

**TITLE/POSITION:** Assistant Camp Guide II

**Reports to:** Director of Play and Learning

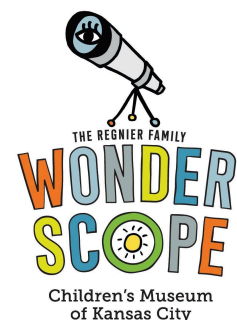
**Pay:** \$15 an hour

**General Responsibilities:**

Wonderscope is currently accepting applications for Level II Assistant Camp Guides who are outgoing, adaptable, and sensibly silly, with some previous classroom or camp experience. The Assistant Camp Guide will support the Camp Lead in providing a positive, high-quality experience for all campers and their families. This is a seasonal position, running from May 27th to August 1st, with the week of July 4th off. This position requires availability Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

**Duties will include, but are not limited to:**

1. Create a memorable experience for all campers by providing a welcoming, engaging, and fun environment.
2. Assist with preparing daily activities and projects to ensure each program is thoughtfully presented, organized, and executed.
3. Create an upbeat, positive atmosphere where campers feel open to exploring, trying new things, testing their knowledge, and getting messy in the Camp classroom and on the exhibit floor.
4. Must be comfortable leading a group of campers in various activities planned by the Camp Lead.
5. Ability to fill in for the Camp Lead when necessary
6. Follow Wonderscope's positive classroom management philosophy and help lead a class of up to 25 campers.
7. Treat each child with respect and consider their individual needs, meeting them at their level.
8. Proactively, quickly, and professionally respond to challenging or stressful situations like spills, accidents, camper behavior, etc.
9. Assist in daily set-up, cleaning, and maintenance duties of the camp classrooms, check-in/out support, play time, and lunch supervision.



10. Other duties as assigned.

**Required Skills:**

1. Must be 18 years of age
2. Currently working with children in an informal or formal setting OR currently studying in education, early childhood, theater or related field.
3. Effective behavior management experience
4. Knowledge of camp games, songs and activities or experience working in a camp setting
5. Commitment to teamwork and creating an excellent Wonder Camp experience
6. High comfort level working with children in a fast-paced, high-traffic, public environment
7. Views children as capable and competent and recognizes that children learn naturally through play
8. Ability to genuinely communicate with diverse guests of all backgrounds and abilities
9. Ability to respond to camper needs and urgent/emergency situations in a calm, comforting manner
10. Reliable, flexible, and able to work cooperatively with other camp and museum staff as a positive team player

**Required to apply:**

Cover Letter

Resume

Two references

Weekday availability

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

Send applications to:

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