

# Camp Leaders In Training

## CIT Criteria

The candidate must:

- Have a strong desire to teach, encourage and spend time with the campers.
- Be able to lead a student safely out to a field of horses/ponies, explain how to approach the pony, put the halter on correctly, and bring back the correct one.
- Be able to show student how to correctly, and in order, identify and use the tools to groom a pony for a lesson.
- Be able to teach and demonstrate how to tack up correctly while explaining names of the articles of tack.
- Be able and willing to lead a pony at walk and trot for an hour in hot conditions while paying enough attention to keep the camper/rider safe and confident.
- Be willing and able to stay focussed on the campers in order to know where they are, what they are doing at all times.
- Be responsible for the safety of the campers and ensure that they are having a good time, and integrating with others to feel part of the group.
- Have been to camp previously for at least 4 full weeks.
- Be a regular working student through out the year.

- Be able to muck, bed, hay and water a stall on ones own.
- Have read and understood the OEF facilities guidelines.
- It is recommended that all CIT's have first aid certification.