



CONNECTING KIDS WITH NATURE

Outdoor and Environmental Education Program YMCA CAMP SEYMOUR GIG HARBOR WA

Outdoor and Environmental Educators

Employment dates: August 20th. 2018 – June 14th, 2019.

Benefits: \$250- \$285 per week starting plus room, board, end of season bonus, and YMCA member-

ship

Considerations: Must be able to attend staff training August 20th —Sept 1st (weekends off) and commit to the full school year.

As a YMCA Camp Seymour Naturalist, you would be part of an inclusive and collaborative team working to provide quality programming to a diverse student population in the areas of natural science, outdoor skills, environmental stewardship and social awareness. Camp Seymour's site spans 160 acres of beautiful Northwest forest and a half mile of Puget Sound beach habitat. We offer classes in marine investigation, squid dissection, reptiles, forest investigation, sustainable systems, teambuilding, canoeing, orienteering, zip line, climbing wall, and many more. All naturalists teach classes; lead large group and evening activities; host meals; help maintain program areas and care for program animals; and model the YMCA core values of respect, caring, honesty and responsibility. We seek individuals dedicated to providing today's youth with positive, outdoor experiences. Required qualifications include a displayed ability to maintain a positive work attitude, a college degree or three years' experience in a related field, and a First Aid/CPR/AED certification. Favorable qualifications include Lifequard certification and experience with the BEETLES project. Paid training is provided in all aspects of the curriculum, program activities and emergency response. Opportunities for additional professional development, including Lifequard certification, are offered throughout our season. Benefits include YMCA membership, on-site room and board, an end of season bonus, access to program equipment, and satisfying work in the beautiful Pacific Northwest.

To apply: Send resume, letter of interest and three references to:

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