



MarineLab Summer Internship

Internship Overview: After some initial training, the Intern will work directly with our Instructor team to assist with all aspects of our marine science education programs. A large portion of time will be spent working our Summer Camp program with local students. Specifically, the internship will be spent helping with snorkel field trips, lab activities, camp activities and program equipment upkeep. Candidates should have a passion for the marine environment and be interested in gaining experience working in the marine science and/or informal education fields.

Hours: 20-40 hours per week

Pay: \$15/hour

Duration: June 5th - July 26th, 2023

Reports to: Director of Operations

Internship Duties and Responsibilities:

- Assist MarineLab Instructors on snorkel field trips by helping participants in the water and on the boat
- Work with Instructors to facilitate Summer camp activities like labs and games
- Help instructors set up and clean up after all programs
- Assist with a wide range of maintenance tasks including but not limited to: general upkeep of the facility (painting, etc.), cleaning boats, maintaining educational equipment (cleaning microscopes, calibrating water quality tools, creating/making/purchasing necessary curriculum supplies), cleaning snorkel gear and updating curriculum
- Contribute to the MarineLab educational program with projects supervised by Director of Operations
- Other duties as assigned

Minimum Qualifications:

- Must be a rising Junior or Senior in High School
- Monroe County resident
- Have transportation to and from MarineLab, *see benefits below for how we can assist with this
- Enjoy working with children ages 8-15 years old
- Have a passion for the marine environment with plans to pursue a career in the Marine Science field
- Comfortable on boats and in the water offshore, nearshore and in wavy conditions
- Strong snorkeling and swimming ability
- US Citizen or resident with the ability to legally work in the US

Why be a MarineLab Intern?

- Gain valuable experience working with students, snorkeling in various ocean habitats, and working on coast guard inspected vessels
- Some lunches included when working summer camp
- Travel reimbursement: MarineLab has limited funds to assist with fuel/bus pass/bicycle expenses, if necessary
- Work closely with and learn from our marine science Instructors

To Apply: Submit an application & recommendation letter by March 15th to Rachel Carrier, Director of Operations at rachel.carrier@marinelab.org.

Applications can be found on our website: <https://www.marinelab.org/hs-internship>

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