



# Camp Elachee Senior Counselors-In-Training Leadership Program

The Camp Elachee Senior Counselors-In-Training (CIT) Leadership Program is a special opportunity for **rising 9th-12th graders**. Supervised by the Camp Director and mentored by the Program Assistant and Camp Counselors, Senior CITs will learn the skills needed to work with children in a camp setting. **Limited spots are available each week!**

**Once accepted and registered**, Senior CITs will be assigned a camp group with which they will assist throughout the week. CITs will help Camp Counselors provide activities to campers in a safe and well-supervised environment while also learning and practicing new leadership skills. *\*All applicants will be interviewed.\**

**Program Fee:** \$60 for the entire summer.

**Program Hours:** Must work a minimum of two (2) camp weeks, Monday-Friday, 7:45 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Required Training:** Senior CITs will be required to attend one (1) training day that will take place before the first scheduled camp week. Details will be provided after the application is submitted and the personal interview is completed.

## **CIT Responsibilities:**

Participants in the Senior CIT program work under the same ground rules as all staff members, which include the following:

- No cell phone use.
- Arrive at Elachee on time to make necessary preparations for the day.
- Assist in taking attendance and ensuring that all campers in his/her group are well supervised and within sight or sound of a staff person at all times.
- Assist Camp Counselors with daily education, craft, and recreation activities for their specific camp group.
  - Senior CITs will be required to plan and lead one (1) activity with their group per week.
- Use only positive and appropriate language.
- Follow the specific dress attire. Participants will receive a shirt that is specific for the Senior CIT program.
- Follow all safety procedures to ensure the safety of all campers and staff.
- Help assess and respond to the needs of each camper.
- Work as a team with other Elachee staff members.
- Help maintain the facilities, equipment, and supplies in a clean and orderly manner.
- Will report directly to the Camp Director.

## **Certificate of Completion:**

At the end of summer camp, all CITs that successfully complete the program will be welcomed back to Elachee for a Celebration Party! Lunch and a Certificate of Completion will be provided.

**Participants should register using the following Senior CIT application. The Camp Director will inform applicants on the next registration steps once the application is received. *\*All applicants are subject to an interview.\****

