



Friends of Churchville Nature Center

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JOB DESCRIPTION

TITLE: 2024 Summer Camp Educator

COMPENSATION: \$575 per week

SCHEDULE: Summer Camp Educators work Monday through Friday (June 17 – August 23). Summer camp operations run from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Educators must arrive by 8:30 AM on Mondays to receive camp rosters and attend camp counselor introductions. A paid training day is scheduled for 6/8/2024.

POSITION DESCRIPTION: As a seasonal employee of the Friends of Churchville Nature Center, Summer Camp Educators are responsible for providing children with high-quality educational and recreational experiences. Each week focuses on a different science/nature topic with educators having the autonomy to design and implement their own curriculum plans relevant to the theme. Educators have access to a variety of learning materials and can make requests to the Summer Camp Coordinator for additional supplies as needed. Inspire the next generation of naturalists through engaging lessons, crafts, and activities. Camp groups range from 10 to 15 kids between the ages of 4-13. Volunteer summer camp counselors will assist educators in leading groups.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Must be 18 years of age or older (college students, recent graduates, and teachers are strongly encouraged to apply).
- Knowledgeable in the natural sciences and/or education (formal degree not required).
- Must obtain PA child abuse clearances, pass a criminal background check, and pass an FBI fingerprinting check.
- Be able to commit to all 10 weeks of camp (vacations and time off must be preapproved).

OPTIONAL LESSON PLAN SUBMISSION

Candidates for the Summer Camp Educator position have the option to submit a hypothetical lesson plan as a supplemental part of their application. Upon request, you will be sent a copy of the 2023 Summer Camp Brochure to create a brief 1-2 page lesson plan for one day of camp for any age group or theme.

HOW TO APPLY

Please email your application and resume along with any supplemental materials to our Summer Camp Coordinator, Susan Slawinski (y-skslawinski@buckscounty.org). Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis and qualified candidates will be contacted to schedule either a virtual or in-person interview.



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Application for 2024 Summer Camp Educator

Use this sheet as a cover letter with your resume attached. You may submit a further cover letter or additional materials if you desire to do so.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone #: _____

Educational Background: _____

What makes you a good match for this position?

Please send this sheet, a resume, and any supplementary materials by mail or email to the contact below to be considered for the position. Applications are considered on a rolling basis. Send any questions about the position to the below contact as well.

Susan Slawinski

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