



Mashpee Recreation

Counselor in Training Program

Summer Camp 2025

<u>Program Dates:</u>	June 23rd—August 15th
<u>Eligible:</u>	Students entering 8 th or 9 th Grade in the Fall of 2025
<u>Location:</u>	K.C.Coombs Elementary School
<u>Hours:</u>	Program runs Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
<u>Cost:</u>	No cost, minimum commitment of 4 weeks

How to Apply: All applicants must:

- Complete this application form for Counselor in Training
- Go to mashpeerec.com to download, fill out the Summer Camp Registration Form. Please note that medical and immunization records as well as a current photo are required
- Submit a one paragraph recommendation letter from a teacher, coach or other community member stating why this applicant would be a good candidate for The Mashpee Recreation Summer Camp CIT Program
- Submit a one paragraph essay describing your experience working with or caring for children and stating why you would like to be a counselor in training
- Complete an interview with Recreation Department/Summer Camp personnel
- Submit all required information by Monday, May 5th

Program Content:

Our CIT Program is open to teens entering grades 8 and 9 in the Fall of 2025. Our CIT participants must be responsible, hard-working and cooperative team members. They must be able to work with children, take direction and engage in both indoor and outdoor activities. The CIT Program will be led by Veteran Summer Camp Counselors who will act as mentors to our CITs as they grow and learn throughout the summer.

Responsibilities:

Each CIT will be assigned to work with a group of children varying in ages from 5-12 under the direction of certified summer staff counselors. Counselors in Training will be asked to lead and support various activities including sports/games, swimming, arts and crafts, talent shows, music, playground games and more. Daily team meetings with lead counselors and CITs will discuss strategies, create games and activity projects, set goals and ask questions as well as assist staff with these groups on a daily basis.

*Please complete both the Mashpee Summer Camp Application and the CIT Application. Submit these forms via email camp@mashpeema.gov or in person at the recreation office along with your reference letter, personal essay, immunization/medical records and a recent photo. Incomplete or late registrations will **NOT** be accepted under any circumstance. Our office is located at 520 Main Street, Rte. 130. Our hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Applicants will be notified of their acceptance by May 19th. Please check your email regularly for important notifications.*

Applications are due by Monday, May 5, 2025

Decisions will be made by Monday, May 19, 2025



2025 Counselor in Training Program Application

NAME : _____ Date of Birth : _____

Grade as of Fall 2025 : _____ E-Mail : _____

**** (Please check your email regularly for important notifications) ****

Address : _____

City, State Zip Code : _____

Home Phone : _____ Cell phone : _____ Cell Carrier : _____

Parent/Guardian Name : _____

Parent Email : _____ Parent Cell # _____

Emergency Contact : _____ Cell # _____

Would you be able to attend a pre-session orientation meeting? YES NO
(Date and time TBD)

Which sessions are you available for? (Minimum 4 weeks)

Week 1 : June 23rd—June 27th

Week 5 : July 21st—July 25th

Week 2 : June 30th—July 4th (no camp 7/4)

Week 6 : July 28th—August 1st

Week 3 : July 7th—July 11th

Week 7 : August 4th—August 8th

Week 4 : July 14th—July 18th

Week 8 : August 11th—August 15th

Which **THREE** camp activities would you most like to be involved with? (Please circle)

Swimming

Art & Crafts

Dance/Theater

Archery

Drama

Outdoors

Tennis

Music

Science Exploration

Field Sports

Nature

Games/Playground

Applicant Signature : _____ Date : _____

Parental Agreement:

I hereby give consent for my child to participate in the CIT Program at the Mashpee Recreation Summer Camp Program if selected.

Parent/Guardian Signature : _____ Date : _____