

Kentucky 4-H Camp Position Description – Challenge Course Intern

Qualifications	18 years of age or older High Ropes training (provided) CPR, First Aid, and AED Certification College experience preferred
Supervisor	Camp Director or Program Coordinator
Benefits	\$1,500 - \$1,900 monthly; meals and housing
Length of Employment	Seasonal (May to August)
Locations	J.M. Feltner 4-H Camp (London, KY) Lake Cumberland 4-H Center (Jabez, KY) North Central 4-H Camp (Carlisle, KY) West Kentucky 4-H Camp (Dawson Springs, KY)

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Conduct educational classes. Prepare detailed, progressive lesson plans for at least 4 hours of instruction to be conducted on fixed and portable low rope elements, challenge activities and high ropes course, including rainy day instruction.
2. Before the course’s first use, perform a daily inspection of ropes course equipment and the environment. Maintain daily ropes logs. Remove any obstacles from course area, i.e. fallen limbs, roots and other hazards. Report any defects in equipment or necessary repairs to the Maintenance Supervisor immediately. Per ACCT standards, sanitize helmets and clean bandanas daily, and clean other equipment as necessary.
3. Ensure a minimum of a ratio of 1 adult per 12 participants for the low ropes course. Two facilitators are required for a group. Maximum of 20 participants per class.
4. Ensure a minimum of a ratio of 1 adult per 10 participants for the high ropes course.
5. (West Kentucky) A minimum of 1 staff member must accompany the bus with campers in transporting them to and from the ropes courses. Staff will provide an orientation to campers on the first day they are transported to class.

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. The staff are to arrive at camp on a pre-designated day and time arranged by the Camp Director before opening day of camp. After that, they return from breaks between camping sessions at a time established by the Camp Director.
2. Staff must remain on the campground in camp housing throughout each camp session.
3. Staff will be available to assist the Camp Director in managing emergency events, e.g. severe weather, tornado warning, evacuation, missing camper. Specific responsibilities will be assigned.

4. The staff are to assist the county in executing the camp program in a team effort with adult and teen leaders and Extension Agents, all working toward one common goal of helping campers have an educational, safe and fun time at 4-H camp.
5. The staff are responsible to the Camp Director from camp "wake-up" to "lights out" for assignment to all camp duties and class responsibilities.
6. All staff are to be available to carry out their responsibilities at all resident 4-H camps and weekend 4-H camps, if requested. The staff are to be available and will be compensated when working for non-extension youth groups or outside rental groups.
7. They should maintain a good working relationship with co-workers, Camp Director, Extension personnel, volunteer leaders, campers and others.
8. They must report to the Camp Director any needs or problems occurring during the camp season.
9. The staff are required to keep working areas clean and free from safety hazards.
10. Staff must provide an end of year inventory and status report of all resource material, teaching aids, and equipment associated with their assigned areas.
11. Assist with camp operations such as food services, marketing, and camp cleaning.
12. Staff must perform any other duties as outlined by the Camp Director or Program Coordinator.
13. Staff must complete assigned duties and abide by 4-H Camp Policies and Procedures.

I have reviewed and understood the position description.

Employee Signature

Date

