



4-H On the Wild Side Adult Coach Job Description

Time Commitment: Four months, February-June

Responsible To: 4-H On the Wild Side Program Development Committee

Responsible For: Working in partnership with teens to plan and deliver environmental education lessons to 4th, 5th, and 6th grade students in a camp setting.

Qualifications:

- Basic organizational skills
- Good communication skills
- Desire and ability to work with teens, adults, and elementary school children
- Ability to work as part of a team
- Enthusiasm for project and openness to learn
- Flexibility

Specific Tasks:

- Attend monthly planning meetings, one Saturday training, a weekend retreat, and at least one weekend camp session
- Work with and encourage teens in planning and organizing camp lesson
- Provide coaching and guidance as teens teach hands-on science activities to elementary-school children in a camp setting
- Help with transportation to and from camp
- Register and clear a background check with the 4-H Youth Development Program

Benefits:

- Opportunity to build leadership, decision making, and planning skills
- Meet new people and new friends
- Meaningful opportunity to serve others
- Rewarding experience helping youth grow in their appreciation for the natural world