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## Steps to Become part of Beekman Day Camp's Leadership Programs

9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Graders and Parents/Guardians

Thank you for your interest in our Leadership Programs; they are an opportunity for our oldest campers to continue to be a part of camp, and to obtain some leadership skills for the work world. There is limited enrollment. Our Program is unique among Recreation Department camps in that it hires a Leadership Coordinator to facilitate leadership development in our oldest campers before they leave us for the world of work. It is a progressive program starting with LIT, and moving to CIT.

**LIT (Leader in Training)** Must attend a minimum of 4 weeks to complete program offers General Leadership Training. LITs spend most of their time with their peers in leadership training & team building activities. They do some planning and presenting to younger campers, and some observing of camp groups. All interactions are followed by peer discussion of the experience.

**CIT (Counselor in Training)** Must attend a minimum of 4 weeks to complete program offers General Camp Counselor Training/Interning. CITs spend an increased amount of time interning with Counselors and specific groups of campers. In addition CITs participate in a daily workshop with their peers for reflection and debriefing their experiences.

**Please follow the steps below to apply and register**

### Step 1: Apply for the Program

1. Candidate should complete the 2-page application including checking off and committing to an orientation/informational meeting on the second page
2. Parent should review and sign
3. Submit to Rec Office ASAP
4. Complete and submit [Camper Form](#)

### Step 2: Review of Application

Upon receipt and review of application and camper forms, you will receive an email from our office letting you know you can register

### Step 3: Gear Up for Program

1. Attend one of the Orientation/informational meetings
2. Parent/Guardian AND Leadership Candidate read, sign and submit at Orientation/informational meeting