

Summer Zoo Camp Counselors

Zoo Camp Counselors will be required to work in teams of two to supervise groups of up to 16 campers each week during the Zoo's seven-week summer day camp program. Counselors will be responsible for overseeing the fun, safety, and well-being of campers as well as assisting with delivery of camp curriculum. Summer Zoo Camp runs from July 8 – August 23, Mon. – Fri., with a five-day training period in late June and/or early July. Qualified applicants will possess an enthusiastic outlook and upbeat, fun-loving personality. College students majoring in Education, Biology or related fields are encouraged to apply.

Counselor applicants must have experience working with children, and be available to work Mondays through Fridays from June 25 to August 23. The standard camp shift is 8:30 a.m.-3:45 p.m. with additional hours during one or two weeks of the summer to cover camp before and after care.

Zoo Camp Counselors are paid minimum wage.

A completed Zoo Employment Application, as well as current resume and cover letter outlining experience and desire to work at camp, should be submitted to:

Liz Thompson
On Site Programs Specialist
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