Wahsega 4-H Center: Jobs Environmental Educator

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Lead K-12 students in multi-disciplinary classes in the outdoors at Wahsega 4-H Center in the North Georgia Mountains near Dahlonega. Wahsega 4-H Center is a residential educational facility for students attending 1-, 2- or 3-day field studies.

Class subjects offered include both life and earth science, survival skills, team building, high- and lowropes challenges, and pioneer living skills. Two weeks of paid, in-depth training in all subject areas is provided. Other duties include care of captive wildlife in the herpetology lab, curriculum development, assisting in cleanup of facilities at the end of each session and 2 to 3 hours of KP (Kitchen Patrol) each week.

REQUIREMENTS:

Commitment, genuine interest in child development, dynamic personality, well-developed communication skills, creativity, and leadership ability; Required a Bachelor's degree. Bachelor's degree in Education, Natural Science, Environmental Education, Biology, Forestry, Outdoor Education, or related fields preferred. Separate staff housing provided on-site; we do not require staff to chaperone children overnight. Inquire about internships for college seniors. Successful applicants will be required to authorize a background check which must clear before starting work.

LOCATION:

Live and work at Wahsega 4-H Center in the beautiful Chattahoochee National Forest just minutes from the Appalachian Trail, cascading waterfalls and numerous other recreational opportunities.

SEASON:

Spring – February 15th through May 20th. Fall: September 1-November 20. Please apply 1-4 months before season begins.

SALARY:

Educators receive \$10.25/hr (before taxes). \$20/week is deducted from their pay for housing. Meals are available for \$2.50 per meal.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Please send a resume with a cover letter expressing your interest in being an Environmental Educator at Wahsega 4-H Center to Adam Rolwes, our Program Coordinator.

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Applications for spring and fall positions are accepted year-round.