



WCATY Roommate and Residential Option Form



Student Name: _____ WCATY Residential Program: (circle)

WCATY Status:

- New to WCATY (You have never taken any WCATY classes)
- New to Summer Camps, but have taken online Academy classes
- Returning to WCATY Summer Camps

Preferred Gender:

- Male
- Female
- Other: _____

Best Phone Number: _____ Best Email Address: _____

Section One: Roommate Matching Questionnaire

To help the WCATY staff make roommate pairings, you have the option to complete this section of the *Roommate and Residential Option Form*. Not all students may choose to complete this form. WCATY will do their best to create the best match possible based upon this information and age. This information will be treated as confidential.

Which type of atmosphere do you prefer for your room?

- A. Quiet and personal space to get away and relax
- B. Social gathering place for friends to hang out
- C. Combination of the above

What is your attitude toward sleep?

- A. Sleep is for the weak....It's overrated.
- B. It's just part of life.
- C. It's "my precious" and the only way I survive.

The aspect of WCATY I am most looking forward to is...

- A. The challenging class content and class activities
- B. Seeing old friends and making new ones
- C. The residential activities (arts/crafts, games, athletic activities, mafia, etc.)
- D. Other: _____

Please list three passions and/or interests you geek out about.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Section Two: Roommate Request

An important part of the WCATY summer program experience is living in a residence hall with other students. Like your future college experiences, you may find yourself sharing a room with someone you've never met before—and then becoming the best of friends! WCATY assigns roommates randomly **unless** this form is submitted by a student and his/her requested roommate. WCATY will **not** honor requests that are not mutual, so **this form must be completed by ALL parties by the due date to ensure full consideration**. All rooms at ALP and STEP are double occupancy. The vast majority of rooms at YSSP are double occupancy, although there are a limited number of triple occupancy rooms.

I would like to request the following student(s) as my roommate for the upcoming summer:

Choice One (first and last name): _____

Choice Two (first and last name): _____

Check ALL that apply:

- I have been in contact with the individual(s) listed above about the roommate arrangement
- I have been a roommate with the individual(s) at a previous WCATY camp.
- The individual I wish to room with is a family member and/or sibling.

Please provide signatures
in Section Five



Section Three: Gender Inclusive Housing (ALP Only- Grades 9-12)

WCATY is committed to providing a safe, inclusive and supportive residential experience for all WCATY students. To meet the needs of our students, WCATY will be creating a gender inclusive block open to all gender identities and gender expressions. Due to time and housing constraints, the gender inclusive housing option is only available at ALP. Please see the additional form included in the acceptance packet outlining more information about the gender inclusive block at ALP. All information provided to WCATY is confidential. There must be enough students signed up for the gender inclusive block for it to be formed for the 2019 summer.

In order to participate in the gender inclusive housing option at ALP, please fill out the questions below. If you have any questions about this residential option, please feel free to call Katie Effertz at 608-890-3260 or email at katie.effertz@wisc.edu.

Preferred Name: _____ **Preferred Pronoun(s):** _____

Roommate Request: Please fill out **SECTION TWO** of this form. Both parties need to turn in the form for the request to be honored. If you are interested in living in this gender inclusive housing block, but do not have a roommate already, please contact Katie Effertz at katie.effertz@wisc.edu.

Please answer the following questions. All information you provide is confidential.

- a. Why are you interested in living in the gender inclusive living experience?

- b. Please discuss your restroom needs. (Do you need a gender inclusive restroom? Would you be comfortable using a gender specific restroom?)

- c. Please provide any additional information that you think would be helpful for WCATY to know about you or your interest in the gender inclusive housing.

***A WCATY staff member will contact each student interested in the gender inclusive housing option prior to camp.

Section Four: Specific Housing Needs and Information

Please use this space to communicate any other specific housing needs or specific requests. A follow-up phone call or email may be required for additional information to meet the needs of the individual child. Please check all that apply and provide as much detail as possible or are comfortable with.

- We are requesting a single occupancy room or a room by himself/herself.
- We are requesting other special accommodations.
- Other: _____

Additional Information: (please attach another piece of paper if needed)

Section Five: Signatures

Student Signature: _____ **Guardian Signature:** _____

Please sign and return to WCATY by May 31st, 2019.