

A Thousand Summers campership applications are available on a new software platform. To set up an account or activate an existing A Thousand Summers account complete the following.


## STEP 1: Apply / Sign In

From the ATS website, navigate to Programs then Apply /Sign In. First time applicants will select the red 'Create an Account' button. Returning families will select the red 'Sign-In' button.



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## Apply / Sign In



**NEW FAMILIES**  
Create a new account

[CREATE AN ACCOUNT HERE](#)



**RETURNING FAMILIES**  
Sign-in to complete a 2023 Campership Application

[SIGN-IN](#)

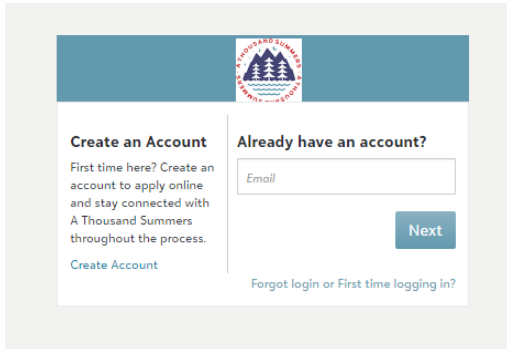
To submit 2022 ATS Post Camp Requirements, [login here](#).

If you forgot your password, click SIGN-IN and then click RETRIEVE/SET PASSWORD. You will receive an email to reset your password.

If at any point you have any questions, please contact us at 1.720.981.2532 ext 102 or via [email](#).

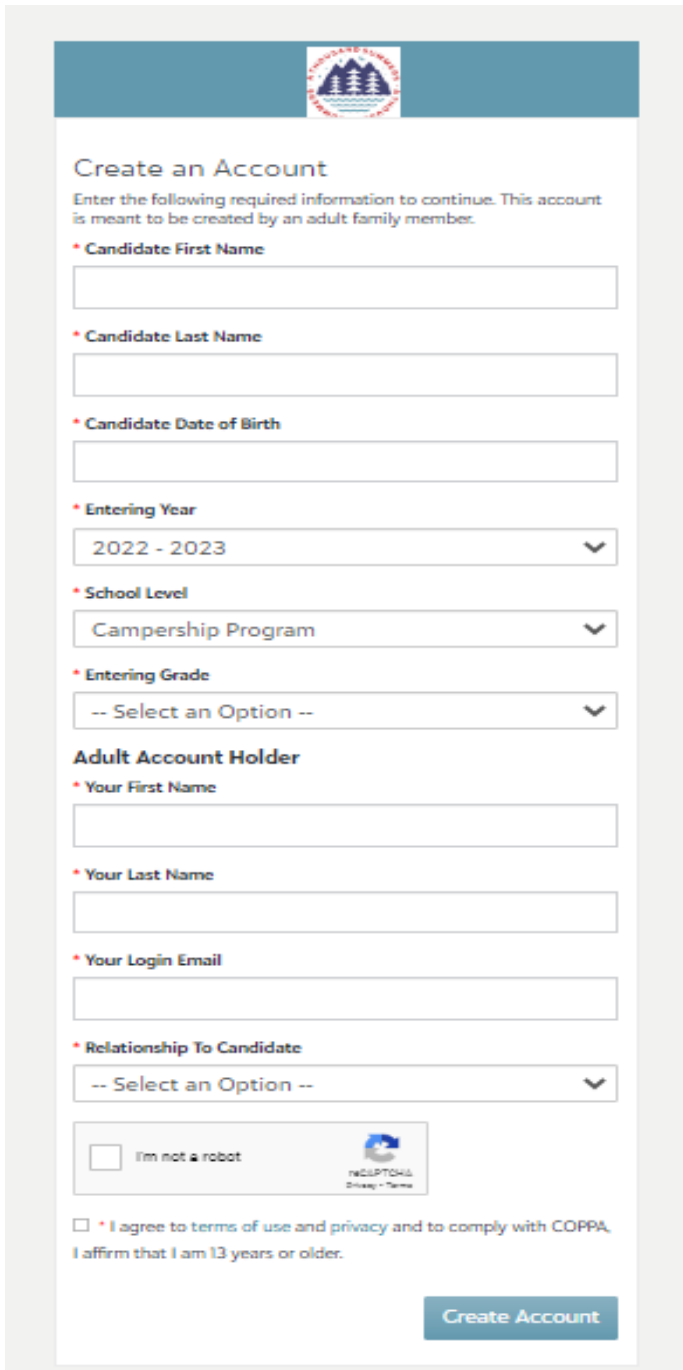
## STEP 2: Create your Blackbaud ID account

Select 'Create Account' at the bottom left of the screen



The screenshot shows the top portion of the Blackbaud ID account creation page. At the top left, there is a blue header with the Blackbaud logo. Below the header, the page is split into two columns. The left column is titled 'Create an Account' and contains the text: 'First time here? Create an account to apply online and stay connected with A Thousand Summers throughout the process.' Below this text is a blue button labeled 'Create Account'. The right column is titled 'Already have an account?' and contains an input field labeled 'Email' and a blue button labeled 'Next'. At the bottom of the right column, there is a link that says 'Forgot login or First time logging in?'.

