



Junior Counselor Application

HighOkica 2017
(Highland Oaks Kids Camp)

July 21-25, 2017
Lake Lavon Camp

We're so excited about camp this year. You will make such a difference in the life of the young kids in our church, and we are so pleased you are willing to use your gifts to serve this way. Please complete the application below and return to Becky Burroughs as soon as possible.

****Service Hours are available****

Name _____

Address _____

Home phone _____

Cell phone _____

Email _____

Requirements for JCs (expectations are listed on the back)

- Age range for JC's are those who have **completed** 8th grade thru graduated from High School.
- Cost for camp for JC's is \$185 (early bird price \$160 if you register by May 31).
- Non-refundable \$75 due upon registration. Final balance due by July 1.

Have you been a camp counselor before? Circle Y or N below

Y/N for HOCC Kids Camp

Y/N for another Kids Camp

Why do you want to be a Junior Counselor?

What qualifications or talents do you have that would help you be a Junior Counselor? _____

Do you have a preference on which grade/age group with whom you would like to work? _____

Is there another JC you would like to partner with for the week? _____

Personal Reference (other than parent) Name _____ phone/email _____

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Expectations of Junior Counselors:

You will be an energetic participant in camp activities.

You will stay with your campers during all the hours you are "on duty". Never leave your kids unattended.

You will be a great Christian example to the campers who look up to you.

You will arrive early to get unpacked and be ready to greet campers.

You will get up before your campers each morning so that you are available to help them get ready.

You will always be hands on. Even when you might not be needed to actually perform a task, sit with the kids. Talk with them, get to know them. In crafts, sit at the table with them. In Bible, help them look up scripture. When we are outside, play the games with them. This is your time to really get involved in their life.

We have cabin devotionals before bedtime. JC's are sometimes asked by their counselor to lead these. Any materials or plans you might need for this is provided for you. They are not hard. Just a time to reflect with the kids on what they learned during the day and what they enjoyed doing.

JC's are given free time at night after you help get the campers ready for bed. You have an hour or so to hang out together, play games, and eat snacks.

You will be paired with at least one other teenager.

You will have at least two adult counselors in your cabin.

You will avoid being on your cell phone when you are on duty with campers unless it is an emergency situation. (Bring your cell phone at your own risk. It is not required.)

Signed _____ Date _____

Parent's signature as permission to serve as a JC _____

Please return this form to Becky Burroughs as soon as possible.

Email at bburroughs@hocc.org or mail to: Highland Oaks, 10805 Walnut Hill Lane, Dallas, TX 75238