# Intern Wanted!



## EARLY AND ELEMENTARY EDUCATION INTERN (NATURE-BASED)

Are you an undergrad student majoring in early childhood education (or a related field), with a passion for nature-based learning? Are you organized and self-motivated? Can you communicate empathetically and confidently with children, parents, and supervisors? Are you up for the challenge of helping to lead a start-up school? Are you full of ideas and ready to bring innovation to a local nonprofit? If you answered YES, we wanna hear from you!



### Key Responsibilities

- Generate seasonal, nature-based lesson plans that reflect the values, mission, and vision of Hope Grows, and assess/evaluate their effectiveness.
- Manage camps up to 30 students in grades K-4 and provide a safe and supportive environment, both indoor and outdoor.
- Recruit and coordinate camp counselors.
- Assist in determining individual children's needs and goals, and track their progress.
- Help plan and implement a community outreach program to low-income children.
- Assist in the development of Hope Grows "Pollinator Camp in a Box" program.



#### Education/Experience

- Enrolled in a degree-seeking field related to Early and Elementary Childhood Education, or other educational disciplines (Psychology, Sociology, and Health Sciences).
- Comfortable spending up to three hours at a time outdoors, in all weather conditions.
- Demonstrated verbal and written skills.
- Comfortable with word processing and other computer and internet-based programs.



#### Internship Requirements

- Plan curriculum for camp(s) and prepare materials for camp activities in conjunction with Camp Director.
- Write a 4-page plan for community outreach to low-income families.
- Demonstrate ability to lead camp activities.
- Demonstrate ability to assess student needs, goals, and progress.
- Internship runs January 22, 2024 through August 30, 2024.



Submit resume, cover letter, and transcripts to jessica@hopegrows.org

Candidate will need to complete background checks and obtain Child Abuse clearances.

