

# CAMP COUNSELORS

USA<sup>2018</sup>: US designated J1 visa sponsor  
: 29 years of 100% placements  
: Biggest and best Camp Job Fairs



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# The Best Summer Of Your Life!

CCUSA is an official J1 Camp Counselor Visa Sponsor who organise work placements at summer camps in America.

We pride ourselves on our personalised customer service, affordable program with stacks of inclusions, local offices and representatives across Australia and an unmatched reputation with our participants and our summer camps. While we are the largest camp program in Australia, you will still receive individual attention and service from professional and experienced staff who have all worked at summer camps in the USA. These things make CCUSA the most popular way to organise your camp adventure. Since 1987 CCUSA has provided Australians with 29 years of 100% placement for the program.

Over 34,000 Aussies have trusted CCUSA with their summer camp experience. Are you ready to join them?

## What do I get with the program?

It's not as simple as it may seem to get organised to work overseas (especially in the USA). As a US Government appointed J1 visa sponsor, CCUSA offer everything needed to make the experience a success for you.

### **PLACEMENT RECORD**

100% placement for 29 years for accepted participants.

### **LOW PROGRAM FEE**

From just \$499. Our program is \$350 less in fees than most other US camp programs.\*

### **J1 VISA**

CCUSA is an official US designated J1 Visa Sponsor and issues the US Government document that you need to get your visa. You will only work with CCUSA in Australia and USA, not a third party (like many US camp organisations in Australia). The visa is for work at camp plus up to 30 days to travel and sightsee around the USA.

### **FREE FOOD/ACCOMMODATION**

This is included while at camp, so you get to save your hard earned cash for after camp travel!

### **BIGGEST AND BEST FAIRS**

For 22 years CCUSA has been bringing up to 25 American Camp Directors to Australia each year to hire staff in person. This is a fantastic opportunity to meet your potential Camp Director face to face and get hired on the spot! CCUSA Camp Job Fairs offer the most camps and available jobs, 2-3 times more jobs than other fairs offer!

### **INSURANCE**

Up to 4 months International Work & Travel insurance is included with the program at no additional cost.

### **GUARANTEED PLACEMENT**

For your peace of mind CCUSA offer a guaranteed placement option for people we accept with specific specialty skills or training and experience. Visit [www.ccusa.com.au](http://www.ccusa.com.au) for details.

### **TYPES OF CAMPS**

CCUSA work with over 1000 US camps meaning we have more jobs available giving you the best chance to be placed! CCUSA personally and carefully assess your skills, personality and the camp types you wish to work at – from there we find you the perfect camp placement.

### **THREE AUSTRALIAN OFFICES**

We operate fulltime offices in NSW, VIC and QLD and have dozens of Interviewers throughout Australia. We have a long-standing relationship with many camps (some of our staff have been with CCUSA for over 20 years and all our staff have worked at camp!)

### **PAY**

The highest earning potential - you can earn over US\$320\* more than you'll get with most other US camp programs. Plus you can earn an additional US\$150 based your skills and experience.

### **FLIGHTS TO THE USA**

CCUSA offer special flight prices through our preferred travel agent STA Travel. You also have the flexibility to arrange your flights through an agent of your choice at no additional cost.

### **FREE TRAVEL TO CAMP**

From your camp's designated USA arrival point you will receive free travel to camp.

### **24 HOUR ASSISTANCE**

While in the USA we provide you access to a 24-hour toll free emergency assistance hotline.

### **SEVIS FEE PAID**

Your US Government SEVIS tracking fee (US\$35) is included with the program (this is not the case with all US camp programs!)

### **ORIENTATION**

CCUSA prepares you for camp and your travels before you leave at this fun and informative meeting. It's a fantastic opportunity to meet all the other like-minded Aussies heading to camp.

