

CAMP TOCCOA 2024
Camp Fire Georgia
Application for Financial Assistance



1. Name of Camper _____
(A separate application must be submitted for each child. Do not include more than one camper per application)
- Date of Birth _____ Grade in Fall '24 _____
- Which camp are you applying for? (circle) Day Camp Overnight Camp
- Has this camper attended summer camp at Camp Toccoa before? (circle) Yes No
- If yes, what year(s)? _____ Day camp or Resident Camp? (circle) Day Resident

2. Name of Parent(s)/Guardian(s) _____
- Address _____
- City _____ State ____ ZIP _____ Email _____
- Phone (home) _____ (work) _____

3. Description of Family Unit
- Marital Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed Separated
- Children: Number of children under age 21 living in home: _____
Number of other people living in home: _____
Relation(s) of others living in home: _____ Age(s): _____

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| Primary Income: _____
Occupation: _____
Employed by: _____
Part-Time / Full-Time (circle one) | Secondary Income: _____
Occupation: _____
Employed by: _____
Part-Time / Full-Time (circle one) |
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- a. Total family income for last month: \$ _____
- b. Average monthly expenses: \$ _____
- c. Gross annual income from all employment: \$ _____
- d. Additional income sources (amount per month):
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| Disability \$ _____ | Alimony \$ _____ | Social Security \$ _____ |
| Child Support \$ _____ | Pension \$ _____ | Other \$ _____ |

Does your family currently receive any form of public assistance? (Circle those that apply)

WIC SNAP TANF PeachCare Section 8 Free/Reduced School Lunch

- e. Total Annual Income (add "c" and "d"): \$ _____
5. Letter of Explanation/Need (Please attach a letter outlining need for financial aid)
6. It is the policy of Camp Fire Georgia to give partial camperships so that as many youth as possible may attend camp. Parents/guardians are expected to contribute to the total camp fee.
What amount is the family able to pay? (Please write the exact amount) \$ _____

I attest that the above information is true and accurate.

Signature of Parent / Guardian / Person applying

Date

CAMP TOCCOA 2024 Campership Guidelines



Camp Fire Georgia has available funds designated for camperships (grants) to help boys and girls attend camp. Each year Camp Fire Georgia raises funds through donations by individuals, organizations, and businesses to provide financial assistance for children whose families are financially unable to send them to camp. The guidelines are as follows:

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Any youth having completed 1st grade may apply for a campership. Camperships are awarded based on need and available funds. Camperships are available for day camp (Camp Owanayake) or for resident camp (Camp Toccoa).

WHAT IS THE AMOUNT OF A CAMPERSHIP?

The amount awarded is based on each family's needs and the availability of funds. The amount of each campership will not exceed 50% of the tuition for a one-week session. The campership does not include trading post money, fees for email packages, or any other items besides camp tuition.

HOW DO YOU APPLY?

Complete the application form and return it to the Camp Fire Georgia office along with

- a) A letter of explanation / need, AND
- b) One or more of the following:
 - Copy of your most recently filed tax return
 - Copies of last 2 pay stubs
 - DFACS verification letter on income, if applicable
 - Reference letter (from clergy, doctor, counselor, etc)

You can mail the form and documents, or email them.

Mailing address: Camp Fire Georgia, 92 Camp Toccoa Drive, Toccoa GA 30577.

Email address: info@campfirega.org

IS THERE A DEADLINE?

There is not a firm deadline; camperships will be considered until all funds have been awarded. You are encouraged to apply as early as possible!

OTHER DETAILS:

If a campership is granted, the camper will be expected to write a thank-you note and return it to the Camp Fire Georgia office for delivery to the appropriate donors.

Submitting a completed Financial Assistance form does not register your child for camp. When a campership is awarded, you will be provided with a code to use for online registration through our website at campfirega.org.

Submitting a completed Financial Assistance form does not guarantee a campership and does not guarantee space or session availability.

Applicants will be notified of the campership decisions by email following the meeting of the Camping Committee. Be sure that you have listed an accurate email on the application form so that you can receive our notification.

If you have any questions, please call our office at (706) 886-2457, or email us at info@campfirega.org.