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## **Volunteer Job Opportunity:**

# **Assistant Summer Camp Counselor**

**Position:** Assistant Summer Camp Counselor

**Staff Contact Person:** Alison Rubbleman/Wendy Sabol

**Time Requirement:** 30-40 hrs/week

**Availability:** Weekdays, 8am-4pm

**Skills Needed (or willing to learn):**

- Experience teaching children 5-11 years old (environmental ed. experience preferred)
- Knowledge of, and experience teaching, the natural sciences
- Experience being outdoors—hiking, birding, fishing, catching insects, etc.

**Description:**

- Work along-side the summer camp counselors, providing environmental education to a group of 5-7 yr olds or a group of 8-11 year olds.
- Help supervise children in an outdoor, nature setting while also encouraging children to engage in the outdoor activity (ie. ponding, hiking, etc.)
- Monitor children while they are both inside and outside the Nature Center, as well as facilitating the movement from one area of the Nature Center to another
- Set up and conduct natural science activities as well as crafts
- Arrive before the program and stay after the program to help with set-up & take down
- Help develop new curriculum for the summer camp program (when needed)

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