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Dear 2010 Teen Program Applicant,

We are so happy that you have decided to apply to one of our leadership or service learning programs. Below is information about each program we offer; if selected and enrolled, you will be required to attend the entire program. It is possible to attend both an IT program and TSL Costa Rica; if you would like to apply to do so, please tell us on your application. Also, you are welcome to register for a Quest in addition to these programs.

Program	Contact	Application Checklist	Deadline
Teen Service Learning Costa Rica	Aaron Mandel aaron@tawonga.org 131 Stuart Street	<input type="checkbox"/> Register at www.tawonga.org <input type="checkbox"/> Application pages 1, 2, and sign bottom of 4 (or online application) <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation form, along with envelope addressed to Aaron Mandel, given to a reference <input type="checkbox"/> Call to schedule an interview 415.543.2267 x102	Apply today. We begin interviews immediately and continue through the year as spots remain available.
Counselor In Training	Suite 460 San Francisco, CA 94105	<input type="checkbox"/> Register at www.tawonga.org <input type="checkbox"/> Application pages 1, 3 & 4 (or online application) <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation form, along with envelope addressed to Aaron Mandel, given to a reference <input type="checkbox"/> Call to schedule an interview 415.543.2267 x102	
Specialist In Training	415.543.2267 x102	<input type="checkbox"/> Register at www.tawonga.org <input type="checkbox"/> Application pages 1, 3 & 4 (or online application) <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation form, along with envelope addressed to Aaron Mandel, given to a reference <input type="checkbox"/> Call to schedule an interview 415.543.2267 x102	

If cost causes any hardship, please let us know immediately and we will send you a Financial Assistance application (due in the first week of March).

Program Highlights

TSL Costa Rica	Travel and work to make a positive difference, learn about social justice through a Jewish lens, cultivate your own global perspective and come back to Tawonga to share your experience.
SIT*	Participate in leadership workshops, get hands-on training from specialists in all program areas, have a great overnight trip, go river rafting, develop your program skills and work with kids.
CIT	Participate in leadership workshops, get hands-on training working with kids, have an overnight rafting trip and learn to plan bunk and all-camp activities.

Service learning and leadership programs are fun and challenging. We are confident you will leave these programs with wonderful memories of laughter, sweat, friendship, experiences of overcoming conflict and frustration, and a new maturity. The skills and insights you gain will add to your application for a Tawonga staff position in the future.

To apply for any of these programs, first register at www.tawonga.org then complete this application and distribute the enclosed reference form as soon as possible. **Please call to set up an interview a few days after you send your application. Note that these programs are quite competitive.** We place strong emphasis on both experience and initiative. Send your application soon. Good luck!

* Tawonga's Specialist in Training program includes Wilderness Leaders in Training. Learn what it takes to become a future lifeguard, wilderness leader, arts & crafts guru, programmer or pretty much any other Camp Tawonga specialist, trying out all the departments before choosing the three in which you are most interested.

Sincerely,

Aaron Mandel
 Teen Program Coordinator