

Mt. Triumph Delegate Letter

Dear Mt. Triumph Delegate,

Welcome to Mt. Triumph Leadership Camp at the Cispus Learning Center, where you will spend July 6th-11th growing and learning as an individual and team to improve your leadership skills. Many delegates find their camp experience to be beneficial and eye-opening.

Please note that individual drivers are not allowed and that you are expected to attend the entire week to get the most out of the learning experiences. Rides to and from camp should be arranged by charter bus, through AWSL registration, or with your school. Below, you will find essential information to ensure a successful week at camp. We look forward to meeting and growing with you and your school team.

Camp Dates: July 6th-11th

Things you NEED:

- **REUSABLE WATER BOTTLE!!!!!! (We are outside and in the sun often!)**
- Casual clothes for six days of activities (school-appropriate clothing expected)
- Warm clothes for cooler evenings
- **One Outfit for our Final Dinner (something you feel your best and most authentic self in)**
- Two pairs of comfy shoes, one of those being closed-toe and capable of use on a ropes course in wooded terrain
- **Bedding (pillows, sleeping bag, blankets, etc.)**
- Two Bath Towels
- Toiletries (toothpaste, toothbrush, shampoo, conditioner, soap, deodorant)
- Pajamas
- Bug Spray AND Sunscreen
- Deodorant
- Rain gear in case it rains (jacket, hats, shoes, etc.)

Optional but Recommended things:

- Money for extra snacks and camp apparel
- Potential items for a talent show (instrument, tap shoes, etc.)
- Workout/Active Clothes
- Sunglasses/Hat

As a friendly reminder, weapons, drinking, smoking, vaping, and other illegal substances are prohibited at camp. We expect you to be at designated locations throughout the day and that you will also have a scheduled time to remain in your dorm each night.

The Cispus Learning Center is located in the Gifford Pinchot National Forest. **No cell service** and there is **limited time/availability** for students to call home. AWSL will provide access for payphone use.

We are so excited to have you join us for several days of fun, learning, and growth at the Cispus Learning Center. One of the critical elements of this camp is its location. We are actually in the woods. Delegates will be staying in dorms with beds and bathrooms. The power outlets are dated, so no hair straighteners, please.

We are looking forward to meeting you all. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

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Letters to Home

Dear Families of Mt. Triumph delegates,

We look forward to working with your delegate at **Mt. Triumph Leadership Camp**, located at the Cispus Learning Center, from **July 6th-July 11th**. The Association of Washington School Principals (AWSP) sponsors the camp. The purpose and goals of Mt. Triumph are to provide opportunities for individual growth in your delegate. At the same time, they are building strong school teams that can develop leadership skills to apply to their communities to create positive change.

Because of the structure of the camp, each day builds on itself, and delegates must be capable of participating and learning for the entire duration of the camp. Please help your delegate, their teams, and our staff by ensuring their calendars are free from **July 6th through the 11th**.

Our camp comprises trained teachers, counselors, administrators, and medical and other professionals throughout the state. We strive to provide your delegate with a safe, welcoming, and caring environment.

This is a school-sponsored event, so basic expectations for behavior are our norm. Note that this camp in the woods has many outdoor activities. The Cispus Learning Center is located in the Gifford Pinchot National Forest. No cell service and there is limited time/availability for students to call home. AWSL will provide access for payphone usage. Please help ensure that your delegate has the proper clothing, such as closed-toe shoes, shorts, t-shirts, etc., that would be appropriate for a school event and that they bring a **sleeping bag and pillow**. If a student becomes ill or behavior becomes an issue, both are rare; do note that guardians must pick up their delegate.

While the time at camp is short, it is fun, engaging, challenging and impactful. Students often discuss how important this camp was to their growth in high school and that the activities, particularly on days four and five of the session, were highlights. We look forward to working alongside your delegate to support the growth of their leadership skills so they can go and make a positive impact in their own lives.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us or AWSL.

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