



Teen Programs Intern, Outdoor Skills and Stewardship

Camp Fire Central Oregon strives to give young people the opportunity to gain the skills necessary to thrive throughout their lives and start making an impact on their community now. We are looking for motivated, creative, and enthusiastic individuals, who love educating and inspiring youth, to join our team for a ~12-week, 120 hour internship experience. Interns will receive a stipend of \$1000 at the end of service. Internships can start in late fall, winter or early spring. *Hours/week and exact start and end dates can be flexible and will vary based on activities offered, the intern's schedule, and Camp Fire's needs as mutually agreed upon.*

The focus of this internship is to create, recruit and implement age-appropriate activities for teens in 6th grade or higher as part of our new Teen Outdoor Skills and Stewardship programs or other opportunities for teen involvement/engagement in nature and service. Interns will work on partnership programs that combine environmental education, outdoor recreation, and stewardship in the spring, as well as add ideas and projects of their own related to service, leadership, or outdoor education, as well as continue to lay the groundwork for our summer programs. This internship provides an opportunity learn about curriculum development, group management techniques, and working with partner organizations through both planning and direct service with youth. This position will include a combination of training opportunities, planning, and delivery, as well as some special projects around removing barriers to getting teens outdoors. Interns starting in late fall will have more of an emphasis on program design, and logistics. Interns starting in winter or early spring will still be involved in planning, but will have a greater emphasis on recruitment and program implementation.

Interns will have a direct supervisor and regular meetings to review their progress. Goal setting, feedback, and reflection will be integrated into the intern's commitment. Interns will also be trained in Camp Fire's "Thriveology" Framework, including the what thriving looks like and the skills needed to thrive, as well as the role of an adult champion in the process. Interns will have access to the Camp Fire Learning Lab, an educational resource created and shared by Camp Fire National, with over 25 hours of online courses directly related to delivery and implementation of quality youth development programs.

To apply, please email jobs@campfireco.org with subject line "Teen Programs Intern 2017 [Your last name]". Include a single attachment titled "Teen Programs 2017 [Your last name]" which has a one page letter of interest stating what you hope to gain through this internship, why you would be a good fit with this organization, and why you think outdoor education and stewardship is important. Also please include any relevant experience working with youth, as well as your experiences in the outdoors, in a resume or outline format. All applications must be submitted by the end of the day on October 16, 2017.

Camp Fire's Statement of Inclusion: *Camp Fire works to realize the dignity and worth of each individual and to eliminate human barriers based on all assumptions that prejudice individuals. Designed and implemented to reduce sexual, racial, religious, and cultural stereotypes and to foster positive intercultural relationships, in Camp Fire, everyone is welcome.*

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