

Job Title: Nature Educator
Department: Support Staff
Reports to: Assistant Program Director

Position Summary:

The role of the Nature Educator is to teach campers to observe and appreciate God’s infinitely creative and fascinating handiwork in nature. Working in this position should help you in developing your own appreciation, knowledge, and awareness of God’s creation.

Specific Responsibilities

- Create and implement outdoor education classes for campers
- Assist teaching nature class, which include hiking and working in a field lab classroom setting
- Create interpretive displays for self-directed learning that will be available for campers and guests
- Assist campers in the Nature Center during camp free time each afternoon
- Taking care of camp animals: feeding them every day of the week, cage cleaning, and daily chores
- Communicate the need for supplies and materials in a timely manner with the directors
- Participate in staff community and additional program camp needs
- Spiritual Leadership - to lead campers and co-workers spiritually toward Christ. To live an exemplary life and to have a focus of love for the Lord and others

Support Staff Responsibilities

- Assist program team in set-up and running group games
- Help campers work towards earning their patch
- Have an assigned cabin each week to spend time with
- Assist where necessary with a variety of Camp and Conference duties as needed

Essential Qualifications

- Mature and ongoing relationship with Jesus Christ--ability to lead by example and word
- Honesty, not perfection in Christian walk
- Ability to have fun and keep a good attitude amidst adverse conditions
- Commitment to camp ministry and its values
- Possess Christian attitude and conduct
- Well-grounded in the Word of God
- Be flexible and accommodating to all groups and schedules
- Ensure the safety of campers physically, emotionally, and spiritually

*This job description is by no means all inclusive. It is an overview to provide a general idea of what the position involves. There will be other camp duties involved and on occasion you may be asked to fill in for other positions when the need arises.

Employee Review:

I have read the above and understand that it is intended to describe the general content of and requirements for performing this job. It is not an exhaustive statement of duties, responsibilities, or requirements. I understand that this description does not preclude my supervisor’s authority to add or change duties or responsibilities and understand that the performance of other duties will be required from time-to-time in order to meet the ministry’s needs. I have been given a copy of this description.

Staff’s Signature: _____ Date: _____