



Camp Zanika Lache



Leader in Training Application

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L.I.T. Information and Application Packet

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in Camp Zanika Lache's Leader-In-Training program. Enclosed with this letter are the program overview, and application. Space in our CIT program is limited, so please return the application to the Camp Fire office as soon as possible, applications are due by June 1st. 2018, all applicants must also fill out a camper registration form.

The Leader-In-Training program offers unique opportunities for developing personal and professional skills, while encouraging you to enjoy the natural beauty and excitement of our incredible Camp Zanika. The program, which brings together 1st and 2nd year LIT's, is designed to be progressive for all participants and facilitates leadership development, positive role-modeling, outdoor skill development, communication skills and an understanding of the supervision of children in a residential camp setting.

Our LIT program is for students who are entering 9th or 10th grade in school. The two week program runs July 1st – 14th . There is Leadership programming during the weekend, so participants are asked to stay.

The cost for the LIT program is \$624.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Camp Fire office at (509) 663-1609 or toll free at (800)548-8884, or e-mail campfirencw@gmail.com you can also visit our websites at www.campfirencw.org or www.zanika.net .

Sincerely

Theresa Samuelsen
Executive Director

**Camp Fire USA- North Central Washington Council & Camp Zanika Lache
are DRUG-FREE, ALCOHOL-FREE, and SMOKE-FREE Work Places
*PLEASE DO NOT APPLY UNLESS YOU WILL COMPLY.***

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LEADER IN TRAINING BEHAVIORAL GUIDELINES

Our Leaders-In-Training are valued members of our Camp Zanika Team. LITs are representatives of Camp Fire and Camp Zanika Lache. As a Leader-In-Training, you will be expected to uphold our highest standards of behavior.

LEADERS-IN-TRAINING WILL:

- Follow all camp rules.
- Must be safety conscious at all times.
- Respect supervisors, staff members, parents, other Leaders-In-Training and campers.
- Work as a team member with others.
- Dress in appropriate, neat clothing.
- Report any problems with equipment, safety procedures, campers or any other incidents to supervisor immediately.
- Participate willingly in all camp activities.
- Be a role model to other campers.
- When working with campers, put the campers' experience first above your own.
- Choose a service project and complete it
- Use common sense when interacting with campers, knowing that you are setting an example
- Must treat all campers with the same respect enthusiasm and direction when interacting with each and every camper in the program
- LITs may not use cell phones for texting, phone calls or alarms at any time during their time at camp.

LEADERS-IN-TRAINING WILL ALSO:

- Have fun!
- Smile a lot.
- Learn about yourself.
- Learn how to communicate and interact with others more effectively.
- Enjoy the beautiful Camp Zanika and Lake Wenatchee.
- Do many fun activities.
- Gain many valuable life skills.

Any Leaders-In-Training who exhibit *any* of the following behaviors will be promptly excused from camp:

- Violent acts against other campers or staff.
- Theft or vandalism.
- Possession of alcohol, narcotics or dangerous drugs.
- Possession of a weapon.
- Overt sexual behavior towards campers or staff.
- Unsupervised activities involving fire, including smoking.
- Use of foul language or gestures.
- Bullying of other campers, L.I.Ts or Staff will not be tolerated

L.I.T Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please read and be familiar with these behavioral guidelines.



L.I.T. APPLICATION



Name: _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade in September 2018: _____

Address: _____ email: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Phone: () _____ Years at Camp Zanika Lache: _____

School now attending: _____ Camp name: _____

Applying for: __ 1st year LIT __ 2nd year LIT

Are you a Camp Fire or Teens in Action member?

Yes

No

Extra-Curricular Activities

School Related	Non-School Related

Work and Volunteer Experience:

Camp Skills : Please place a 1 next to those skills you can lead or teach , a 2 by those skills you can do, and a 3 next to those skills you are interested in

Archery _____	Kayaking _____	Swimming _____
Arts & Crafts _____	Knives _____	Story Telling _____
Boating _____	Knots _____	Initiatives Games _____
Canoeing _____	Lashing _____	Sports _____
Compass _____	Nature Activities _____	Tie Dye _____
Fire Building _____	Outdoor Cooking _____	Other : _____
Fishing _____	Orienteering _____	_____
Hiking _____	Photography _____	_____
Singing _____	Group Games _____	_____

LIT Application Questions: Please answer the following questions in your own handwriting. All applicants answer questions 1 through 4 ; 2nd year LIT's please answer 5 & 6 as well.

1. What is a Leader-in-Training (LIT) and what does an LIT do?

2. What do you hope to gain from being an LIT?

3. Describe any leadership roles you have held through club, church, school, etc. Include other leadership programs or classes.

4. Describe yourself in 100 words or less

2nd Year LIT applicant only:

5. What did you learn from last year's LIT program that will help you this year?

6. Describe any personal and/or professional growth you've had as a result of the LIT program.