



Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe

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Job Title: Preserving Our Homelands (POH) Summer Science Camp Jr. Counselor

Open Positions: Two (2)

Location: Mashop Farm and various locations

Reports to: Natural Resources Department and Indian Education

Department: Natural Resources

Status: 4-week Summer Program, 21 plus hours/week, 3 days per week Tue-Thur (July 6, 2021-July 29, 2021)

Salary: \$18.00 hourly

Summary:

The Mashpee Wampanoag Tribe POH summer camp, which will run 4 weeks for tribal youth entering Grades 5 through 8, is seeking an energetic, accountable Jr. Camp Counselor to provide a safe, fun and memorable experience for our campers. The Jr. Camp Counselor will be responsible for an assigned group of 8-10 campers for the duration of camp. Duties include overseeing transitions to and from scheduled events and lessons, facilitating and participating in group activities, supporting staff requests, and being able to process minor paperwork. The ideal candidate will be an excellent multitasker with a genuine passion for working with and empowering young people. Applicants should be patient, attentive and respectful, and have a positive attitude towards both science and Wampanoag traditions. Tribal youth with past POH Camp experience are encouraged to apply.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities include the following. Other duties may be assigned.

- Assist in keeping the program space safe, clean, stimulating and enjoyable.
- Serve as a positive role model following program guidelines for professional dress and behavior
- Snack and drink Preparation
- Maintain clear and respectful communication with other staff, youth, and families and community partners
- Set up and ensure recreation equipment is secure and stored properly.
- Instruct campers in daily routines and cleanup tasks.
- Plan and oversee camper activities.
- Guide and teach a range of outdoor activities
- Follow safety and emergency procedures and guidelines.



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Camp Counselor Requirements and Qualifications

- Must be at least 17 years old and have previous experience as a counselor-in-training, teacher, child care, or related field.
- Comfortable in a team-player role.
- Ability to multitask, prioritize, and manage time efficiently
- Encouraging to campers and patient when instructing.
- Ability to serve as a positive role model and mentor
- Must be able to swim
- Creative and innovative thinker and planner