SUMMER DAY CAMP COUNSELLOR

Want to make a lasting (good) impression on the lives of some kids this summer? Are you between the ages of 15-30? This is a 35 hr/wk Monday-Friday position lasting from July 7 – August 15,2024. You'll be working, in a team environment, with a small number of kids each week providing a safe, exciting and fun Day Camp experience.

Online Application (click here) Deadline: April, 42025

What You'll Do:

With the help of one or two youth Leaders-in-Training (LiTs), you'll be helping a small group of kids to feel safe and secure while encouraging them to enjoy and fully participate in our Day Camp program and activities. And/Or, you may be asked (or you may choose) to work as an auxiliary counsellor with campers who have special needs in a 1-to-1 relationship, or helping with camp-wide events and activities. As a counsellor, you'll model engagement, enthusiasm, cooperation and relationship. You'll also:

·Help to lead an elective activity offered each week which campers will have pre-selected.

·Supervise and coordinate the efforts of one or two LiTs assigned to your group each week.

•Participate in training, debriefs and counsellor meetings to help the camp team forge a positive and energetic environment for the whole group.

 \cdot Follow the lead of the Senior and LiT Day Camp Directors and support them by doing what they ask you to do.

What You'll Bring:

•Your faith. We're a Christian camp so we're eager to model the same love and behaviours that Jesus showed for everyone – so it helps if that's really important to you too.

•Some previous experience working with kids, preferable in a camp context. Huge bonus! •Leadership experience!

•Your commitment to be ready, available and willing to work the full term of the contract (includes two weeks of training before camp starts).

•Flexibility and adaptability – this is a team effort and we really want you to be able to go with the flow and follow the leader(s).

•Creativity and enthusiasm. Kids LOVE to have fun, and so do we. You'll keep them safe while helping deliver a program that gives them real joy.

•Some respect for parents because you'll be interacting with them during drop-off and pick-up every day. They'll want to get to know they can trust you!

Interested?

1. <u>CLICK HERE</u> to complete an online application form by: April 4, 2025

2. Email a copy of your resume to daycamp@forestbrook.ca

Job offers will be confirmed with successful candidates upon approval of Canada Summer Jobs program grants (approximately the end of April)