



## EDUCATOR – Marine Science Specialist

Discover Science Center is currently accepting applications for an enthusiastic **Educator specializing in Marine Science** to join our Team. Our Marine Science **Specialists** are key to growing our Marine Science Programs for kids. Preference for certified scuba instructors, or experienced divers willing to become certified instructors willing to travel as part of our Education Travel Program. This is a full-time, in-person position with flexible scheduling requiring some weekend teaching responsibilities as well as travel for educational trips.

### Primary responsibilities of this position include:

- Leading hands-on marine science activities in a variety of informal science education programs for K-12 students.
- Working with program partners to expand marine science content and research opportunities.
- Developing and leading marine science field trips and off-site camps regionally, nationally and internationally.
- Organizing, reviewing, updating and developing Marine Science programming for all education formats.
- Strategically planning upcoming programming schedules for all education formats.
- Teaching science classes and courses outside of marine science topics when needed.
- Assisting other Team Members as needed.
- This is not a work-from-home position and relocation expenses are not reimbursed.

### We are looking for someone who:

- Is a people-person, with a great attitude, who is passionate about K-12 science education.
- Is experienced in a field of Marine Biology or related subject area, with a preference for someone with great storytelling abilities.
- Is scuba certified, with a preference for someone who is a certified scuba instructor or willing and able to become certified as a scuba instructor (we will cover training cost).
- Is interested in growing professionally with our expanding business long-term. This is not an opening for a short-term or temporary position.

- Is a proactive problem solver with the ability to process and resolve issues quickly and creatively.
- Is extremely organized, and LOVES details, who can become an expert on our scheduling and registration processes.
- Is an excellent multi-tasker with the ability to prioritize well.
- Is able to anticipate the needs of others and thinks two steps ahead.
- Can effectively work in a busy, high energy environment.
- Has a minimum of a Bachelor's degree or equivalent work experience. Master's or Doctoral degree is preferred.
- Can positively represent Discover Science Center.

#### **Compensation:**

- Hourly pay based on experience (starting between \$20-\$24/hour, with increases as responsibilities increase).
- Health, dental and vision insurance options available (partially compensated).
- Paid scuba instructor insurance and diving insurance.
- Paid scuba instructor certification and continued scuba education (if necessary).
- Paid time off benefit.
- Summer camp for children of Team Members and other unique benefits.

#### **About us:**

Discover Science Center is an informal science education enrichment center whose purpose is to supplement the STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) curriculum taught in K-12 schools and homeschool programs. Our programs focus on hands-on, interactive learning, and were designed by scientists and educators to take advantage of the natural fascination students have with science.

**Our mission** is to serve the community by providing fun and interactive educational experiences and opportunities related to science, in order to inspire and support childhood passion for learning.

#### **See what we do:**

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**To apply, please send the following to [tonya@discoversciencecenter.com](mailto:tonya@discoversciencecenter.com):**

Letter of interest

Resume/Curriculum Vitae

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