

## Camp Instructor

Put your passion for the desert to work. To apply for an open position, please forward resume and letter of interest to [hr@dbg.org](mailto:hr@dbg.org), fax to: 480.481.8173, or mail to:

Human Resources  
Desert Botanical Garden  
1201 N. Galvin Parkway  
Phoenix, AZ 85008

Part-time, Temporary.

This position provides fun and engaging environmental education experiences for camp program participants!

Responsibilities include:

### Camp Planning

- Participate in team training and prep sessions (March 7-9) prior to the start of camp.
- Prepare & organize camp supplies and instructional materials for your class.
- Assist with camp clean up and debriefing.
- Communicate and plan with camp team to prepare and provide curriculum to best fit the age and interests and engagement style of your campers.

### Teaching

- Serve as lead teacher and primary supervisor for at least one week of day camp (7:45 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.) or extended camp (2:45 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.):
  - March 11 - 15 Aquatic Adventures
- Prepare classroom and facilitate activities while camp is in session.
- Maintain a safe, fun and well organized learning environment.
- Work as a team member with volunteers and staff to communicate daily with parents and produce excellent experiences for camp participants.

### Volunteer Coordination

- Coordinate team teaching and support responsibilities with volunteers.
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Informal Science Education Coordinator.

Qualifications include:

- B.A. or B.S. in Education, Environmental Education, Life Sciences or related field *or* comparable combination of education and experience.
- Demonstrated successful curriculum interpretation, teaching, and group management capabilities.
- Excellent interpersonal, organizational and communication skills.

- Welcoming, open-minded and enthusiastic demeanor with children and adults.
- Demonstrated initiative to learn content and take on challenges independently and within a group.
- Ability to successfully complete background check.
- Ability to traverse Garden trails in all weather.
- Light bending and lifting (up to 25 lbs.) associated with routine job duties.

The Desert Botanical Garden is an Equal Opportunity Employer and considers all applicants without regard to race, religion, color, sex, gender identity and/or expression, sexual orientation, marital or parental status, age, national origin, veteran status, disability, or any other status protected by law.

The Garden fosters and supports workplace diversity, equity and inclusion to honor the unique perspectives, experiences and contributions of all, to celebrate successes, and to cultivate individual and institutional excellence.

The benefits of regular employment at the Desert Botanical Garden include a stunning environment, competitive benefits package, complimentary family membership, employee cultural exchange, wellness initiatives and discounts.