

THE RIVER CENTER'S

2025

SUMMER
Internship

18 YEARS
OR OLDER

★ THREE INTERNSHIPS ★

MAY 12TH - AUGUST 15TH

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SO MUCH FUN IN THE SUN!

GET READY FOR THE ULTIMATE SUMMER EXPERIENCE!

SPEND TIME IN NATURE LEARNING ABOUT THE
LOXAHATCHEE RIVER.

LEARN TO LEAD EDUCATIONAL TOURS
AND ACTIVITIES FOR GROUPS OF ALL
AGES INCLUDING SUMMER CAMP.

HANDS-ON TRAINING IS PROVIDED

WHAT YOU WILL DO:

- KAYAKING
- SNORKELING
- HIKING
- FISHING
- SEINE & DIP NETTING
- SCIENCE

- PADDLEBOARDING
- BOAT TRIPS
- DISCOVER NEW PLACES
- LIFEGUARD CERTIFICATION

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Summer Internship with the River Center

Compensation: \$15 - \$15.50 per hour (dependent upon qualifications, experience and certifications)

SEASONAL, PART-TIME

Dates: Summer (May-August)

Times: Flexible, Monday - Saturday, between 8AM and 4 PM (Some weekends & nights required based on program requirements), ~20-45 hours per week. Staff & interns will work to create a schedule for each week of summer.

Complete an online application and email a resume and a cover letter.

Apply: <https://jobapps.hrdirectapps.com/applicantform/D4640347730/0>

Email: hr@lrccd.org

Website: www.lrdrivercenter.org

Job Info: <http://lrdrivercenter.org/about/internships/>

Job Description:

Education Interns will be responsible for leading education tours and activities at the center for visiting school, home school, and camp groups. Interns will also work with staff during at least two of our eight weeks of outdoor summer camp and will work in the field with other outdoor camps as necessary. Group tours occur Tuesday-Friday, in the morning and afternoon. During camp weeks, interns will work Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. and will be paid overtime for any hours over 40. Other daily responsibilities include, but are not limited to, greeting guests, caring for aquatic life, assisting in species collection, participating in outreach events, coordinating, and recruiting volunteers, leading children’s programs, and assisting with special events. Education Interns are also encouraged to create, implement, and evaluate their own interest program or project during their time at the River Center with the assistance of our Educators.

Training:

Hands-on training for all education programs will be provided by the River Center Staff. Interns will learn appropriate handling and care of fish and wildlife at the center. Interns will be invited to attend any applicable professional development workshops during their internship. Lifeguard certification is provided if necessary. Kayak paddling instruction will also be provided.

Qualifications:

Currently enrolled, degree-seeking, college student (preferred) or recent college graduate with a focus on: education, environmental sciences, marine sciences, biological science, water resources, etc. **Lifeguard or paddle certification a plus.** Applicants must be able to swim and successfully complete a Waterfront Lifeguard Certification Course. Required to drive a pickup truck with trailer. Basic computer skills. Required to work long hours outdoors in all types of weather. The applicant must have a valid Florida’s Driver License, clear driving record, clear background check and pass a drug test and physical.

This internship is funded by the Loxahatchee River District. **All employees are required to submit to a Level II background screen pursuant to Florida Statute 435** as a condition of employment and continued employment which includes, but need not be limited to, employment history checks, driver’s license checks and statewide criminal checks, and may include local criminal records checks through local law enforcement agencies.

We are looking to provide environmental education programs to more diverse groups within our community and the diversity in our staff is critical to reach these groups and make them feel welcome at our facility.

