



**CENTER for
AQUATIC
SCIENCES**
at Adventure Aquarium

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| JOB TITLE: | Science Education Instructor | CLASSIFICATION: | Part -Time, Seasonal |
| DEPARTMENT: | Education | REPORTS TO: Mngr. of Outreach & Public Programs | |
| PURPOSE: | Under the direction of the Manager of Outreach and Public Programs, the Science Education Instructor delivers engaging, science-based programs for the Center for Aquatic Sciences within Adventure Aquarium. Programs include outreach, classes, tours and labs. | | |
| MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver aquatic and environmental science based educational programs for all ages. • Responsible for knowing and abiding by proper handling, transportation, presentation, and interaction protocols for a diverse collection of animals in preparation for and during programs, when applicable. • Facilitate science-based games, activities and crafts. • Perform other related duties as assigned by the Manager of Outreach and Public Programs. • Days and working hours vary weekly; typically, 10-24 hrs./week. | | | |
| KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES REQUIRED: | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enthusiastic passion for engaging children in hands-on learning. • Ability to read and follow lesson plans for specific programs. • Have a solid understanding of basic biology, marine science and aquatic ecology. • Ability to communicate and relate well to individuals of all ages, especially PreK-8. • Must be creative, well organized, self-starting and a team player. • Ability to work a flexible schedule including occasional weekends and evenings. • Comfort with handling a variety of live animals including marine invertebrates and reptiles. • One-year experience teaching children in an informal/formal setting. • Creative, organized and flexible. • Excellent character, integrity and adaptability. | | | |
| PHYSICAL AND MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Successful completion of pre-employment background and fingerprint check. • No history of allergy to plants or animals, which may interfere with ability to work. • Ability to lift 40 pounds. • Pass Criminal Background Check and Fingerprinting. | | | |
| <p>Compensation: \$13-\$14/hour</p> <p>How to Apply: Send resume and cover letter to HR@aquaticsciences.org or visit our website at www.aquaticsciences.org</p> <p>Application Deadline: June 18, 2021</p> | | | |