



2024 Multi-County 4-H Camp Counselor Application



Due Date: February 1, 2024 (Return to your local Extension Office)

Camp Dates: June 17-22, 2024

Name: _____

County: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Cell phone: _____

Can you receive texts regarding Camp? ____ How often do you check email? __ Daily __ Weekly __ Monthly

If you are on Facebook, please "Like" facebook.com/mc4hcamp. We will post updates there in addition to emails.

Age on Oct. 1, 2023 _____ Current grade in School _____ Gender: _____

[Must be at least 13 on 10/1/23 to apply.]

How many years have you been involved in 4-H? (including Cloverbuds) _____

Are you a Teen Leader or Project Helper in your Club? (list project areas) _____

***** All Questions must be Completed *****

Why do you want to be a 4-H Camp Counselor? _____

We have many applicants each year for the Camp Counselor positions that are filled. Why should we select you over someone of a similar age and experience level? _____

Describe the character traits and personal qualities of the "perfect" Camp Counselor. _____

If you have been to any camp before in any role, what is your most memorable Camp experience, and why? _____

What one accomplishment in your life you are most proud of, and why? _____

Describe your most meaningful leadership experience. _____

What other leadership experiences you have had? _____

Describe your experience(s) working with youth ages 8-12? _____

As a Camp Counselor you will be expected to work effectively as a team member with the other counselors. Describe your experiences working as a member of a team. _____

As a Camp Counselor you will be expected to be a positive role model. Describe how you have been a role model to youth your age or younger. _____

Please review the following dates with your schedule – attendance at all trainings is expected.

- **Camp Planning & Training Dates:** Sunday, February 18, 2024 (10am-3pm)
Sunday, March 17, 2024 (10am-3pm)
Sunday, April 14, 2024 (10am-3pm)
Sunday, May 19, 2024 (10am-3pm)
- **Camp Dates:** June 17-22, 2024*
- **Location:** Darrell E. Fenner 4-H Camp on Loon Lake near Ferndale, MT

***Note Arrival and Departure Times:**

- **Camp Staff** arrive after 3pm on Monday, June 17th to prepare for camper arrival on Tuesday
- **Camp Staff** will leave by 11 am on Saturday, June 22nd
- Campers will arrive after 1 pm on Tuesday, June 18th
- Campers will leave by 11 am on Friday, June 21st – Remaining time will be for camp staff evaluation & recreation.

Can you attend the planning/training dates (times listed on page 3, locations to be announced later)?

Sun. Feb 18th ____ Y / ____ N Sun. Mar 17th ____ Y / ____ N Sun. May 19th ____ Y / ____ N

Sun. Apr 14th ____ Y / ____ N

Can you fully attend 4-H Camp (including pre-Camp setup and post-Camp evaluation)? ____ Yes ____ No

If No, please explain: _____

Multi-County 4-H Camp Code of Conduct (In addition to Montana 4-H Code of Conduct for 4-H Members):

1. No one is permitted at the lake except during water time or with adult supervision.
2. You must be on time and attend all workshops and activities.
3. Respect quiet time from 10:00 pm to 7:00 am
4. Remain in camp boundaries.
5. Respect other staff, campers and their property.
6. No boys in girl's cabins or vice-versa at any time.
7. No all-night parties.
8. Once camp starts, there will not be any separate events or parties that do not include the entire camp.

I agree to comply with the code of conduct for Western Montana Multi-County 4-H Camp. In addition, I agree to perform to the best of my ability all activities providing a meaningful camping experience for the campers attending the camp for which I am selected as a Counselor.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Previous 4-H Camp Counselors: Please answer the following questions:

Would you like to be considered for the Junior Camp Director position? ___ Yes ___ No

What are some areas for improvement that we can focus on during Camp trainings and planning sessions? _____

What ideas or suggestions do you have for workshops for Multi-County camp? [star (*) any you would be willing/able to teach] _____

What have you Learned in counselor trainings and/or by serving as a counselor? (things like Knowledge, Attitudes, Skills, Opinions, Aspirations, Motivations, etc.) _____

What Actions have you taken (how has being a Camp Counselor impacted the things you Do)? (things like Behavior, Decision-making, Social Action, etc.) _____

How have you Changed (how has being a Camp Counselor impacted your life)? (things like Social or Economic status, Civic engagement, etc.) _____
