After camp, it’s a bit of a shock to the system to go back to the real world because of how accepting and caring everyone at camp is. I try to bring my camp attitude with me back to the outside world. This year it was especially necessary as I started college with so many new people and had the opportunity to form so many new and healthy friendships.

Morgan K.

Volunteer Requirements

- Enthusiasm, energy, & a willingness to learn.
- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Pass reference checks and criminal background checks.
- Attend mandatory camp training session and the entire camp session.

Join us locally or make a trip of it!
Our volunteers come from all over the country.
Volunteer for a week.
Make memories for life.

What is Camp Promise?
Camp Promise is Jett Foundation's free, week-long, overnight camp for kids, teens, and adults with muscular dystrophy and select neuromuscular diseases. Volunteers are the backbone of our program.

Volunteers Receive
- Extensive training
- A camp promise t-shirt
- Lodging and meals for duration of camp
- Friends and memories for life
- A priceless experience

Available Volunteer Positions
- Counselors
- Medical staff (license required)
- Logistics
- Cooks, dishwashers, and kitchen assistants
- Arts 'n crafts, photographers, and program assistants

What You’ll Do at Camp
First, you’ll be paired with a camper for the week. Then, you’ll work as a team with other volunteers and staff to make camp unforgettable for your camper.

Counselor Responsibilities Include
- Engaging and encouraging your camper
- Participating in cabin and camp-wide activities
- Providing personal care and assistance with activities of daily living (this may include bathing, feeding, and dressing your camper.)

No Experience? No Problem.
We were all beginners once. Before campers arrive, you’ll receive extensive training and be paired with experienced counselors to help you during camp.

At the end of the week… after the campers left, all of the counselors and staff gathered around in a circle and shared their experiences at camp that week. That was the moment I realized how lucky I was to be involved with such a giving and caring group of people.

Sarah B.