

Crafts & Activities Volunteer Description

Overview

Our Crafts & Activities team plays an important role at the Lehigh Valley Zoo. Our Crafts & Activities team makes sure our guests, especially the younger ones, have a memorable time while visiting our zoo. Stations may include making Conservation Bracelets, decorating animal enrichment, paper bags animal puppets, pumpkin painting, and other animal or seasonal related crafts and activities. A passion for animals, conservation, and our zoo is a must!

Basic Duties

Working at assigned station and assisting guests with the assigned craft or activity. Volunteering as a Crafts & Activities volunteer involves working mainly outdoors, in various types of weather conditions, and completing physical tasks appropriate to the event or activity. Activities and crafts are designed for children ages 5+ and are not difficult to administer. Some crafts or activities may involve conservation messaging.

Time Requirements

This is a flexible volunteering position and can be assigned as either a long or short term opportunity. Must be available for full volunteer shift.

Restrictions/Requirements

- Must be at least 13 years old
- Complete application and background check process if 18 years or older
- Showing careful attention to detail, ability to follow directions, and being an excellent role model for other volunteers and guests.
- Assist in setting up/breaking down station
- Counting and recording activity tokens at end of shift

Training

Must attend orientation and complete training

Uniform

- Outfit that follows dress code, volunteer badge, temporary name tag

Supervisor

Katie Lerch, Volunteer and Event Coordinator

Kayla Strawn, Guest Engagement Ambassador

Emily Manchester, Guest Engagement Ambassador