted from the campers; respectful, engaged, encouraging, loving, unifying, helpful, etc.
 - To listen to and respond appropriately to those in leadership over you
 - Return from breaks with promptness, showing punctuality
 - Remaining in designated parts of the building only; those appropriate for counselors.

Day Camp Application

For those who 16 to 30 years of age

Name _____ Your Camp Nick-Name _____ Gender: _____

Age _____ Date of Birth ____/____/____ Grade Completed: _____ Adult T-shirt Size _____

(Note: successful applicants over the age of 18 will be required to get a Vulnerable Sector Police Check)

CORRESPONDANCE:

YOUR Email Address _____ Phone () _____

Address _____ Apt. Number _____ Postal Code _____ City _____

____ I AM **RETURNING**
to Day Camp

How have you been involved in Forest Brook Day Camp before?

Position: _____ Year(s): _____

Position: _____ Year(s): _____

____ I AM a **FIRST TIME** applicant to at Forest Brook Day Camp

I am applying for:

Camp Counsellor : click all which apply

With an interest in Kinder Kamp (ages 4-6)

With an interest in Kids Camp (ages 6-12)

With an Arts, crafts, emphasis

With a sports/active games emphasis

Other: _____

Briefly discuss why you would like to be part of our Day Camp 2022:

and why this position:

EXPERIENCES AND INTERESTS

Leadership Experiences: _____

Hobbies/extracurricular: _____

Work with Children or camp: _____

SPIRITUAL JOURNEY:

Is Forest Brook your home church? ____ For how long? _____

If not, do you have another religious institution you attend? _____

What is its name? _____

How often would you interact with others from the church at a scheduled event in a two month period? _____

Besides attending/watching a major weekly service/event, are you involved in any other way?

Would you describe yourself as a Christian? Yes No. **If yes,** how long have you been a Christian? _____

Briefly discuss your experience in becoming a follower of Jesus Christ _____

Briefly discuss how being a follower of Jesus Christ affects your everyday life: _____

If no, how would you describe your spirituality? _____

Are you aware that we are a church camp and therefore will ask you to respect our beliefs and values while you are working with us, upholding them before the children? _____

LOCAL PERSONAL REFERENCES (Must be 18 years old or older and not related to you)

REFERENCE #1:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

EMAIL Address: _____ Phone: _____

Comments (staff use): _____

REFERENCE #2:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

EMAIL Address: _____ Phone: _____

Comments (staff use): _____

Authorization and release:

I hereby authorize Forest Brook Community Church to verify all information contained in this application with any references, or any other, churches or other organizations and any individuals to disclose any and all information to Forest Brook Community Church.

I release all such persons or entities from liability that may result or arise from Forest Brook Community Church’s collections of all such evaluations or information or its consideration of my application.

Applicant Signature _____

Date _____