



## Job Description: Group Counselor

Thank you for your interest in working as a Rolling River Crew Member. All Staff Members are required to work at camp for the full summer (2019 season from Monday, July 1 to Thursday, August 22) and attend pre-camp Staff Orientation in June. The camp day for staff runs from 8:30am to 4:15pm. Rolling River is a uniform camp and Staff Members must wear approved Rolling River staff shirts.

### Benefits of Working as a Rolling River Crew Member

- Daily Hot Lunch, Snacks & Refreshments
- Staff-Only Events & Parties
- Camp Tuition for Children (if needed)
- End-of-Summer Tips (Group Counselors)
- Networking with Educators for Professional Development
- Communication & Leadership Skills
- Ability to Serve as a Role Model
- Life-Long Friendships

**A Group Counselor is assigned to oversee and supervise a specific age group at camp. All groups are assigned an adult Head Counselor and 2-3 assistant counselors based on the size of the group. Groups in the Skipper & Mariner Divisions also are assigned 1-2 CITs or Counselors-in-Training.**

### Job Responsibilities

- Oversee daily well-being of assigned camp group
- Take campers to scheduled indoor and outdoor activities
- Supervise campers during two daily swim periods (must change into bathing suit)
- Participate in camp activities such as athletics and creative arts
- Set up and clean up during camper snack and lunch periods
- Take campers to the restroom and/or Health Center
- Engage in special event shows and activities
- Supervise campers on off-campus trips
- Work as a team with co-counselors and develop accountability charts
- Attend Staff Orientations sessions and after-camp parent events

### Job Qualifications

- Asst. Counselor- 11th Grade - College
- Head Counselor- 21 Years Old or Older
- Head Counselors for 2nd Grade & Older must obtain CDL Bus License
- Experience working with children
- Previous camp experience preferred
- Ability to participate in activities
- Organized and responsible
- Spirited and enthusiastic

### Camp Divisions for Group Counselors

#### Skipper Division

- Nursery-Kindergarten
- Avg. Group Size 12-16 Campers

#### Mariner Division

- Grades 1-4
- Avg. Group Size 15-22 Campers

#### Navigator Division

- Grades 5-8
- Avg. Group Size 18-30 Campers

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