

Job Description

Title: The Nature Connection Winter Intern

Classification: Non-profit project of the Delta County School District, Hotchkiss, Colorado; K-12 and community outdoor education

Location: The Nature Connection building, 397 Bulldog Street, Hotchkiss, CO 81419; and on location (Travel provided to Grand Mesa, Spring Gulch, Ironton)

Effective Date: January 7, 2018 to March 31, 2018

General Description:

The Nature Connection's goal is to inspire our communities to connect to nature, promoting healthy lifestyles through fun and energized outdoor experiences. Under the supervision of The Nature Connection (TNC) Program Director, TNC Winter Intern will have the following responsibilities including, but not limited to:

Responsibilities:

- Assisting with winter gear preparation for youth outings at TNC Building.
- On-site preparation of winter gear for youth outings, including trailer preparation and organization, assisting youth with boot, ski and pole sizing.
- Learn and participate in winter education program stations
- Cross-country ski with youth, offering encouragement and basic instruction on snow at various sites throughout TNC Winter service area.
- Other responsibilities may be designated.

Skill Requirements:

- Willingness to learn cross-country ski skills
- Strong interpersonal communication skills
- A positive attitude and willingness to work with youth of all ages
- Experience with youth instruction a plus
- Outdoor enthusiast

Compensation: \$500 per month for 3 months

Benefits: Training provided in cross-country skiing and youth management

Time: Part-time; 2 days per week, with some 3 and 4-day weeks as needed.

Please Submit:

1. On-line application with Delta County School District
2. Resume with cover letter
3. Two references
4. Top candidates will be selected for an interview by the board.