

# Camp Rivercrest Leadership Development Program (LDP)



**Leaders-in-Training Program (LIT)** – Our LIT program is a weeklong intensive focused on training high school students to be Biblical leaders in their communities, schools, and churches by using their specific strengths and gifts. Through team-building challenges, serving in various areas of camp, training sessions, and personal reflective time with God, our LIT students will have the opportunity to begin the journey of being the leader God has designed them to be.

## Frequently Asked Questions:

**Who can be involved in LIT?** Any high school student entering 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, or 12<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall.

**What are the benefits of this program?** This is an excellent program to put on a resume, application for a high school leadership program, or college and scholarship applications. This program will help you discover your gifts and strengths, as well as identify areas where you can grow. Plus, you get hands-on experience serving and putting what you learn into action! You will also get a super-awesome t-shirt only for LDP students.

**Why the price difference from a week of camp?** LIT is an intensive program. The students will be serving all over camp and getting hands-on experience of the different areas of camp ministry. These students will not only be poured into, they will be pouring out as well.

**Will I still be able to participate in camp games and activities?** The Leadership Development Program is generally on a completely separate schedule from the rest of camp. We strive to allow LDP students to enjoy camp through some games, free time, adventure activities, and worship. A few of these will be done with the rest of camp, but most will be done solely within the LDP group. You will be doing games and activities only LDP students get to do!

**I have already done LIT, can I come again?** Yes! You are welcome to participate as many times as you like.

**What times do I drop off or pick up my LIT camper?** Check-in for LDP students is at 2:30pm on Sunday at the Bishop Meeting Room (the first building on your left as you come into camp). Pick-up is at 4pm on Friday, like regular camp. All of the same policies about check-in and pick up for campers apply to LIT as well.

**Do I have to apply to be a part of LIT?** Nope! Just register for the session you want to attend and fill out the LIT Personal Information form.

**Can I use this as community service hours or other leadership prerequisites for leadership programs at school?** Absolutely! We are more than happy to assist you in growing as a leader in your school.



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**Junior Cabin Leader Program** – Our Junior Cabin Leader program is the next step of leadership training for high school students after LIT. We are excited to give our Junior Cabin Leader students *more* opportunities to serve and be part of summer camp! All Junior Cabin Leader's must attend a Junior Cabin Leader training session, **June 7-10** or **June 28-July 1**. During the training session, students will learn how to be an excellent Biblical cabin leader through educational seminars, hands-on activities and challenges, and shadowing our summer staff.

If you successfully complete your Junior Cabin Leader training session, you can be a Junior Cabin Leader for up to 2 weeks. Junior Cabin Leaders shadow summer staff for a session of camp and assist them in their cabins. They support and assist their cabin leader with the campers and get hands-on experience leading campers.



## Frequently Asked Questions:

**Who can be involved in Junior Cabin Leading?** Any high school student entering 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall AND has completed an LIT session at Camp Rivercrest; OR a student who will graduate high school in the spring or enter 12<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall.

**How do I register?** Because of the responsibility Junior Cabin Leaders are given, they must first apply to be in the program. Once they are accepted into the program, they will receive an email with a password to register. We only have room for 28 Junior Cabin Leaders for the summer, so apply soon to ensure you get this amazing opportunity! To apply, create an account on our website or login in to your account and find the application in the document center. You can also access the document here <https://www.ultracamp.com/forms.aspx?idCamp=98&campCode=CRC&idF=1914>

**I have already done Junior Cabin Leading, can I come again?** Yes! Our program thrives on veteran students returning to support summer camp and care for campers. You must complete Junior Cabin Leader training the same summer you serve in a cabin.

**Am I guaranteed to be a Junior Cabin Leader in a cabin?** Because of the responsibility we ask of our Junior Cabin Leaders, you must pass the training session in order to junior cabin lead in a cabin. At the end of your training session, there will be an interview to evaluate your preparedness for junior cabin leading. If you pass, you can go on to junior cabin lead in cabins this summer!

**How do I choose what weeks I want to be a Junior Cabin Leader?** Mark it on your application. We will do our best to align your preferences and give you the weeks you want. You can junior cabin lead in a cabin up to 2 weeks this summer. The weeks you junior cabin lead will be confirmed upon your successful completion of a training session.

**What times do I need to check-in and leave camp?** Check-in for Junior Cabin Leader Training sessions is at 2:30pm on Sundays at the Bishop Meeting Room (the first building on your left) and pick-up is at 4pm on Wednesday at the basketball court. All of the same policies about check-in and pick up for campers apply to Junior Cabin Leaders as well.