

# Summer Camp Lead Teacher

Lake Ridge Academy is seeking a dedicated and experienced Summer Camp Lead Teacher to join a dynamic team for an enriching six-week summer camp program. The camp will begin on June 10th and end on July 19th, offering engaging activities and educational experiences for campers.

## Overview:

At Lake Ridge Academy, we are committed to providing a nurturing environment for campers to learn and grow. Our summer camp program caters to children K-8 from diverse backgrounds and offers a blend of academic enrichment and recreational activities to learn and play on our beautiful 93-acre campus.

## Responsibilities:

- Provide campers with creative leadership, supervision, and recreational guidance in a safe and supportive environment.
- Plan and implement structured lesson plans, camp activities, and special events tailored to the interests and needs of campers.
- Facilitate all camp activities, including managing arrivals and departures.
- Engage with campers during various activities, outings, and events, promoting a sense of belonging and camaraderie.
- Maintain professionalism and communicate behavioral expectations effectively to campers.
- Manage attendance records accurately and efficiently.
- Ensure adherence to safety and security protocols with attention to detail, including providing minor first aid.
- Foster positive relationships with staff, families, and stakeholders, representing Lake Ridge Academy with integrity.
- Mentor high-school-aged camp support staff and participate in staff meetings as required.
- Fulfill other duties as assigned by the Community Programs Manager or Lake Ridge Academy Administrative Team members.

## Skills and Experience:

- Must be 18 years or older.
- Minimum high school diploma; some college coursework preferred.

- Interest in pursuing a career in education is desirable.
- Previous experience in a camp program or relevant program is preferred.
- Strong knowledge of engaging youth in academic, recreational, and artistic activities.
- Proficiency in group management, behavior management, and positive youth development principles.
- Passion for delivering quality recreational experiences to campers.
- Flexibility and a positive team-oriented attitude.
- Self-motivated with the ability to thrive in a fast-paced environment.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Familiarity with camp policies and procedures.

#### **Hours and Compensation:**

- Six-week program running from June 10th to July 19th, 2024.
- Full-time position Monday - Friday
- Compensation: \$16.00 - \$20.00 per hour (based on experience).
- College or graduate students (or those meeting the requirements) passionate about working with children are encouraged to apply.
- Reports to the Community Programs Manager.

#### **To Apply:**

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three professional references to [careers@lakeridgeacademy.org](mailto:careers@lakeridgeacademy.org). For more information about Lake Ridge Academy, visit our website at [www.lakeridgeacademy.org](http://www.lakeridgeacademy.org).