

Naturalist Internship (unpaid)

The Naturalist Internship will provide a mutually beneficial experience for interns and Earthplace. Students gain experience in environmental education programming, animal care, and trail maintenance. Earthplace will benefit from the efforts of an interested individual to aid Naturalist Educators in these areas.

Requirements: Must have experience working with animals; have experience working with children; be physically capable of maintaining trails; and successfully complete a background check.

Duties:

- Assist Naturalist Educators in educational programming; educational exhibits; and at Earthplace events focused on education and community affinity;
- Assist Animal Care Technicians in care of resident animal species;
- Create program materials; prepare program supplies;
- Line trails and remove invasive species; participate in native gardening and habitat restoration projects;
- Manage volunteer groups;
- Study pertinent topics for educational programming; and give a presentation on the topics learned and duties completed at Earthplace.

Applicants must be 18+ years of age. Work schedule will be determined based on applicants. This is an unpaid position. The intern will receive a certificate of completion upon finishing the internship. E-mail v.swain@earthplace.org for more information and an application. Application deadline is 1/31/17.