

# **Summer at Emerson Camp Instructor**

### **SUMMER 2018**

#### Overview

Emerson School is currently looking to hire Summer Camp Instructors for Summer at Emerson 2018! Applicants must have experience working with students and lots of energy and enthusiasm!

Responsibilities include: planning week-long, half-day camp activities designed around a specialized theme of your choosing, acquiring all necessary supplies for camp within a given budget, flexibility to the varying levels of skills of campers, conflict resolution, and general supervision of campers. All of our camps are FUN first with educational underlying themes.

Instructors can teach as few as one half-day, week-long camp or up to 6 different weeks based on your schedule. Hourly rates are paid in a monthly paycheck, based on experience. We are specifically looking for additional instructors to work with our younger campers (going into 1st-3rd grades) and in these general topics: hands-on science, theater, dancing, improv, and/or technology.

## **How to Apply**

Email Rose Hacker, Summer Program Director, at rhacker@emerson-school.org and include the following:

- Your experience working with children
- Why you would be a good addition to our Summer Program
- Your half-day camp idea(s), complete with description and target grade range
- Your resume complete with references

Interviews will be set up in November and December and if offered a position for Summer at Emerson 2018, details will be set by January 2018.

### ABOUT SUMMER AT EMERSON

Summer at Emerson is an eight-week summer camp program that gives children opportunities to grow, explore, discover, create, imagine, play, and have fun. It is open to all K-8 students, regardless of school attended. Morning and afternoon camps are available, each a week long, and families can enroll their children in as many educational and fun camps of their choosing.

## ABOUT EMERSON SCHOOL

Emerson School is an independent K-8 school for gifted and for academically talented students located in Ann Arbor, Michigan. For more than 40 years, families from across Southeast Michigan have enrolled their bright students in Emerson because of its ability to challenge, nurture, stimulate, and engage the whole child.

More than 340 students are typically enrolled each year, and a passionate faculty and staff of more than 70 teach them to love learning. Classrooms are safe places where cognitive and creative risk-taking are encouraged; where students learn by doing, by being listened to, by participating, and by working together. Notable facts include:



• Class size: 12 to 20

• Student to faculty ratio: 8 to 1

• **Diversity:** 38% of students self-identify as students of color

• Campus: 20 acres with sports fields, Arts and ¬¬ Innovation Center, nature center, playgrounds, garden

• Accreditation: Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS)

#### Mission

The mission of Emerson School is to provide a whole child, multiple method approach to instruction for gifted and for academically talented students. Emerson School encourages creativity, problem solving, and the development of basic skills, while providing a warm, supportive environment that promotes responsibility for oneself and others.

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