HDFS INTERNSHIP SITE INFORMATION SHEET

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Internship Site Information:

MISSION:
Sierra Nevada Journeys is a local education non-profit and our mission is to deliver innovative outdoor, science-based education programs for youth to develop critical thinking skills and to inspire natural resource stewardship.

POSITION DESCRIPTION:
SNJ is currently seeking capable interns to lead small groups of elementary students on field-based studies at local natural areas, during the school year. Selected individuals will undergo orientation and training with SNJ, which will include classroom and field-based program observation.

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:
Outdoor field studies include leading trail groups of 12-15 students through a variety of field-based activities (problem solving, earth science, watershed science, natural systems etc.) during 1/2 day and full day field trips to local natural areas.

AVAILABILITY:
Must be available at least 2 weekdays a week from 9am-2pm
Commitment of at least 2 academic semesters (one semester commitment may be considered).

Number of Internships Available: 3

Student Requirements:

1. Experience working with kids (preferred not required)
2. Availability of at least 2 days per week from 9am-2pm (weekdays)
3. Commitment of at least 2 academic semesters. *One semester may be considered
4. Current Red Cross CPR & First Aid Certification, or willingness to obtain certification. *SNJ will help facilitate and cover costs
5. Reliable transportation; ability to pass background check; ability to lift up to 30lbs and hike 2-3 miles with backpack

How will student obtain this internship position?

Fill out and submit the application via our website (sierranevadajourneys.org), see direct link below.

https://snj.formstack.com/forms/volunteer_intern_application_reno

Or contact the Volunteer/Internship Coordinator (Mike Casale) directly at mcasale@sierranevadajourneys.org or call 775-355-1688