Kenton County Conservation District Employment Opportunity

Environmental Education Leadership Corps Member

(450 hours, served from Jan.-August. 2022)

Kenton County Conservation District (KCCD) is dedicated to empowering our county citizens to protect our natural resources through Conservation, Restoration and Education!

We are looking for dynamic, motivated Environmental Education Leadership Corps Member to help us to design, implement and teach environmental education programs within Kenton County schools and communities, and at a nature preserve that is being restored by KCCD to support native species of plants and wildlife.

This self-starting individual will also play a key role in developing an outdoor education classroom curriculum that will benefit students in the Erlanger-Elsmere School District and will mentor high school students as they prepare for the state Envirothon program. Envirothon is a conservation problem-solving, teambuilding and leadership experience and competition for high school students.

While developing, implementing and teaching education programs, the EEL Corps member will learn firsthand how KCCD provides technical and financial assistance for homeowners and landowners to protect natural resources in our county. The member will also understand how KCCD and other regional partners are working together to restore important habitats. This opportunity is funded, in part, by the Kentucky Environmental Education Council.

To submit an application, click here!

Once your application is submitted, please email Heather Mayfield, KCCD District Manager, at <u>heather.mayfield@kccdky.org</u> and confirm that you have submitted an application.

To learn more about the Environmental Education Leadership Corps and the Kentucky Environmental Education Council, <u>click here!</u>

Quarter-Time Member Hours Commitment 450 Hours (worked January through August) Living Allowance \$4,802 \$1,718.25 Segal Education Award (awarded at the end of your service) Access to ENS 1 Access to Mental Health Member Assistance J Program **Professional Development and Training** J

Applications are due by December 9th!

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Qualifications

- Degree, or working toward a degree in natural science, conservation or environmental education.
- Self-motivated, willing to conduct research and apply research to program development.
- Experience and confidence in leading hands-on activities for people of all ages, with diverse backgrounds.
- Strong organizational skills; experience in developing lesson plans preferred!
- Willingess to communicate directly with teachers and other members of the community to organize education programs and events.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Knowledge of computer software applications, including MS Word, PowerPoint and MS Excel.
- Willingess to learn and use the Canva graphic design application.
- Willingess to work weekends or evenings to deliver community education programs.
- Ability to hike and navigate steep stairs and terrain.





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