

### Before You Apply

- Ensure you have read and are happy to abide by the Counselor Expectations (Stage 1), and the Counselor Policies (Stage 2).
- Check your dates: if you have to leave camp for college orientation that is fine, just plan this with Elizabeth as soon as possible. If you have a choice when to leave, it is better to leave during the term than during Staff Training. There will be plenty of coverage for you during the term but the materials you miss during Staff Training will be difficult to make up.
- Want to work in the Swimming or Canoeing department? You need to be lifeguard certified! You will be paid extra by Camp Alleghany for your extra duties and responsibilities, but you must have this certification.
- Want to work in the Rifle Department? You will need to attend Alleghany's Rifle School, which begins on Tuesday, June 17th at 5:00 p.m.
- Please inform Elizabeth if you will need to be certified or re-certified in CPR during Staff Training week. If you were certified at camp last year, you do not need to be re-certified this summer.
- Make sure you have a current and up-to-date email address that you **check regularly**. You will receive a lot of important information via email. It's imperative that you have an updated account and that you check it!
- Contact Elizabeth if you have any questions about being a counselor, or any concerns at all. Before you even apply, it is better to clear the air of anything that may hinder you from being the best counselor you can be.