



Camp S.W.A.G. Background Check Process

For the safety of our students and staff, Camp S.W.A.G. has an employee or volunteer application and background check process. There are several categories of employees and volunteers which require a criminal background check under certain conditions. Please review the chart below to access the appropriate forms as needed:

Category	Background Check Requirement
Teen Volunteers – Volunteers 17 and younger are not required to undergo a background check. However, they are required to complete a volunteer application which is kept on file at the Camp S.W.A.G. office.	No background check required.
Occasional Volunteers – Individuals wishing to volunteer on an occasional basis, i.e., career day, field day, etc. are required to complete the volunteer background check.	Depends on the interaction with the youth whether or not it is a fingerprint background check.
Supervised (in line of sight of Camp S.W.A.G. staff member) volunteering with children – An individual wishing to volunteer on a regular basis beyond with his/her child, is required to complete a volunteer application and undergo a background check. For example, an individual who volunteers to come in on a monthly basis to interact with youth, all Camp S.W.A.G. events and membership programs, etc	Fingerprint background checks are required, by a law enforcement agency or designated Camp S.W.A.G. approved background check agency.
Volunteers with access to youth in an unsupervised setting (not in line of sight of Camp S.W.A.G. staff member) – Volunteers wishing to engage with students on a regular basis, all Camp S.W.A.G. regular and resident camps, and all Camp S.W.A.G. field trips, etc. For example, an individual who volunteers to come in on a weekly basis to teach/mentor classes at any of the Camp S.W.A.G. programs and/or events, etc. Volunteers must complete an FBI Fingerprint Background Check form. This form will be provided by Camp S.W.A.G.	Requires an FBI fingerprint background check.



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<p>All employees of Camp S.W.A.G. are required to have an FBI fingerprint background check.</p> <p>Please return background consent forms via email to admin@cs wag.org or mail to:</p> <p>Camp S.W.A.G. P. O. Box 480575 Los Angeles, CA 90048</p> <p>Please contact Camp S.W.A.G. with any questions.</p>	