



# Audubon Society of Rhode Island

## Camp Instructor and Assistant Instructor Job Descriptions

These positions entail teaching and leading nature and environmental education activities for children from pre-k to seventh grade. There are two camp locations in which these positions are available: The Audubon Nature Center and Aquarium in Bristol, RI, and the Caratunk Wildlife Refuge in Seekonk, Massachusetts.

### **Responsibilities:**

Develop and implement natural history lessons, activities, games, and arts and crafts for ages 4-14. Supervise campers' health and safety, and maintain clear communications with staff, parents and campers. Attend staff training and maintain general camp upkeep. Camp Instructors and Assistants may also oversee Junior Counselors who will assist during the week. **Summer Camp starts with a week of camp training June 17 –21, and camp runs June 24 to August 9th, 2024.**

### **Qualifications:**

Camp Instructors must be 18 years or over, and the Assistant Instructors 16 years or older, and must be able to work independently. Camp Instructors and Assistant Instructors can be enrolled in a field of study or have experience and background in the following: environmental education, environmental science, biology, marine biology, conservation or education. You must have some experience of working with children ages toddler to 12, preferably in a camp or outdoor setting. Additionally, you must be physically able and comfortable working outdoors, active, and moving throughout the day, in summer heat. Great communication, great attitude, team player, experience with STEM and STEAM is preferred. Must have current Community CPR and First Aid or be willing to become certified. Must have consistent, reliable transportation to and from camp. **Must be able to attend staff training June 17- June 21, 2024. Criminal background and Sexual Offender checks are required.**

### **Compensation:**

Camp Instructors and Assistant Instructors are paid an hourly wage for training time and during the camp sessions.

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For more information about Audubon Summer Camp, please visit [AudubonSummerCamp.com](https://www.audubonsummercamp.com)

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