# HEAD COUNSELOR (HC)

SEASONAL: MID-JUNE - MID AUGUST



#### **POSITION:**

Head Counselors (HC) at Camp Wicosuta are members of the Leadership Team and hold the responsibility of directly supervising camp staff and overseeing the daily operations of a specific age group. This role involves mentoring counselors, ensuring the well-being of campers, and maintaining high standards of safety.

Camp Wicosuta has 8 specific age groups, ranging from 7/8 years old (completing 1st and 2nd grade) through 15 years old (completing Freshman year of high school). As a member of the leadership team, each HC is not only a leader within their age group but around the entire camp community.

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Provide guidance and support to a designated group of campers and staff, ensuring their emotional and physical well-being
- Oversee day-to-day operations of camper living areas, helping to maintain a safe, respectful and positive atmosphere
- Serve as a mentor and role model for staff, assisting in their professional development by staff evaluations and providing constructive feedback throughout the summer
- Facilitate communication between campers, parents, staff, addressing any concerns in a timely and effective manner.
- Help provide staff training by leading and supporting Camp Wicosuta Orientation sessions
- Implement and enforce Camp Wicosuta rules and safety procedures
- Serve as member of the Leadership Team playing an integral role in our community
- Assist in the training and orientation of new staff members.
- Handle any behavioral issues among campers and staff in a fair and consistent manner.

# **SCHEDULE & SALARY:**

This is a temporary, seasonal position on-site in Hebron, New Hampshire from late-May/early-June to mid-August. The salary is competitive and includes housing, meals, and additional staff benefits. For more info, <u>click here.</u>



#### **ABOUT WICOSUTA**

Camp Wicosuta is a traditional sleepaway camp for girls located in Hebron, New Hampshire. We run two distinct sessions each serving 300 campers and 170 staff. Our our 3 Cs philosophy is centered on confidence, competence, and community. We offer a diverse range of activities including athletics, aquatics, creative arts, performing arts, and environmental education.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

Candidates should have experience and/or a desire to work with school-aged children. This position demands high flexibility, a strong work ethic, warmth, initiative, and problem-solving skills.

- 2 years of successful experience in a camp or similar setting
- Currently pursing a master's degree or equivalent professional experience required
- Strong background in education, counseling, child development or related field
- Proven leadership and interpersonal skills with the ability to manage a team and foster a collaborative environment
- Excellent communication skills, both verbal and written
- Enthusiasm, sense of humor, patience and strong work ethic
- Ability to work collaboratively

### **APPLICATION**

Please complete an online application, and a member of our team will reach out to you shortly!

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