



## **JOB POSTING**

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**Job Title:** Educator I  
**Status:** Full-time  
**Number of Positions:** 1

**Classification:** Hourly  
**Reports to:** Director of Education and Conservation

### **Description**

The Educator I will lead presentations and interact with Aquarium visitors as an educational resource. They will assist in the design and development of education materials and events.

### **Essential Responsibilities**

- Serve as a first line instructor, presenting educational content to aquarium guests, school groups, birthday parties, camp participants, and special events.
- Conduct education programs at the Aquarium, local schools, and community centers.
- Provide crowd control, supervision of guests, and educational interpretation at public touch pools.
- Assist with developing, implementing, and evaluating programs, activities, and materials for various audiences.
- Interpret exhibits, animals and their care, environmental issues, and other relevant subjects for guests and staff.
- Respond to requests for information and programming.
- Maintain inventory of interpretive tools, including animal artifacts and activity sets, and update records as needed.

### **Requested Requirements**

- Degree in environmental education or relevant field, or equivalent experience
- Minimum 2 years of experience with public speaking
- Excellent communication skills (verbal and in writing)
- Excellent customer service skills
- Ability to work both independently and with a team in a fast-paced environment
- Valid driver's license and a driver in good standing
- Preferred: previous experience working with children
- Preferred: previous experience handling and presenting live animals
- Preferred: holds a certification from an interpretive or environmental education organization

### **Working Conditions**

- Shifts will include weekends, holidays, and occasional evenings
- Able to lift up to 50 pounds
- Able to stand for long periods
- Able to bend and crouch
- Able to move over uneven terrain and in all weather conditions

### **Salary Range**

- \$16.00-\$17.00 per hour

### **To Apply**

Please send resume and cover letter to [kdaloise@aquariumofniagara.org](mailto:kdaloise@aquariumofniagara.org). Be sure to include **Educator I** in the subject line of any correspondences.

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