

Looking for an opportunity to grow your leadership skills and serve your community? <u>Apply here</u> to be a Camp Counselor at <u>We As One Camp</u>!

# 2024 CAMP COUNSELOR ROLE DESCRIPTION

## What is We As One Language Camp?

Established in 2020, We As One Camp (weasonecamp.com) is a language summer camp serving Kindergarten to 8th grade students, offering a high-quality immersion experience in oral proficiency, cultural dialogues, and hands-on activities. The camp emphasizes language acquisition while fostering meaningful conversations on topics like identity, diversity, and inclusion. Over 300 students from Chinese immersion schools had joined us in the past four years. An important goal of our camp is to support equity causes in Minnesota. In the past four years, we have successfully donated over \$16,400 of our camp profits to different organizations that support equity in Minnesota, especially those aiming to help the local lower-income Asian community and the growth of teachers of colors.

### What are the dates and locations of our 2024 camp?

- Location 1: <u>The Blake School</u> (110 Blake Rd S, Hopkins, MN 55343) Monday, 06/24 to Wednesday, 07/03, 9:30am-3:30pm
- Location 2: <u>Visitation School</u> (2455 Visitation Dr, Mendota Heights, MN 55120) Monday, 08/05 to Friday, 08/09, 9:30am-3:30pm

### Who can apply?

- High school and college students (9-16th grade in fall, 2024)
- Passionate about Chinese/Asian language and culture, experience learning and speaking Chinese preferred
- Responsible and patient when working with young children

### What are the duties of a camp counselor?

- Assist instructors with everyday teaching activities in the classroom
- Escort children safely to and from all areas they travel to, individually and as a group



- Assist with sign-in/out, eat lunch with campers, and supervise recess
- Go on field trip with campers if needed
- Treat all instructors, campers and volunteers in a respectful and professional manner

#### What are the benefits of being a camp counselor?

- Earn 40 volunteer of service hours per week
- Receive a personalized recommendation letter from Camp Director
- Improve Chinese as a world language communicative proficiency
- Develop communication and leadership skills through interactions with educators and campers
- Discover how to build teamwork and guide a team
- Gain perspectives on topics such as race, equity, diversity, inclusion and belonging through language and community learning

#### What do I need to do to become a camp counselor?

- Complete the <u>We As One Language Camp Counselor Application Form</u>
- Complete a quick phone call or Zoom interview with the Camp Director
- Be available prior to the start of the program for a two-hour in-person training and help setup (date to be notified)
- Be available for the entire length and duration of the program (June 24th-July 3rd at The Blake School Camp and/or August 5th-August 9th at Visitation Camp)
- Able to follow all program rules of conduct and safety guidelines