



**A Partnership Between Springfield Public Schools &
The Springfield-Greene County Park Board**

COUNSELOR-IN-TRAINING PROGRAM

SUMMER LEADERSHIP PROGRAM FOR TEENS AGES 13-15

Is your teen looking for a great summer experience where they'll have fun working with elementary age children while learning valuable leadership skills?

The Counselor-in-Training (CIT) program is a wonderful opportunity where teens ages 13-15 will assist with daily operation of our summer camp programs. They will help facilitate activities with the kids while gaining self-confidence, job experience, and a sense of responsibility. Successful participation as a CIT in the summer SPARC program can be used as work experience, professional reference, and a lead toward future employment.

BENEFITS OF BEING A CIT

- Gain valuable work experience
- Learn leadership skills
- Obtain CPR/First Aid Certification
- Receive performance feedback
- Participate in camp activities & field trips
- Explore future career opportunities
- Attend all staff trainings & orientations

PROGRAM INFORMATION

- CIT's must be at least 13 years old by the start of the summer camp program
- CIT's can apply for a paid position when they turn 16
- CIT's pay a reduced camp fee of \$30 per week

➔ *Applications must be submitted by March 15, 2019. After review, selected candidates will be scheduled for an interview. All candidates will be notified when selections are made. Accepted candidates and a parent/guardian will be required to attend an orientation.*



FOR APPLICATIONS OR MORE INFORMATION

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