



**WOLF  
RIDGE**<sup>SM</sup>  
ENVIRONMENTAL  
LEARNING CENTER

# WOLF RIDGE SUMMER CAMP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

to be completed by the parent or guardian

Thank you for your interest in applying for a Wolf Ridge Scholarship. Scholarship applications can cover between 10 - 70% of camp costs.

Applications must be post marked by **MAY 1, 2018**  
Incomplete applications and applications received after May 1st will **NOT** be processed

PART 1 - Camper Information Form

PART 2 - Camper Program Choice

PART 3 - Parent/Guardian Forms (YOU MUST include the past three (3) years of Federal Tax Forms or a certified letter stating you didn't file taxes to be considered)

PART 4 - Camper Essay Form

PART 5 - Scholarship & Assistance Reference Form (1 completed reference form)

Upon completion, please mail, fax, scan or email the forms

Wolf Ridge ELC  
6282 Cranberry Road  
Finland, MN 55603

Fax: 218-353-7762  
jenny.bushmaker@wolf-ridge.org

## PART 1 - CAMPER INFORMATION (must be completed by the parent or guardian of the camper)

### CAMPER INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

Parents/Guardians with legal custody \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Work  Mobile

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Age (on arrival at camp) \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Entering grade \_\_\_\_\_ Gender (please circle) Male / Female  
Month, Day, Year

Has camper received scholarship assistance from Wolf Ridge in the past 5 years? (please circle) Yes / No

### TRANSPORTATION

Scholarships DO NOT cover transportation, this is an added cost.

Minneapolis  
Round Trip - \$175  
One-Way - \$100

Duluth  
Round Trip - \$100  
One-Way - \$50

Do you want transportation to/from Wolf Ridge?

- Yes  
 No

If YES, please check one

- One-way  
 Two-way

Location (please check one)

- Minneapolis/St. Paul (95th Ave Park & Ride)  
 Duluth (Thompson Rest Area)

### ETHNICITY/RACE

please check all that apply

Black/Afro-Caribbean/African American  
Any person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa

Latino(a)/Hispanic American  
A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American or other Spanish culture or origin

Asian/Asian American  
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, or the Indian subcontinent including, for example, Cambodia, China, India, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Pakistan, the Philippine Islands, Thailand and Vietnam

American Indian/Alaskan Native  
A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South American (including Central America) and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment

Non-Hispanic White/Euro-American

Prefer not to answer

## PART 2 - CAMPER PROGRAM CHOICE

(must be completed by the parent or guardian of the camper)

The following programs are the ONLY programs the Wolf Ridge Scholarship program covers. Please list your 1st and 2nd choice program and dates. If you do not see a program or dates listed below, they are NOT available for scholarship.

1st Choice \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_

SUMMER SAMPLER entering grades 2 - 5	DISCOVERERS entering grades 4 - 5	GREEN ENERGY CAMP entering grades 4 - 5	VOYAGEURS entering grades 6 - 7	VOYAGEURS 2-WK ULTIMATE SURVIVAL entering grades 6 - 7	GIRLS ROCK THE RIDGE LEADERSHIP CAMP entering grades 6 - 7
August 15 - 18, 2018	June 24 - 30, 2018	August 5 - 11, 2018	June 24 - 30, 2018	July 8 - 14, 2018	August 12 - 18, 2018
	July 8 - 14, 2018		July 8 - 14, 2018		
	July 15 - 21, 2018		July 15 - 21, 2018		
	July 22 - 28, 2018		July 22 - 28, 2018		
	July 29 - August 4, 2018		July 29 - August 4, 2018		
	August 5 - 11, 2018		August 5 - 11, 2018		
	August 12 - 18, 2018		August 12 - 18, 2018		

