



## Camp D.A.R.E.

### SENIOR COUNSELOR APPLICATION

#### Important Dates

Camp Dates: July 29 – August 2, 2024, at Lexington Park Baptist Church, Lexington Park MD

Mandatory Training: July 26, 2024, at Lexington Park Baptist Church, Lexington Park MD

Application Deadline: June 21, 2024, submit via email to [CampDare@stmaryscountymd.gov](mailto:CampDare@stmaryscountymd.gov)

Notification: Acceptance notifications will be sent by July 4, 2024

#### Personal Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

School name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in school: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

SSN# (For payment purposes) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

#### Interview Questions:

1. Why do you want to be a camp counselor? \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_.

2. What skills do you possess as a result of past experience or training that would help you in this position (certifications such as First Aid, CPR, Red Cross Lifesaving, \_\_\_\_\_  
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3. Counselors are expected to lead in all activities. Are you comfortable taking a leadership role or are more reserved?

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4. List your involvement in activities or other camps within the last two years.

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5. List your strengths: \_\_\_\_\_

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6. List areas where you see room for personal growth:

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7. Have you ever been a junior or senior counselor at Camp D.A.R.E.? \_\_\_\_\_

8. What qualities do you possess that will contribute to being a successful counselor?

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9. How would you handle name calling? \_\_\_\_\_

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10. How would you handle physical assault on another camper?

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11. How would you handle mischievous behavior (spit balls, hiding other camper's items, etc.)

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12. List any current or recent jobs or volunteer positions:

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**RETURNING COUNSELORS ONLY!** (Questions 13 and 14)

13. What did you learn from your previous Camp D.A.R.E. counselor experience?

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14. What did you like about Camp D.A.R.E.? What would you change or add?

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**Application Agreement**

**\*ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SIGNED**

By signing below, I certify the information provided on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\*Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Approval**

I give my approval for \_\_\_\_\_ to apply as a Camp D.A.R.E. senior counselor.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_