

Girl Scouts of Central and Western Massachusetts, Inc.  
**APPLICATION FOR DAY CAMP INTERNSHIP**

**Qualifications:**

- \* Be a registered Girl Scout (or willing to register) entering 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade in fall 2009.
- \* Have demonstrated an interest in working with children.
- \* Demonstrate a willingness to accept all people and work with them in a camp setting
- \* Enjoy the out-of-doors and those activities associated with camping.

**Instructions:**

- \* Please type or print clearly.
- \* Return to Emily Owen, Outdoor Program Manager, GSCWM, 40 Harkness Ave., East Longmeadow, MA 01028 along with names of three people you have given reference forms to (see below) by April 1, 2009.

Name _____	Phone _____
Your Camp Name( if applicable) _____	E-mail _____
Address _____	
City _____	State _____ Zip _____
Birth date _____	School attending _____ Grade in Sept. _____

# of years in Girl Scouting as a Daisy \_\_\_\_\_ Brownie \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_\_ Cadette \_\_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_\_ Ambassador \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been to camp (day or overnight)?  Yes  No If yes, please list the camps that you have attended:

**TRAINING**

Do you have a current first aid certificate? If so, check the kind you have and list expiration date:

First Aid (date of expiration: \_\_\_\_\_) Title of Course \_\_\_\_\_  
 CPR (date of expiration: \_\_\_\_\_) Title of Course \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other Training Courses: \_\_\_\_\_

**SKILLS INVENTORY**

The following is a list of activities that are offered at camp. Please check the **L** box for those activities that you are able to *lead*, **A** for those activities that you are able to *assist* teaching or **I** for those activities which *interest* you.

**L A I**

**Camping Skills**

- Camp Skills
- Backpacking
- Hiking
- Outdoor Cooking
- Orienteering/ GPS

**Arts and Crafts**

- Nature Crafts
- Pottery
- Jewelry
- Screen Printing
- Painting
- Weaving
- Other (list) \_\_\_\_\_

**L A I**

**Dramatics and Music**

- Leading Songs
- Creative Dramatics
- Skits
- Guitar
- Dance
- Other (list) \_\_\_\_\_

**General Sports**

- Archery
- Field Games
- Teambuilding
- Volleyball

**Water Sports/Adventure**

- Canoeing
- Kayaking

**L A I**

**Water Sports/Adventure**

- Sailing
- Waterskiing
- Swimming
- Low Ropes Course
- Rock Climbing
- Caving

**Nature Studies**

- Astronomy
- Conservation
- Weather
- Plant Life/Trees
- Insects
- Animals and Birds
- General Nature Studies

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## GENERAL QUESTIONS

Describe your camping experience below. Include family, Girl Scout and other camping experience.

Describe your experience working with children. Include any experience gained with and outside of Girl Scouts

Why do you want to be a Day Camp Intern?

What do you think your responsibilities will be during a day at camp?

What do you hope to gain from your Internship at Day Camp? Why?

Please indicate the sessions and camp you are interested in participating in as an Intern.

- Session 1:** July 6-10 (Marion White, Lewis Perkins, Laurel Wood, Hickory Hill)
- Session 2:** July 13-17 (Marion White, Lewis Perkins, Laurel Wood, Hickory Hill)
- Session 3:** July 20-24 (Marion White, Lewis Perkins, Laurel Wood, Hickory Hill)
- Session 4:** July 27-31 (Marion White, Lewis Perkins, Laurel Wood, Hickory Hill)
- Session 5:** August 3-7 (Green Eyrie, Lewis Perkins, Laurel Wood, Hickory Hill)
- Session 6:** August 10-14 (Green Eyrie, Lewis Perkins)

Please indicate the area or areas in camp in which you would like be considered to be an Intern:

- Units                       Nature and Sports     Arts and Crafts
- Waterfront                       Business/Office

The best time to reach me:  3 pm-5 pm     4 pm-6 pm     7 pm-9 pm     8 pm-10 pm  
 Other (please note below)

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**REFERENCES**

List names/addresses of three people (not relatives) having knowledge of your character experience and ability. Give each of these people a reference form to be filled out and forwarded to the return address.

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE

I certify that this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that Camp Apprentice is a camper program. Furthermore, I understand that if accepted into the program I am still considered a camper and not a staff member.

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Signature

Date