



Title/Position: Wonder Camp Leader

Reports to: Program Coordinator

General Responsibilities: Camp Leaders are responsible for creating a meaningful camp experience through the daily activities of Wonder Camps for children aged 4-10 by leading age-appropriate, theme-based activities that promote positive growth and intentional learning.

Duties will include but are not limited to:

- Going out of your way to create a meaningful experience for campers and their adults
- Ensuring Wonder Camp expectations are met at the highest level, including facilitation of projects/demonstrations, free play periods, lunchtime and snack coverage, and drop-off and release
- Oversee the direction and organization of campers during activities, games, projects/demonstrations, and play.
- Direct and assign Wonder Guides to camp duties
- Ensuring successful drop-off and release of campers
- Be a role model for campers and camp staff in attitude and behavior
- Represent Wonder Camp when interacting with parents and members of the community
- Communicate concerns, updates, and challenges to Program Coordinator regularly
- Communicate any day-to-day information to campers' adults as necessary
- Setting up all necessary equipment and materials for daily camp activities
- Other duties as assigned

Required Skills:

1. High school diploma and 3 or more years' experience in a similar position; Post-secondary education in early education or related field preferred
2. Experience working with children aged 4-10
3. Knowledge of camp activities, songs, and games preferred
4. Understanding of the developmental needs of children
5. Commitment to actively engaging and interacting with young learners and their adults
6. High comfort level working with children in a fast-paced, high-traffic, public environment
7. Ability to provide clear and effective communication to other camp staff
8. Views children as capable and competent and recognizes that children learn naturally through play
9. Ability to genuinely communicate with diverse guests of all backgrounds and abilities
10. Ability to respond to urgent/emergency situations in a calm, comforting manner
11. Ability to independently manage and prioritize several tasks efficiently and with ease
12. Reliable, flexible, and able to work cooperatively with other camp and museum staff members as a positive team player
13. A strong commitment to the mission, vision, and values of WCM

Essential Physical Functions: On any given day, may be frequently required to do one or more of the following: climbing, stooping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, lifting up to 25 pounds and moving short distances