



Great Basin Outdoor School

Cabin Leader Application

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE CABIN LEADERS are introduced to careers in the sciences, teaching, or leadership fields while they supervise and mentor fifth and sixth grade students during four-day spring and fall programs and two- and three-day winter programs. Students may earn community service hours, internship credit, or Work Study credit by prior arrangement with their schools.

DUTIES: Be a positive role model. Keep children safe, happy and involved. Assist with on-the-trail field instruction, songs, and skits. Supervise children in cabin and cafeteria.

GREAT BASIN OUTDOOR SCHOOL is a Nevada non-profit organization devoted to youth development in the outdoor classroom. Activities connect classroom learning to real-life experiences to promote insight, confidence, and a love for learning and the outdoors.

HANDS-ON DISCOVERY in the outdoor classroom builds cooperation, respect, and responsibility and exposure to related career fields during four-day field studies through standards-based science, language arts, math, social studies, and the arts, individual and group activities.

Applications are accepted at any time, and most trainings are in March, April and November.

Name: _____ **Age:** _____ **Birthdate:** _____
School: _____ **GPA:** _____ **Home Phone:** _____
Cell Phone: _____ **E-mail:** _____
Mailing Address: _____

1. Why do you want to be a cabin leader? _____

2. What are your hobbies/skills you feel would benefit campers? _____

3. Do you work? Yes No If yes, give a short description of what you do. _____

4. What experience do you have with children? _____

5. What if any community service projects have you participated in? _____

Applicant Signature Date

Parent/Guardian Signature needed if under 18 years of age. Date

Include the following with the application: Permission slip/liability release, counselor consent form and one personal reference from the community, Code of Conduct and Appropriate Interactions with Children form, and the Health Inventory. Leaders serving Washoe County School District children must also complete a WCSD Volunteer Application. Leaders 18 and over must be background checked (no charge). Those serving WCSD children may do so at WCSD at least six weeks in advance. Most forms can be found on our website greatbasin-os.org under the heading "Mentors."

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