

2012 Counselor-In-Training Application
The North Carolina Arboretum, Discovery Camps

Our Counselor-In-Training (CIT) program is open to students in rising grades 9-12 who have an interest in careers that involve working outdoors, teaching children, caring for live animals, and learning about techniques and skills involved in field biology and outdoor recreation.

Candidates interested in this opportunity for one or more weeks throughout the summer should complete and submit this application **along with a letter from a teacher or community leader** not related to the candidate that outlines why the candidate would make an ideal CIT.

Candidates must attend the CIT training session on June 2 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. **THIS FORM AND LETTER MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE CANDIDATE, NOT A PARENT.**

*Mail completed form and letter of reference to: Discovery Camp Director, The North Carolina Arboretum,
100 Frederick Law Olmsted Way, Asheville, NC 28806. Space is limited, apply soon!*

Candidate's Name: _____

Candidate's Age/Grade level for the 2011-12 school year: _____/_____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Parent's Name(s): _____

Describe any relevant work, education, or personal experiences that help prepare you for the types of work involved in being a CIT (working with children, hiking, nature study, working with live animals, etc.).

What interests you in becoming a CIT in our Discovery Camp program?

What weeks (Monday-Friday) are you available this summer (June 4 to August 17)?

Please review the 2012 Discovery Camp Schedule (available at www.ncarboretumregistration.org). Which of the camps offered for rising K-1 or 2-3 graders interest you and why? Use the reverse of this page to answer.