



Education Coordinator (Contract, Part-Time)

Reports to: Education Director

Description: Contract Position (15-20 hours a week)

Summary: Works with the Education Director and Education Specialist to support and expand St. Johns Riverkeeper's education initiatives with a focus on growing Junior Riverkeeper afterschool programs and increasing educational programming and engagement in the Resilient Ribault project area. This is a contract position that ends on December 31, 2027 with the possibility of renewal.

Responsibilities include:

- Junior Riverkeeper Afterschool Program
 - Schedule and lead Junior Riverkeeper, a semi-monthly afterschool program focused on St. Johns River ecology and history for elementary and middle school students.
 - Expand Junior Riverkeeper by offering and leading the program at additional schools.
- Resilient Ribault Education
 - Organize, coordinate, and provide in-person environmental education programming for K-12th grade throughout the Resilient Ribault area.
 - Work with Education Director to develop new programs and curriculum where needed (in-classroom, online, summer camps, etc.).
 - Develop and maintain relationships with area schools, partners, and teachers.
- Additional Education & Outreach
 - Record relevant information and attendance in our departmental metrics and send updates to Education Director.
 - Provide hands-on support and lead additional education programs and events throughout the year as needed.
 - Lead occasional evening and weekend programs, such as educational hikes and boat tours for students and families.
 - Work with other staff members to incorporate education into all aspects of the organization.

Desired Skills and Qualifications:

- ✓ Extensive experience providing educational programming and leading hands-on learning activities for youth in and out of the classroom
- ✓ Ability to work and communicate effectively with a diversity of youth and adults from different backgrounds and ages
- ✓ Strategic and well-organized with the ability to problem-solve quickly, manage multiple tasks, and work independently to fulfill responsibilities, goals, and deadlines
- ✓ Ability to work flexible hours, including nights and weekends, and lift at least 25 pounds
- ✓ Excellent oral and interpersonal skills
- ✓ Working knowledge of river ecology and issues
- ✓ Must have a well-maintained vehicle in good working condition and sufficient insurance coverage
- ✓ Experience using online virtual platform(s) Zoom, Microsoft Teams, and/or Google Meet
- ✓ Commitment to the St Johns River, St Johns Riverkeeper, its mission and goals.

Hourly rate: \$33/hr

To apply, please send resume and letter of interest to:

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