Complete the form and select the blue 'Create Account' button at the bottom to submit.



The screenshot shows the full Blackbaud ID account creation form. At the top, there is a blue header with the Blackbaud logo. Below the header, the page is titled 'Create an Account' and contains the text: 'Enter the following required information to continue. This account is meant to be created by an adult family member.' The form is divided into two main sections: 'Candidate' and 'Adult Account Holder'. The 'Candidate' section includes fields for 'Candidate First Name', 'Candidate Last Name', 'Candidate Date of Birth', 'Entering Year' (a dropdown menu with '2022 - 2023' selected), 'School Level' (a dropdown menu with 'Campership Program' selected), and 'Entering Grade' (a dropdown menu with '-- Select an Option --' selected). The 'Adult Account Holder' section includes fields for 'Your First Name', 'Your Last Name', 'Your Login Email', and 'Relationship To Candidate' (a dropdown menu with '-- Select an Option --' selected). Below these fields, there is a checkbox labeled 'I'm not a robot' and a CAPTCHA image. At the bottom of the form, there is a checkbox labeled 'I agree to terms of use and privacy and to comply with COPPA. I affirm that I am 13 years or older.' and a blue button labeled 'Create Account'.

### STEP 3: Confirm your account

Within a few minutes of signing up, you will receive an email with the subject 'Finish setting up your ATS account'. Click the confirm link or button in this email to confirm your account creation within 24 hours.

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Hi {Name},

To finish setting up your account, please confirm your email address within 24 hours.

[Confirm](#)

[Need help?](#)

## STEP 4: Create your account login and password

*NOTE: If you receive 'The user already exists' error message, your information has been transferred to Blackbaud. Select the blue 'Sign in' option at the bottom right. Select the 'Forgot Password' option and follow the prompts to create a password below.*

### To create your account, either:

Option 1: Enter the email address that you want to become your login email address, create a password and enter your first and last names. Once you've entered the required information, click the blue Sign Up button to submit.

Option 2: To use a Google account for authentication (a @gmail.com email is not required), select the Sign up with Google button. You will sign in using credentials managed in Google and skip to Step 4.

## Sign up

*Must contain at least 12 characters and 3 of the following:*

- Capital letter
- Lowercase letter
- Number
- Special character (!, #, %, etc.)

By continuing below, you are agreeing to the Blackbaud, Inc. [Terms of Use](#) and [Privacy Policy](#).

or

Already have an account? [Sign in](#)

[Need help? Have questions?](#)

## STEP 5: Sign in with your Blackbaud ID

On the A Thousand Summers sign in page, enter your email address.

Sign in


Email address  
myemail@email.com


Password

Forgot password?  Remember my email

Sign in

or

 Sign in with Google

 Sign in with Apple

[Need an account? Sign up](#)

[Need help? Have questions?](#)

### Tips:

- To ensure you receive emails, add [athousandsummers@myschoolapp.com](mailto:athousandsummers@myschoolapp.com) and [noreply@blackbaud.com](mailto:noreply@blackbaud.com) to your safe senders list in your email account. Otherwise, you will need to look in your Spam/Junk folder to find these emails.
- If you create a Blackbaud ID using Option 1 in Step 4, you will use the Forgot password? Link on the Blackbaud ID Sign in page to request a password reset email.
- If you select the Sign in with Google button, you will manage your password through your Google account. A @gmail.com email is not required to create a Blackbaud account using a Google account for authentication.
- To request a new invitation email (Step 1) contact A Thousand Summers.
- To request a new Confirmation email (Step 3), go to to <https://signin.blackbaud.com> and enter your email address and password to sign in. When prompted, select the option to resend the confirmation email.
- When signing up, if you receive the message 'The user already exists.', that means a Blackbaud ID has already been created with your email address. Sign in with your login email/ Blackbaud ID and use the Forgot password? Link to reset your password if needed.