



Camp Habitat
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Job Announcement: 2025 Camp Habitat Instructors

Overview - Camp Habitat is a youth nature education and ecology camp located at Creamer’s Field Migratory Waterfowl Refuge in Fairbanks. Instructors are responsible for the complete curriculum planning, leadership, and supervision for one group of 8-12 children per week. Groups range in age from 4 - 5 (pre-school) and 6 - 11 years old (day camp). Instructors develop, organize, and implement developmentally appropriate, fun, and educational activities to facilitate children’s exploration and discovery of nature.

Other Responsibilities

- Participate in staff training sessions, and become familiar with Creamer’s Field Refuge
- Work as a team to communicate well with the Director, fellow staff, and volunteers
- Prepare lessons based on the Camp Habitat curriculum
- Attend and participate in staff meetings
- Assure a safe physical & psychologically supportive environment for all children
- Other duties as assigned by the Director

Qualifications Desired

- Enrolled in or graduate of college in the field of education, natural science, or a related field
- Sincere enjoyment and respect for children and nature
- Experience teaching and/or working with children
- Strong ability to plan and facilitate a week’s activities
- General knowledge of ecological processes, Alaskan flora and fauna, basic outdoor skills, and sound environmental practices
- Flexibility, enthusiasm, and the desire and ability to make environmental education a fun, experiential journey of discovery
- Must pass a background check upon hire and have a valid driver’s license

Date	Camp
June 9-13, 2025	Staff Training
June 16-20, 2025	Nature Sprouts AM/ Staff Training PM
June 23-27, 2025	Camp Habitat – Week #1
June 30- July 4, 2025	OFF WEEK
July 7-11, 2025	Camp Habitat – Week #2
July 14-18, 2025	Camp Habitat – Week #3
July 21-25, 2025	Camp Habitat – Week #4
July 28-31, 2025	Clean-up

Employment Details

- \$17-19/hour, DOE.
- No health insurance, paid sick or vacation leave

To Apply

Please send a cover letter, resume, and list of three references (with phone numbers and email addresses) to Lauren@friendsofcreamersfield.org - or drop it off at the Creamer’s Field Farmhouse at 1300 College Rd. If emailed, all materials should be sent in a pdf format. Position open until filled. The first review date is February 28th, 2025.

For more information call or email Lauren Puleo at (907) 888-7304 or Lauren@friendsofcreamersfield.org