

AmeriCorps Instructional Specialist (Half Time)



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Do you like working with kids? Interested in getting experience in the nonprofit world? Like teaching fun science topics like engineering, natural resources, gardening and animal science?

4-H CAPITAL is hiring half time AmeriCorps Positions for the 2013-2014 school year!

AmeriCorps Instructional Specialists lead and assist with afterschool hands-on science activities for at-risk elementary and middle school students across Travis County. Our members teach in one of five curriculum areas: Animal Science, Junior Master Gardener, Engineering, Natural Resources, and Myth Busters, using a combination of pre-design lessons and lessons you create.

Half Time instructors lead classes 1-2 days a week and assist another instructor 2-3 days a week. Instructors may be asked to teach at multiple school sites during the week (mileage is reimbursed from work site to work site).

On Fridays there is typically no after school programming, and time is used for staff meetings, planning and trainings.

Requirements:

- Commit to a term of service August 14 May 30
- Serve a total of 900 hours (20-25 hours a week)
- Typical hours are Monday Thursday from 1pm 6pm, and Friday 1pm 5pm
- Have a car and driver's license (or reliable transportation)
- Must consent to 4 part criminal background check

Benefits:

- Earn a stipend of \$6,406 (\$335.92 twice a month)
- Earn an education award of \$2,775 after successful completion your term
- Qualify for student loan forbearance during your term of service

How to Apply:

- 4-H CAPITAL requires that you complete the AmeriCorps application to apply, please follow these steps:
- Go to my.americorps.gov
- Click on "Search Listings" on the bottom
- Type in 4-H CAPITAL in the Program Name field and click "Search"
- Select either 4-H CAPITAL AmeriCorps Project Full Time or 4-H CAPITAL AmeriCorps Project Half Time
- Click "Apply Now" at the bottom
- Create a profile and apply directly to 4-H CAPITAL positions

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