

JOB DESCRIPTION – SUMMER CAMP TEACHERS – WILASC January 2025

Job Title: Summer Camp Teacher

Location: Whidbey Island (South Whidbey, Coupeville, Oak Harbor)

Job Type: Seasonal / Part-Time. Half-day camps are 12-15 hours/week, full-day camps are 24-30 hours/week). Teachers can pick the camp weeks that fit their schedule.

About Us

Whidbey Island Language, Art & STEM Center (WILASC) was founded in 2023 with the mission to provide opportunities for children and adults to explore their interests and develop new skills in languages, STEM and the arts. Our programs are diverse in nature, but all are guided by the same criteria: to nurture students' intellectual curiosity, develop their critical thinking skills and a global mindset, and inspire their lifelong love of learning.

Role Overview

We are seeking enthusiastic and experienced Summer Camp Teachers to lead engaging and educational camps for children on Whidbey Island. Our camps focus on outdoor nature exploration, art, STEM, coding and robotics, movement, and language enrichment. As a Summer Camp Teacher, you will create a fun, safe, and enriching environment that fosters curiosity, creativity, and a love for learning.

Key Responsibilities

- Plan, organize, and lead camp activities in your assigned area of expertise (e.g., nature, art, science, movement, or language).
- Foster a positive and inclusive environment that encourages participation and collaboration.
- Supervise and ensure the safety of campers during activities, transitions, and breaks.
- Communicate effectively with parents, guardians, and camp staff regarding camper progress and any concerns.
- Maintain and organize camp materials and supplies (any purchase of supplies will be reimbursed)
- Adapt activities to meet the needs and interests of campers with varying skill levels.
- Ensure compliance with camp policies and procedures.

Qualifications

- Proven experience in teaching or managing classrooms, camps, or similar environments.

- Expertise in at least one of the camp focus areas (nature, art, science, movement, or language).
- Strong leadership, communication, and organizational skills.
- Passion for working with children and creating a positive impact.
- Ability to handle challenges with patience, flexibility, and creativity.
- CPR and First Aid certification (or willingness to obtain before the start of camp).
- For outdoor camps: Ability to work outdoors and participate in physical activities as required.

Preferred Qualifications

- Educational background in teaching, child development, or related fields.
- Bilingual skills (for language camps).
- Familiarity with local natural areas and resources (for nature camps).

What We Offer

- Competitive pay
- Free classes and camps for your children/grand children when you are part of our teacher team
- Opportunities to share your passion and expertise with enthusiastic learners.
- The chance to make a lasting impact on children's summer experiences.
- Free housing *may* be arranged if you are from out of state (depending on availability)

To Apply:

Please send your resume to hello@wilasc.com with the subject line: APPLICATION FOR SUMMER CAMP TEACHER POSITION