

WI 4-H Arts Camp Counselor and Adult Advisor Roles & Responsibilities

The Junior Director/s works in partnership (youth/adult partnership) with the 4-H Arts Camp Planning Team and UW Extension Staff to plan and facilitate all activities at Arts Camp.

Qualifications:

- Must be enrolled as a 4-H member
- Understand youth/adult partnerships
- Attend planning/training weekend
- Desire and ability to work with peers and middle school youth

Specific Tasks:

- Assist in the direction, supervision and organization of campers in their cabins, activities and throughout camp
- Participate enthusiastically in all program activities
- Be a role model with a positive attitude and behavior
- Follow, uphold and maintain standards of safety consistent with University of Wisconsin Risk Management Procedures

Benefits:

- Hands-on experience working with youth
- Share creativity through the arts
- Meet new people and create lasting relationships
- Opportunity to be part of a fun week!

Activity Counselors work with the camper color groups to assure campers are fully engaged in the Art Camp Experience.

Qualifications:

- Must be enrolled as a 4-H Youth
- Understand youth/adult partnerships
- Attending planning/training weekend
- Highly motivated to help campers enjoy their Arts camp experience
- Desire and ability to work with peers, children and adults

Specific Tasks:

- Assist in the direction, supervision and organization of campers in their color groups
- Participate enthusiastically in program activities
- Be a role model with a positive attitude and behavior
- Follow, uphold and maintain standards of safety consistent with University of Wisconsin Risk Management Procedures

Benefits:

- Hands-on experience working with youth
 - Share creativity through the arts
 - Meet new people and create lasting relationships
 - Opportunity to be part of a fun week!
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Track Counselors work in youth/adult partnerships with Adult Resource Leaders to focus on a specific “Art” Track.

Qualifications:

- Must be enrolled as a 4-H Youth
- Understand youth/adult partnerships
- Attending planning/training weekend
- Highly motivated to help campers enjoy their Arts camp experience
- Desire and ability to work with middle school youth and adult volunteers

Specific Tasks:

- Create hands on art lesson plans
- Participate enthusiastically in all program activities
- Be a role model with a positive attitude and behavior
- Follow, uphold and maintain standards of safety consistent with University of Wisconsin Risk Management Procedures

Benefits:

- Hands-on experience working with youth
 - Share creativity through the arts
 - Meet new people and create lasting relationships
 - Opportunity to be part of a fun week!
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Adult Resource Leader work in a youth/adult partnership with Track Counselors to develop the track lessons plans and offer support during the sessions.

Qualifications:

- Must be enrolled as a Certified 4H Volunteer Leader and completed the Youth Protection Process
- Understand youth/adult partnerships
- Attend the Mandatory Adult Advisor Training at camp
- Desire and ability to work with middle and high school youth

Specific Tasks:

- Work in a youth/adult partnership with Track Counselors to create lesson plans
- Offer support to Track Counselors; allowing youth leaders to teach and lead
- Participate enthusiastically in program activities
- Be a role model with a positive attitude and behavior
- Follow, uphold and maintain standards of safety consistent with University of Wisconsin Risk Management Procedures

Benefits:

- Hands-on experience working with youth
 - Share creativity through the arts
 - Meet new people and create lasting relationships
 - Opportunity to be part of a fun week!
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Adult Advisors work in partnership with the 4-H Art Team and UW Extension Staff to support all activities in a camp setting and help inspire and support counselors in their leadership roles. The Adult Advisor is responsible for supporting the Activity Counselors in providing for the physical and emotional safety and well-being of all campers.

Qualifications:

- Must be enrolled as a Leader on 4honline.com and complete the Youth Protection Process
- Understand youth/adult partnerships
- Attend the Mandatory Adult Advisor Training at camp
- Desire and ability to work with teens and children

Specific Tasks:

- Assure campers are properly supervised
- Assist in the direction, supervision and organization of campers in their cabins, Activities and throughout camp
- Assist with oversight of campers during the counselor scavenger hunt
- Assist camp counselors with day sessions and evening program activities
- Participate enthusiastically in program activities
- Assist youth as caregiver, helping them with social conflicts, homesickness, etc.
- Be a role model to campers and counselors with a positive attitude and behavior
- Follow, uphold and maintain standards of safety consistent with University of Wisconsin Risk Management Procedures

Benefits:

- Hands-on experience working with youth
- Share creativity through the arts
- Meet new people and create lasting relationships
- Opportunity to be part of a fun week!