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Girls Confidence Camp

Dear Girls Confidence Camp Team,

I am writing to express my genuine excitement to return as a Second-Year intern for the girl's confidence camp. Having served as a first-year intern, I was able to further develop my skills and can confidently say it has helped me both professionally and personally. As someone who finds a passion for helping the youth, it has strengthened my passion for mentorship and leadership.

During my time as a first-year intern. I learned how important it is to be intentional in the way we support and guide campers. Whether I was helping facilitate activities, supporting campers through moments of uncertainty, or collaborating with others, I made it a priority to show up with patience, empathy, and positivity. Returning as a second-year intern, I am excited to take the next step up in leadership. I feel prepared to take initiative in leading with a passion, helping first-year interns, and supporting camp operations more independently. I want to be someone that the new interns can rely on, just as I relied on returning staff last year.

Having gained new skills since the completion of my first year, I have continued to grow in confidence, communication, and ability to lead in group settings. My involvement on campus and academic experiences have allowed me to grow in aspects of teamwork and problem-solving skills, which I know will positively contribute to the camp environment. It has allowed me to become more comfortable stepping into leadership roles, advocating for others, and creating spaces where every individual feels seen, heard, and included.

What I look most forward to is having the opportunity to continue building meaningful connections with campers and contributing to a space that brings out their confidence and individuality. Being part of an environment that encourages growth, self-expression, and support is something I deeply value, and I would be honored to continue contributing to that mission. Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the opportunity to return and continue making a positive impact with the girl's confidence camp.

Sincerely,
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