



Gaia Education Outreach Institute at Wild Rose Farm
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Wild Rose Farm is currently looking for an Assistant Guide on Thursdays from 3-5:45/6 for our Afternoon Program and maybe additional Program Hours on Friday's!

Teens and adults of all ages are encouraged to apply.
Compensation DOE

Wild Rose Farm empowers children to find and nurture relationships with nature, and to build a sense of unity and belonging with the land, the animals, and people that walk upon it. Our intention is simple: to nourish children with the sights, sounds, tastes and feel of this earth and the joy that abounds from simply being outside. We work with a land-to-craft curriculum (farm-to-table, grass-to-wool-fibre-craft, forest-to-wood-craft, nature-art-craft), engaging children practically and artistically with their hands in a farm and forest setting.

Assistant Guides

Assistant Guides work with Lead Guides to carry out the mission and vision of the organization Seasonal programming. Assistant Guides report directly to the Executive Director and, at the Executive Director's discretion, with the Managing Director of Program and Human Resources Development, and the Managing Director of Programs, Operations and Business. They are responsible for supporting Lead Guides with the following:

Key Responsibilities:

- **Support Lead Guides, as requested, with program facilitation:**
 - **Greet** participants as they arrive and acknowledge when they depart.
 - **Implement** Seasonal Program Daily Tasks as listed on 'Daily Tasks' checklist including 'Daily Attendance'.
 - **Set-up and clean-up** daily seasonal crafts, farm, garden and hand skills projects.
 - **Supervise**, as requested, free play areas during programs.

- **Rhythm:** Support the maintenance of the program 'Rhythm of the Day', and 'Rhythm of the Season'.
- **Set-up and Clean-up** completion of all pre and post seasonal program tasks including before, during and after Seasonal Programs.
- **Assist with one or more *Farm Art and Craft Specialties*** during seasonal programs in one or more but not limited to the following: Farming; Hay Making; Animal Care; Gardening; Forestry; Woodworking; TWCF field trips; Blacksmithing; Fire Making; Cooking; Herb Processing; Medicine Making; Wool Processing (cleaning, dying, spinning, felting etc.); Drawing & Painting; Sewing; Crafting and more.
- **Participate** in up to 1 hour of in-person program evaluation at the end of each seasonal Program block (3 times a year: Autumn, Winter and Spring) and on each last day (Friday) for 5 weeks of Summer Camp. Youth/Apprentice Guides are **not** expected to be an authority in a particular skill or craft; rather, they are encouraged to show the participants how one can commit themselves to learning regardless of how much skill they have obtained in something, so as the participant may spark an interest and commitment to skills building—especially if the learning opportunity presents challenge or is “uninteresting” at its onset. Skills practiced are both practical as well as social.

Assistant Guides will be open to receive mentorship and feedback, in their most compatible learning style, from Lead Guides.

To apply: Please send a letter of interest to elizabeth@wildrosefarmnh.org explaining why you would like to work with us.