

# Summer Camp Staff Application

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Please fill out this form completely and carefully. Print clearly or type and submit with a cover letter and resume. If you have any questions or need more information, please call 715-824-2428.

## Applicant Information

Applying for:  Counselor/Naturalist  
 Senior Counselor/Naturalist  
 Health Care Counselor

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI

Permanent address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip code

Current address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip code

Permanent phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Current phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_

Are you at least 18 years old by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have a valid drivers' license? \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you hear about the Environmental Station? \_\_\_\_\_

## Questions for Cover Letter:

Please respond to the following questions within your cover letter. This is your opportunity to communicate your interest and qualifications for the position for which you are applying.

- What contributions do you think you can make to CWES, summer campers, and fellow program staff?
- What contributions do you think a well-run camp can make to children?
- Write a brief biographical sketch including any training and experience with children, camping, environmental education, and/or other fields that may have a bearing on a position at CWES.

## Education

Circle the last school year completed:

High school 9 10 11 12 College 1 2 3 4 5 Masters Degree 1 2

School/college name	Address	Major/minor	Dates attended
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Please list coursework, workshops, or training you have taken which are relevant to the position for which you are applying.


List any current certifications you have and their expiration date. (lifeguard, CPR, etc.)


## Camp skills

### Please rate the following as:

- 1 – Knowledgeable in subject matter and comfortable leading program
- 2 – Some knowledge and able to lead program with limited training
- 3 – Little or no knowledge, but willing to learn
- 4 – No interest in learning or teaching topic

#### Nature education

- Plants
- Water
- Wildlife
- Composting
- Alternative energies
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Arts and Crafts

- Journaling
- Nature crafts
- Tye dye
- Painting/drawing
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Waterfront

- Swimming
- Canoeing
- Kayaking
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Evening Programs

- Astronomy
- Musical instruments
- Storytelling
- Night hikes
- Skits
- Campfire songs
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Outdoor skills

- Archery
- Tree climbing
- Orienteering
- Survival
- Tracking
- Primitive camping
- Challenge course/group initiatives
- Outdoor cooking
- First aid
- Fishing
- Fly tying
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

May we contact the previous employers, references, and schools named on this form?

YES  NO (IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN) \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that all the information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that any false or missing information may disqualify me for employment and/or if hired, result in my dismissal at any time.

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



**Thank you for your time and interest in CWES Summer Camp.**  
**For more information about CWES and its programs, go to: [www.uwsp.edu/cwes](http://www.uwsp.edu/cwes)**

Please mail application, cover letter and resume to:  
Tom Quinn, Program Manager, 10186 County Road MM, Amherst Junction, WI 54407