2021 Camp Ramallah
Counselor Application Form
June 11th-19th, 2021

GUIDELINES

The primary role of counselors is to serve the campers, provide for and protect them. Counselors are the facilitators of the camp's programs, following guidelines and leading by example. While camp is fun, it is not an all-expenses paid vacation, Counselors role is key for the success of the camp. Ideally, the most fun will come from giving your all to ensuring the campers have a good time and forming with them.

General duties include, but are not limited to, getting campers to and from each location in a timely manner according to schedule, watching over campers in the cabin and at meals, guarantee everyone's safety and cleanliness (mask wearing, sanitizing the cabins, washing hands, staying hydrated)

- Applicants must be 19 or older and must **have completed at least one year** in college.
- Applications must be filled and submitted by March 12ve, 2021.
- Selected counselors must arrive to the camp site on **June 11th, two days earlier than campers.**
- Selection criteria: Required previous volunteer experience; Desired previous Counselor experience. Applicants. Candidates with experience will be given priority.
- Selected counselors will be waived the camp fee. Counselors or their parents must be AFRP members.
- All selected candidates will be confirmed via email through an acceptance letter.
- Selected Counselors must follow CDC guidelines for Covid-19 prevention, this might include vaccination, if available. Details will be provided after selection process.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE EMAILED TO: Sofia Farah sofia.farah@afrp.org
American Federation of Ramallah, Palestine (AFRP)
Camp Ramallah 734 425 1625 ☎ 734 425 1600

First Name | **Middle Name** | **Last Name**

Date of Birth | **Gender**

Address | **City** | **State** | **ZIP**

Cell Phone | **Alternative number**

Current status (studying or working) | **Place of work/ Current school**

Job title/Major | **Club's name and city (if applicable)**

How did you hear about Camp Ramallah?

Camp location

Camp Montvale - Harmony Family Center at Montvale campmontvale.org
4901 Montvale Road
Marvville, TN 37803

Are you or your parents AFRP members? * If No, Counselors must pay $50 membership fee.

Yes ◯ **No** ◯

Please give details of any previous involvement in camp/volunteer work:

1.

2.

3.

Please give details of your community's involvement (Religious groups or church, Ramallah Club, AFRP programs, Palestinian solidarity, etc.)

Why are you interested in volunteering with Camp Ramallah?

Please provide two references (non-relatives) using the form attached to this application. The references should be sent directly to the Federation Program Coordinator Sofia Farah to the email sofia.farah@afrp.org. Please include their first and last name here.

Reference 1

Reference 2

If you are a returning Counselor or past counselor in Training. Please briefly answer the following three questions.

Why do you want to return to be a counselor?

Based on your experience, what would you improve upon from your performance as a counselor before?

What was a major takeaway from your previous experience as a Counselor or Counselor in Training?

Please include a one-page essay containing:

a. A brief biographical sketch

b. What you hope to offer to the Campers who will be placed in your care

c. What you hope to offer to the staff with whom you will work

d. What you hope to gain by serving at Camp Ramallah.

<u>All applicants must complete both the counselor application and the camper application. They also must submit two references.</u>