



Camp D.A.R.E.

JUNIOR COUNSELOR APPLICATION

Important Dates

Camp Dates: July 27 – July 31, 2026, at Leonardtown Middle School, Leonardtown, MD

Mandatory Training: July 24th, 2026, at Leonardtown Middle School, Leonardtown, MD

Application Deadline: June 12, 2026, submit via email to CampDare@stmaryscountymd.gov

Notification: Acceptance notifications will be sent by June 22, 2026

Personal Information

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Home address: _____

E-mail address: _____

School name: _____ Grade in school: _____ Age: _____

Interview Questions:

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

_____.
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, _____

_____.
3. Counselors are expected to lead in all activities. Are you comfortable taking a leadership role or are you more reserved?

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

5. List your strengths: _____

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

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?

9. How would you handle name calling? _____

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

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

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

_____.

RETURNING COUNSELORS ONLY! (Questions 13 and 14)

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

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

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. junior counselor.

Signature: _____ Date _____

Relationship to applicant: _____