\* correct as of June 1, 2017



# What experience do I need?

Most importantly you need to have an interest in working with children. Previous experience with children is preferred, whether it be formal or informal. Additionally, CCUSA look for enthusiastic people who have skills they can teach or assist teaching to American children. There are over 200 activities that might be offered at camps across the following activity areas:

- **Arts & Crafts**
- **Athletics/Sports**
- **Circus**
- **Digital Media**
- **Extreme Sports**
- **Fitness**
- **Gymnastics**
- **Horse Riding/Farm Animals**
- **Outdoor Adventure**
- **Performing Arts**
- **Ropes/Climbing**
- **Target Sports**
- **Water Sports**
- **Certification or degree that relates to children.**

To find a full list of skills that we recruit for visit our website [www.ccusa.com.au](http://www.ccusa.com.au) for details.

You don't need to have a certification or be a qualified instructor - you just need to feel confident in your own skill level and ability. If you want to strengthen your skills and application further, CCUSA can direct you to organisations that operate courses. Remember, many campers are young and come to camp with a basic skill level.



## Types of Camps

You are placed at a camp based on your own camp type preferences (you need to choose at least 4 types from the list below), the skills that you offer, dates you are available to work and your experience with children. Camps start between mid May and mid June and run until mid to late August.

1. Traditional Camps
2. Specialist Camps
3. Girl Scout Camps (No previous scouting experience is needed)
4. Underprivileged Camps
5. Religious Camps
6. Special Needs Camps
7. Camps for people with Special Requirements
8. Day Camps

Detailed descriptions and videos of the camp types are on our website.



## Camp Counselors USA Camp Job Fairs

Our Fairs are the original and biggest of their kind. Each year we host up to 25 camps in Australia. These Camp Directors come to Australia for the sole purpose of meeting and hiring Aussie camp counselors. Make sure you apply well in advance so your application can be processed and you can gain access to the VIP Camp Director hiring session before the general public on the day.

Information on all the camps attending (with camp profiles and positions they are hiring for) will be posted on our website well in advance so you can check out the great camps and jobs on offer.



Perth November 29th  
Adelaide November 30th  
Melbourne December 2nd  
Sydney December 3rd  
Brisbane December 5th



## Budget

Program fee to CCUSA  
(refunded, if you are not  
accepted to the program).

- Pay on or before August 31  
2017 - AU\$499 or
- Pay between September 1 and  
November 13 2017 - AU\$579 or
- Pay between November 14  
2017 and January 31 2018  
AU\$640 or
- Pay between February 1 and  
March 1 2018 - AU\$699

Payment options available.

Other costs including flights,  
visa processing, background  
check and spending money.

## Earn

Up to US\$1,895 for 9 weeks  
at camp, based on age and  
qualifications.

If your camp runs longer than  
that you'll earn an extra US\$39  
per day.

Remember, food and  
accommodation is provided for  
free at camp.

## Apply at [www.ccusa.com.au](http://www.ccusa.com.au)

To apply you will need to submit the following (full details online):

- Completed online application form
- 3 references
- Smiling profile photo
- 60 second introduction video about yourself
- Signed program agreement
- Federal Police Check application
- Payment of program fee (fully refunded if you are not accepted to the program)

Once you start your application our CCUSA team of experts will call you with the purpose of answering any questions you may have, to help you through the process, and to advise you on how to best complete your application. This personal support is a big reason why CCUSA is so successful in placing everyone at camp!

Once your online application is fully complete and program fees paid, we will arrange a personal interview to find out more about you, your skills and experience. If you have any questions regarding the application process or the program at any time, please just contact us – we are here to help you and make your application the best it can be!

## Career Creators International

American summer camps isn't all CCUSA do. We are here to assist you create your career through our global work programs. Participate on one or multiple programs to kick start your career.

Camp Counselors Canada • Camp Counselors UK • Work Experience Canada  
Work UK • Camp Counselors Russia • Camp California in Croatia • Work Experience USA  
Working Holiday USA • Intern USA • Practical Training USA



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