



Summer Camp Assistants

Positions: Contract, temporary, June-August

Reports: to Program Director

REACH seeks reliable, dedicated, energetic, enthusiastic individuals who love working with children and youth to assist with our summer programming as teaching assistants in the following capacities:

- **Art Truck Assistant:** schedule varies, June through August, 15-25hrs/wk
- **REACH-Lansing School District Summer Explorers Teaching Assistant:** 8am-3pm M-TH, June 17-28 & July 8-19, 28hrs/wk
- **REACH Summer AM Camp Assistant:** 8:30am-12:30pm, M-F, June 17—28 & July 8 – August 16, 20hrs/wk
- **REACH Summer PM Camp Assistant:** 12:30-4:30pm, M-F, June 17—28 & July 8 – August 16, 20hrs/wk

About Us

REACH STUDIO ART CENTER is a non-profit community art studio located in the REO Town District of Lansing, Michigan. REACH offers out-of-school art education for youth of all ages (2-18), and adults from the Greater Lansing Area, taught by local teaching artists.

Skills:

- Familiarity with and knowledge of a variety of art-making skills, techniques, processes, and mediums.
- Must possess a genuine love of working with children, and demonstrate ability to lead groups of youth which facilitate a positive learning environment and peer-to-peer interactions.
- Timeliness and good communication skills are required.
- Candidates must be reliable, motivated, consistent, flexible, able to take initiative and work independently.
- Ability to work well with others in a team environment, follow instructions, and work well with program staff
- Ability to go up and down stairs comfortably, and lift up to 30lbs.

Responsible for:

- Working with program director, REACH staff, and teaching artists to facilitate positive, fun, safe, inclusive summer camps and activities for participants.
- Supervision of youth participants as needed, during breaks and lunch time.
- Assisting with implementation of camp curriculum and providing support to the lead teaching artist.
- Monitoring and promoting student engagement and participation in camp activities.
- Assisting with setup and cleanup of materials, space, and equipment.

Requirements & Contract Details

- **Be 19+ years of age with 1-2 years of college-level study in studio art, art education, child development or other relevant field, OR equivalent professional experience (camp counselor etc.) strongly preferred**
- **Contract compensation is \$10-12 per hour, commensurate with specific position.**
- **Candidates MUST be available for the full duration of the specific contract schedule.**
- **Location – REACH Studio Art Center Facility or various sites around Lansing (Art Truck Intern only).**

Application Process:

To apply for one of these positions, please go to the link below, or contact sara@reachstudioart.org for an application form. Deadline for applications: no later than May 8th, 2019. Application includes:

1. A cover letter & resume to be uploaded at the end of the google job application form below.
2. A completed job application with references:

Link to application: <https://forms.gle/66Ru1cyGqksFGzhX7>

REACH Studio Art Center is an equal-opportunity work place and as such does not discriminate on the basis of any identity or difference, promoting inclusion and valuing diversity in all forms.