

JOB TITLE: Spring Camp Instructor
REPORTS TO: Education Director
STATUS: Seasonal/Contract
ROP: \$18/hr



DISCOVERY
Center of Idaho

SCHEDULE:

Mon-Fri - March 6 - March 31, 2023

20-32 hours/week

40 hours/week March 20-24 (8:30am - 4:30pm)

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Discovery Center of Idaho's (DCI) mission is **to inspire lifelong interest and learning in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM)**. DCI serves its mission by developing, maintaining, and presenting interactive science exhibits as well as providing on- and off-site educational programs designed for multi-generational audiences.

The Camp Instructor fulfills our mission by delivering quality STEAM education to Spring Camp students in grades 2nd through 6th. Camp Instructors make science fun by providing hands-on activities, managing classrooms of up to 15 students, and leading small teams of Camp Volunteers.

TYPES OF JOBS YOU MAY HAVE HAD BEFORE:

- Elementary to High School Teacher
- Camp Counselor
- Informal Educator

DAILY DUTIES:

- Train on and familiarize understanding of camp STEAM based lesson plans and activities & prepare materials, for up to 20 hours between March 6- March 17
- Manage a classroom of up to 15 elementary-aged students, (per half-day session) from 8am-4pm, Monday-Friday from March 20 - March 24
- Organize materials, Evaluate and provide written report within 20 hours March 27 - March 31
- Interact with parents at the start and end of each day to ensure they know what their child learned
- Create and implement supplemental hands-on STEM activities to extend the curriculum developed by the Education Department, if necessary

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Any classroom management experience - formal or informal
- Strong interest in STEM and/or Art and in promoting STE(A)M education
- K-6 Education experience proven through classroom experience, education classes taken, volunteerism, and/or previous instructional positions held
- An advocate of inquiry-based learning
- Someone who is patient and kind despite challenging situations, especially in an informal learning environment
- Willingness to learn new things in a diverse environment
- Must be able to pass a background check

WHAT WE CAN OFFER YOU:

- The ability to take ownership of your position
- One of the most fun and unique places to work in the Treasure Valley

To apply, please email a copy of your resume and a cover letter to education@dcidaho.org with **Spring Camp Instructor position** in the subject line. Open until filled