WILDLIFE CAMP entering grades 6 - 7	ANGLING TO ARCHERY entering grades 6 - 7	SHT 5-DAY BACKPACKING entering grades 7 - 8	BWCAW 5-DAY CANOE entering grades 7 - 8	ADVENTURERS entering grades 8 - 9	ADVENTURERS 2-WK ISLE ROYALE BACKPACK entering grades 8 - 9
July 22 - 28, 2018	August 5 - 11, 2018	July 8 - 14, 2018	August 12 - 18, 2018	July 15 - 21, 2018	July 15 - 28, 2018
				July 22 - 28, 2018	
				July 29 - August 4, 2018	
				August 5 - 11, 2018	

ADVENTURERS 2-WK BWCA CANOE entering grades 8 - 9	CAMP ROCK CLIMBING entering grades 8 - 9	FARM, FEAST & FIRE CAMP entering grades 8 - 9	BWCAW 5-DAY CANOE entering grades 7 - 8	BWCA 3-WEEK CANOE EXPEDITION entering grades 10 - 12	SUPERIOR SERVICE LEARNING entering grades 10 - 12
July 8 - 21, 2018	August 5 - 11, 2018	July 29 - August 4, 2018	August 12 - 18, 2018	July 1 - 21, 2018	August 12 - 18, 2018

JR. NATURALISTS 2-WK APOSTLE ISLANDS KAYAK entering grades 10 - 12	JR NATURALISTS 2-WK QUETICO CANOE entering grades 10 - 12	ISLE ROYALE KAYAK EXPEDITION entering grades 10 - 12	CREDIT ACADEMY: WILDERNESS ETHICS entering grades 10 - 12	CREDIT ACADEMY: FRESHWATER ECOLOGY entering grades 10 - 12	COUNSELOR IN TRAINING entering grades 10 - 12
July 29 - August 11, 2018	July 22 - August 4, 2018	July 1 - 14, 2018	July 15 - 28, 2018	July 29 - August 11, 2018	July 22 - August 4, 2018

## PART 3 - PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

(must be completed by the parent or guardian of the camper)

Please describe the circumstances surrounding your need for financial assistance (i.e., job loss, illness, etc - use another sheet if necessary)

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**Please be sure to fill out the ENTIRE application. Incomplete applications will NOT be considered. This DOES INCLUDE tax forms.**

My child would benefit from a camp scholarship because

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**PART 4 - CAMPER ESSAY FORM**  
**(must be completed by the camper)**

What past experiences have you had at Wolf Ridge or if you have never attending, why are you choosing Wolf Ridge?

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Tell us something you like to do outdoors? Why?

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What do you expect to do while at Wolf Ridge's Summer Camp?

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Please tell us something you would like us to know about you?

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I certify that all the information in this application is true and accurate to my knowledge and I have included the past 3 years of my federal tax forms. I understand that submission of this application does not guarantee a scholarship.

Camper Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**PART 5 - SCHOLARSHIP & ASSISTANCE REFERENCE FORM**  
**(please give this form to someone that can speak to the camper's personality)**

\_\_\_\_\_ has applied for a summer camp scholarship to attend a program at Wolf Ridge Environmental Learning Center. Can you please complete the following form.

The mission of Wolf Ridge and a general overview of the Summer Program are described in an attached sheet. Thank you for taking the time to fill out this form on behalf of this child.

Return this form to Wolf Ridge ELC, 6282 Cranberry Rd, Finland, MN 55603 or fax 218-353-7762. Please call Jenny Bushmaker, at 800-523-2733 (MN, WI & ND) or 218-353-7414 if you have questions.

1. Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. Address \_\_\_\_\_

3. Phone number and appropriate times to call \_\_\_\_\_

4. How do you know the camper? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Please evaluate the camper in the following areas. (1= needs improvement, 3= average, 5= excellent, NA= not applicable) Please make additional comments if you give a rating below a three.

Additional Comments

Ability to work well with others	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Leadership potential	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Level of maturity for grade level	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Willingness to share feelings	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Enthusiasm for new experiences	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Concern for others	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Success of peer relationships	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Acceptance of authority	1	2	3	4	5	N/A
Interest in outdoors/nature/ecology	1	2	3	4	5	N/A

How would this student benefit from attending a Wolf Ridge Summer Program

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List any special considerations you feel might affect this camper's application

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I certify that all the information in this application is true and accurate to my knowledge

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_