



## COUNSELOR IN TRAINING (CIT) APPLICATION

Summer Escape Camp at Eli Whitney School, Enfield, CT

Name:		Date:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:	Email:
Name of High School:		
State:	Grade in Fall:	Year Graduating:
Please indicate which weeks you are available to participate this summer (Minimum of 2 weeks): ___ Week of July 1 <sup>st</sup> (Closed July 4)    ___ Week of July 8 <sup>th</sup> ___ Week of July 15 <sup>th</sup> ___ Week of July 22 <sup>nd</sup> ___ Week of July 29 <sup>th</sup> ___ Week of August 5 <sup>th</sup> ___ Week of August 12 <sup>th</sup>		
I understand that mandatory training will be held prior to the beginning of camp. I will make myself available for all trainings that occur.		
_____ (signature)		_____ (date)
Experience: List all activities in which you have been involved in such as hobbies, sports, youth groups, music, clubs, and/or volunteer activities.*Please attach additional sheets of paper as needed.		
Activity	Location	# years involved
Do you have experience working with younger children? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (List them below)		
Camp Experience: Have you ever been a camper? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (List them below)		
Name and Location of camp	# of years	Type of camp (Day/resident)
References: Please list three references (not relatives or peers) who have knowledge of your character, experiences and abilities. Be sure reference forms are completed and returned to ERfC. You may want to supply your references with the form and an envelope addressed to ERfC.		
Name:	Address:	Phone:
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Applicant Signature: _____ Print Name: _____		Date: _____
Parent Signature: _____ Print Name: _____		Date: _____
T-Shirt Size _____		

*For further information about ERfC, visit our website at [www.erfcinc.org](http://www.erfcinc.org) or call (860) 253-9935.*

**Please return this application to:**  
 Educational Resources for Children, Inc. (ERfC)  
 Enfield Office Suites, 174 South Road, Suite 200, Enfield, CT 06082

## Rate your characteristics

In an effort to better know and understand you as a member of the Counselor-in-Training (CIT) team, we are asking you to complete the following grid then make comments below. There are no right or wrong answers. Please describe yourself by rating the following statements in a manner that best describes you.

	1 this is exactly me	2 this is kind of me	3 Sometimes yes, sometimes no	4 this is only a little me	5 this is not me at all
I am a team player					
I like to jump right into a project					
I hold back and observe before I get involved in new situations					
I enjoy working with children					
I enjoy working with children who are 6 – 8					
I enjoy working with children who are 8 – 10					
I enjoy working with children who are 10 – 12					
I enjoy spending time with my peers					
I enjoy spending time with adults other than my parents					
I enjoy drawing, painting, and creating craft items					
I enjoy technology					
I know my way around a computer					
I enjoy cooking and experimenting with recipes					
I enjoy STEM/STEAM activities					
I enjoy playing board and card games					
I enjoy ice skating					
I like to swim					
I can set my cell phone aside and participate in activities					
I like to be organized					
I can carry on a conversation with children					
I can carry on a conversation with my peers					
I can carry on a conversation with adults					
I work well within a structured environment					
I am not distracted by my cell phone					
I can participate in activities as directed					
I can keep children engaged in activities					
I can recognize children when they are distracted					
I manage my stress well					
I can control my levels of frustration					
I am a good leader					
I am cooperative when engaged in activities					
I am warm and outgoing					
I am a very private and secretive					
I work independently without a lot of direction					
I can solve problems presented to me					
I have a good sense of humor					

**Please comment on your top five items above.**

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<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	
<b>5</b>	