



Outdoor/Adventure Education Internship

Job Description

Position Overview:

Delaware County Christian School Summer Programs operates as an outreach of the school during the summer months. The program has three integrated portions including day camps, sports instruction and academic enrichment. DCCS is blessed with a 30 acre campus, high and low ropes course elements and a 100 acre neighboring preserve. Part of the vision for upcoming summer seasons is to utilize these facilities more effectively in serving our campers. We are seeking an ambitious candidate for this new outdoor education internship position. This is a paid internship with housing provided if necessary. If you are interested in working in the fields of camp ministry or education in general and are confident in training staff and leading groups independently then this will serve as a great opportunity for you. In addition to Outdoor education and adventure programming you will be working alongside our summer camp program coordinator planning and leading activities camp wide.

Reports to: Director of Summer Programs

Responsibilities:

1. Manage the operation of the high and low ropes courses.
2. Communicate with groups prior to and following events for the purpose of creating a meaningful experience for them and gaining valuable feedback for future programs.
3. Train and scheduling staff members to facilitate events.
4. Maintaining adventure programming facilities, ropes course elements and equipment.
5. Working with the summer program coordinator in planning and leading camp wide activities.

Qualifications:

1. Must know Jesus as their savior and have a passion for sharing His message with elementary and middle school aged campers.
2. Must have strong communication skills with both youth and adults.
3. Must be actively pursuing a degree in outdoor education, youth ministry or equivalent field.
4. 2 or more summers experience in camp activity programming or equivalent experience..
5. Experience in ropes facilitation planning and implementation.

Time Frame:

- June 14 – August 6, 2021
- Hours: 8:15 – 4:15 on a typical day

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