

Camp Dixie Youth Leadership Team Responsibilities

Purpose: To work together with the Camp Dixie summer counselors in their shared ministry to the campers by being a Christian role model, leader, listener, and friend.

Responsibilities:

1. To encourage and provide an atmosphere of Christian values within the camp community.
2. To serve as a Christian role model to the campers
3. To support, accompany, and be responsible to the counselors AT ALL TIMES.
4. To follow through responsibly with the requests of the counselors or other staff.

Responsible to:

1. Counselors
2. Program Director
3. Camp Director

Qualifications:

1. Youth Leadership Team members must be at least 15 years of age, and must be two years older than the oldest campers the week they are working.
2. Youth Leadership Team members must be willing to share themselves and their faith in a camp setting.
3. Youth Leadership Team members must maintain a positive attitude.
4. Youth Leadership Team members must be willing to fulfill the weekly responsibilities assigned to them.
5. Youth Leadership Team members must be willing to abide by Camp Dixie rules and policies. Including the policies and guidelines below.

Camp Dixie Youth Leadership Team policies and guidelines

Conduct: Since all Youth Leadership Team members represent Camp Dixie, we expect you to be positive Christian role models to all guests and campers throughout your stay. Romantic relationships between Youth Leadership Team members and campers, and Youth Leadership Team members and counselors are not allowed.

Health Form: All Youth Leadership Team members must submit a health form prior to their arrival at camp. Camp will provide the form.

Visitors: Visitors of Youth Leadership Team members are not allowed (this includes friends, family, or other Youth Leadership Team members not working during your week). Visitors will distract the Youth Leadership Team member from his or her ministry to the campers.

Personal Possessions: There is limited space available for storage of personal gear. Packing light is an important consideration. Camp Dixie is not responsible for any lost or stolen articles.

Private Vehicles: Private Vehicles are not permitted to be used while at Camp Dixie (except in cases of emergency when approved by the Camp Director.) You will hand in your keys to the program staff upon your arrival at Camp Dixie, they will be returned to you on the last day of your camp session.

Firearms and weapons: Firearms and weapons (including knives) are not permitted at Camp Dixie.

Cellphones: Cellphones distract Youth Leadership Team members from their ministry at Camp Dixie, and will be handed in to the program staff upon arrival at Camp. Your phone will be returned to you the last day of your camp session. Youth Leadership Team members can utilize their phones during a camp session ONLY if requested in writing by parents/guardians.

Guidelines:

1. Always use common sense. You are a Christian role model – Camp Dixie has very high expectations of you.
2. Youth Leadership Team members are expected to do all that campers do – you must play the games and be involved.
3. Campers take on YOUR attitude, so have a positive, Christian attitude at all times.
4. Youth Leadership Team members are not allowed to leave camp property during their stay, except with specific permission.