

YMCA CAMP WOODSTOCK: 2019 LIT REFERENCE FORM

This applicant has applied to our Leader-In-Training (LIT) Program at YMCA Camp Woodstock and has chosen you as their reference. The primary purpose of this intensive, four-week program is to teach leadership skills that will benefit the LIT in his/her home, school and community. The experience is designed to teach leadership skills including communication, sound decision-making and conflict resolution. These skills are taught through discussions, teambuilding workshops, guest speakers and hands-on leadership opportunities. All the while emphasizing the YMCA's core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. Since the applicant will be working directly with children as part of the training, it is very important to us to select eager and capable teens as LITs.

Please mail or fax this form to us directly.
This form will be kept confidential.

YMCA Camp Woodstock
42 Camp Rd.
Woodstock Valley, CT 06282
Fax: (860) 974-0754
Attn: LIT Application

Applicant's Name: _____

Reference's Name: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____ **In what capacity?** _____

What specific reason(s) would you give for accepting this individual into the program?

What are his or her strengths as a positive leader/role model in his or her community?

In what areas for growth does this individual need to mature to be a stronger leader/role model in his or her community?

If you were a parent, would you be comfortable knowing that the applicant might eventually become your child's counselor? Why or why not?

Do you know any reason why this applicant should not be working with the campers? Please explain thoroughly. Again, this will be kept confidential.

Thank you for completing this reference. Please note that incomplete references may affect the applicant's acceptance. Feel free to provide additional comments on a separate sheet of paper. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Camp Woodstock by phone at 860-974-1336 ext 12.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Printed Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

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