

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 conservation messaging, to-go crafts, decorating animal enrichment, 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. Educating guests on your stations messaging. 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 prepackaged to take home for guests to complete. All stations include conservation messaging to share with guests. Activities can vary depending on messaging and event.

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 complete orientation training.

Uniform

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

Supervisor

Katie Lerch, Volunteer and Event Coordinator

Zoo Ambassador on Duty