

Title/Position: Play Guide (Full Time Mon-Fri)

Reports to : Director of Programs

General Responsibilities: The Play Guide works with other members of the Programs Team to deliver

high-quality STEAM-based classes and pop-up activities throughout the museum and assists in onboarding, exit, and facilitation of Exploration and

Adventure field trips

Duties will include but are not limited to:

1. Going out of your way to create a meaningful experience for members and guests

- 2. Independently facilitating pop-up activities throughout the museum
- 3. Assisting program staff in daily programming and additional pop-up activities
- 4. Participating in weekly activity planning meeting in collaboration with Programs team
- 5. Performing intake and exit procedures for Exploration field trips
- 6. Co-facilitating Adventure field trips with other members of the program team
- 7. Addressing visitor questions and concerns with urgency and professionalism
- 8. Assisting Guest Services staff in performing exhibit opening, closing, and midday cleaning procedures
- 9. Performing other tasks as assigned by Director of Programs

Required Skills:

- 1. Must be 18 years of age
- 2. Post-secondary education preferred
- 3. Commitment to excellence in customer service and teamwork
- 4. Experience engaging and interacting with young learners and their adults
- 5. High comfort level working with children in a fast-paced, high-traffic, public environment
- 6. Views children as capable and competent and recognizes that children learn naturally through play
- 7. Ability to genuinely communicate with diverse guests of all backgrounds and abilities
- 8. Ability to respond to guest needs and urgent/emergency situations in a calm, comforting manner
- 9. Ability to independently manage and prioritize several tasks efficiently and with ease
- 10. Reliable, flexible, and able to work cooperatively with other staff members as a positive team player
- 11. 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

Hours of work: Monday 9:00a-3:00p, Tuesday-Friday 8:30a-4:30p

Compensation: \$15.00 per hour