



NORTHEAST FLORIDA CAMP CADET APPLICATION



P.O. Box 476
Green Cove Springs, Florida 32043
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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR CAMP CADET

1. Applicants must be no younger than 12 and no older than 15 years of age on the first day of Camp Cadet and must reside within **Northeast Florida**.
2. Applicants must be willing to participate in a variety of physical fitness activities and abide by military discipline. Additionally all applicants must arrive at Camp Cadet with an appropriate haircut. For boys, this means no hair extending below the eyebrows in the front, below the ears on the sides, and it cannot touch the collar of their shirt. In other words, a military style haircut. For girls there are no specific requirements other than they must be able to pull their hair back in either a ponytail or use similar means to keep the hair out of their face. The hair must also be able to fit under a baseball cap, although the ponytail may protrude from the back.
3. This application must be submitted no later than **April 1, 2017**. **The application must be accompanied with the 500 word essay (What leadership means to him/her)**, a recent physical (can use the 2016-2017 school year physical) and the medical addendum (to be provided at a later time). Submit this application to "Northeast Florida Camp Cadet" at the address listed above. Any application received after the April 1st, 2017 deadline may not be considered.

Final selection of the Camp Cadet applicants will be made by the Northeast Florida Camp Cadet, Inc. board members.

Applicants **MUST** arrive on time at Camp Cadet for registration and orientation. Camp Cadet is being held at North Fork Leadership Center and registration is scheduled to begin on **Sunday, June 11th 2017 at 2:30 PM**. Applicants who arrive late on the day of registration may be asked to leave without advanced notice. Graduation will take place on **Saturday, June 17th at 11:00 AM**.



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Name: _____

Last

First

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Address: _____

(Street / City / State / Zip Code)

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____ Home Phone: _____

School: _____ Grade for Fall: _____

School Conduct (To be signed by a School Guidance Counselor or Administrator):

Excellent__ Good__ Fair__ Poor__

Signed: (Print Name/Title and Sign): _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s): _____

Work Phones: _____ Cell Phones: _____

(List both parents' work phones)

(List both parents' cell phones)

E-Mail address _____

(Primary)

Applicant's shirt size: _____ XS _____ S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL

(Please note that shirt sizes listed are adult male sizes)

Health/Accident Insurance: _____ Policy No. _____

****Relative to notify in case a parent is unavailable (must be a relative):****

Name: _____ Relationship to cadet: _____

Address: _____

(Street/City/State/Zip Code)

Home Phone: _____ Work/Cell Phone: _____

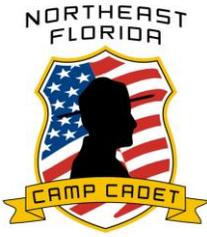
Each applicant MUST provide a typewritten 500 word essay explaining what *Teamwork and Discipline* means to him/her. The essay must be attached with this application and will be reviewed during the interview process.

****Parents of cadets dismissed for disciplinary issues or undisclosed medical reasons will be assessed a \$250 fee. ****

I hereby waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against any and all individuals associated with Northeast Florida Camp Cadet, Inc., North Fork Leadership Center, and the state of Florida while my child attends Camp Cadet for any and all injuries suffered by him/her at said camp. I attest and verify that my child is physically fit and able to attend camp.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____



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Dear Parents,

The Northeast Florida Camp Cadet would like to share some vital information that will prove helpful for you and your child should they be selected to participate in the Camp Cadet program. We provide this information so that you, the parents, can be as fully informed as possible to assist your child in this exciting opportunity.

If your child is selected to participate in the program it is imperative that you provide everything on the camp list provided. The list is comprehensive and will serve your child well for the week. Avoid bringing any items not listed as room is limited for the cadets. Please pack your child's items in as small a suitcase or duffle bag as possible, as your child will be carrying their luggage to the bus and to their bunking areas. Large suitcases and duffle bags can be quite heavy and difficult to carry for the smaller children.

Should your child become injured or is dismissed for disciplinary reasons a prompt pick up is mandatory. Non-emergency medical attention must be provided by the parent/guardian as quickly as possible.

Cadets dismissed due to disciplinary reasons have a tendency to drain camp resources and manpower creating the need for immediate removal by a parent/guardian. This will ensure the rest of the cadets still participating will not experience a disruption in their activities. **In addition, the parents of any cadet dismissed for disciplinary reasons or for a non-disclosed medical condition will be assessed a \$250 fee to cover the loss associated with such action.** This does not apply to cadets who become injured during participation.

Dismissals due to disciplinary reasons or a non-disclosed medical condition will be final and the cadet will not be able to re-apply for another camp.

Your child will need to have a physical exam conducted to participate in Camp Cadet. Please understand that this is a physically demanding camp, and your child must be physically able to participate in the camp's activities. If any condition that would hinder full participation arises between the time of the physical exam and the start of camp or any medical condition that was not disclosed to anyone (including a physician) prior to camp must be disclosed to the staff prior to the first day of camp. If a condition is not disclosed prior to camp the cadet risks being dismissed.

A photo of each cadet will be taken during registration for the safety and welfare of each cadet.

Please consider this guide carefully. Camp Cadet is committed to providing a safe, nurturing and somewhat demanding environment in which the participants (and staff) can learn and grow together. It is our sincere hope that we can work together for the betterment of our kids. Please do not hesitate to contact any of the staff members if you have any questions or need any further clarifications.

Thank you,

Kimberly Robinson

Northeast Florida Camp Cadet Director