

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

- Position:** Education Intern
- Location:** NC Aquarium on Roanoke Island
Attn: Wendie Paramore
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- Duration:** 10 week positions (start/end dates are flexible)
35-40 hours per week; evening, weekend, and holiday work required
- Salary:** \$8.25 per hour.
- Qualifications:** Applicants should be articulate; have good public speaking and organizational skills, and interact positively with the general public, children, co-workers, and volunteers. Candidates should be rising juniors or seniors majoring in Biology, Marine Sciences, Natural Resources, Environmental Education, Parks and Rec., or a related field. A flexible schedule and a valid driver's license are required. Prior experience working with the public and a working knowledge of the Outer Banks flora and fauna are preferred, but not required.
- Job Description:** Interns are an integral part of the NC Aquarium's Education team. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: setting up, announcing, and showing educational videos; conducting public programs on various marine/aquatic topics (sea turtles, sharks, alligators, river otters, jellyfish, wetlands, beachcombing, marine mammals, etc.); handling live animals; staffing discovery carts; monitoring visitor behavior and answering questions at the touch tanks; and being on the floor interacting with Aquarium visitors. Each intern will complete a project during his or her 10-week internship. Projects will be conceived, designed and presented by the intern per the approval of permanent staff. The Education curator or the full-time Educators will assign additional responsibilities and projects.
- Deadline:** 5:00 P.M. Thursday, March 15, 2012
- To Apply:** Send a cover letter of interest, current resume, up-to-date transcript, letter of reference from a professor. Mail this information to the address above