



MAINE ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES

AT GOOD WILL-HINCKLEY

Educational Technician III

The Maine Academy of Natural Sciences has an opening for a full time Educational Technician III. The successful applicant will work with classroom teachers to provide small group and individualized instruction to support academic and behavioral needs. Supervision of the education technician shall be as required by Maine Department of Education Regulations Chapter 115.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- ❑ Supervise small groups of students in a classroom setting under the direction of a classroom teacher.
- ❑ Review and reinforce learning previously introduced by the classroom teacher or appropriate content specialist or assist in drill or practice activities.
- ❑ Provide instruction of new material when planned in collaboration with the supervising teacher or when lesson plans are provided by the supervising teacher.
- ❑ Supervise small groups of students in community-based programs to introduce new learning pre-planned in consultation with the classroom teacher, appropriate content specialist or community expert.
- ❑ Work with students helping with new material, re-teaching, or specific interventions or accommodations as required by IEP goals, intervention plans or personal learning plans.
- ❑ Instructing and supporting students across content areas during project-based learning initiatives supervised by the interdisciplinary team of teachers.
- ❑ Work with teachers in other disciplines – especially natural resources – to support learning and production of evidences of learning.
- ❑ Perform non-instructional, non-evaluative functions as required by teacher or school administrators.
- ❑ Assist in the preparation of instructional materials and provide classroom management functions.
- ❑ Familiarity with standards and willing to work within a project based curriculum.
- ❑ Ability to form strong relationships with students through classroom teaching and advisor-advisee program.
- ❑ Familiarity with Restorative Justice practices.
- ❑ Interest/enthusiasm for improving skills by attending professional development opportunities as appropriate.
- ❑ Reports all incidents of work related accident/illness within 24 hours; maintain a safe work environment; ensure that a safe environment is maintained in the workplace by adhering to all safety rules and requirements (Safety Policies) and report any safety hazards to immediate supervisor.
- ❑ Demonstrates awareness and sensitivity to the cultural and socioeconomic characteristics of the service population.
- ❑ Such other duties as may be assigned.

Qualifications:

- Experience working with students in a supervisory capacity.
- State authorization at the Educational Technician III level.
- Satisfactory reference, background and health checks.
- Must have a valid Maine driver's license.

Located on several hundred picturesque acres of wilderness, organic farmland and river frontage on US Route 201 in central Maine, the Maine Academy of Natural Sciences (MeANS) focuses on agriculture, the environment, forestry, other career skills training, and independent living skills. Students come to MeANS from local schools and from across the state, with room and board options available. Students who have left school or are looking for a hands-on learning environment, and are highly motivated by the program's focus are welcome. To learn more about the Maine Academy of Natural Sciences at Good Will-Hinckley, please view our web-site at <http://www.means-gwh.org> and click on the link for more information. We are conveniently located approximately 30 minutes north of Augusta between Fairfield and Skowhegan on Route 201.

Benefits include a competitive wage, medical, dental, long-term disability and life insurance, 401k, and Maine State Retirement. Interested applicants please submit an application packet, which can be downloaded from our employment page at <https://www.gwh.org/employment-opportunities> via e-mail to HR@gwh.org or mail to Gary Dugal, Human Resources Manager, PO Box 159, Hinckley, ME 04944. Please reference "Ed Tech III" on your correspondence. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

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