

Head Counselor Seasonal Position Job Description

Description:

Assist the Assistant Camp Director (AD) in the daily operations and logistics of summer camp, including teaching when necessary. Two positions are available -- one at the Caratunk Wildlife Refuge in Seekonk, MA and one at Audubon's Nature Center & Aquarium in Bristol, RI.

Responsibilities:

- Communicate and collaborate with the AD to ensure smooth functioning of daily camp activities.
- Contribute to maintaining a positive and inclusive camp environment. Encourage staff and campers to work together as a team.
- Collaborate with camp instructors in the development and implementation of high-quality activities.
- Assist the AD and camp counselors in tailoring activities to the developmental needs and interests of each age group.
- Be able to teach when needed.
- Assist in supervising campers and model appropriate behavior management techniques.
- Assist with games, songs, and creative activities.
- Assist the AD and counselors in managing resources and materials for activities.
- Communicate effectively with supervisors, campers, parents, and fellow staff members
- Be aware of and adhere to camp safety protocols and follow established procedures for the well-being of campers.
- Attend camp trainings.

Qualifications:

- Must be at least 18 years of age.
- Must exhibit enthusiasm and love working with children.

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- Must be able to physically active outside in the sun all day.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal abilities.
- CPR and First Aid certification (or willingness to obtain).
- Previous camp counseling experience with the Audubon Society of RI or equivalent work is a plus.
- Favorable completion Criminal and Sex Offender Information is necessary.

Schedule: June 16th to August 8th; Compensation: \$20.00/hour

To Apply:

Audubon is committed to representing Rhode Island's diversity in our staff, volunteers, boards, and membership and creating a positive, inclusive workplace culture where all can thrive. We encourage anyone who is interested in this role to apply, regardless of whether you think you meet all the qualifications. The top candidates will have their own unique perspectives, experiences, and backgrounds. Please send a cover letter and resume to thall@asri.org

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