



## Art/ Art Education Internship

### **About the Museum**

The Children's Museum is an educational, cultural, and social learning center for children and families from the Metro South region of Massachusetts. Located in The Old Fire Station, our mission is to inspire a life long love of learning in children by stimulating curiosity and motivating learning through play and hands-on experience. The Museum has three floors of interactive exhibits as well as an outdoor learning center and hosts a variety of classes programs and events throughout the year. Over 50,000 people visit annually.

### **Job description: Volunteer position**

Intern would work with the Museum's Art Director and Program Manager to develop, plan, organize and lead art activities for children ages 1-8 and their families that visit the Museum daily, as part of field trips and at special events. Activities/projects should introduce children to a variety of mediums and materials and include take home projects as well as group projects for display at the Museum and other locations.

### **Duties**

- Develop, plan and organize activities for the MakerSpace.
- Set up, clean up and facilitate activities/projects.
- Plan take home projects as well as projects to be displayed in the Museum or in our Outdoor Learning Center.
- Assist in supervising volunteers.
- Work within a theme to create activities/projects to be incorporated into the Museum's many special events and programs.
- Inspire creativity.
- Encourage guests to use familiar materials in unfamiliar ways.

### **Position requirements;**

- Excellent communication skills.
- Flexibility to lead and develop projects in a variety of settings.
- Able to work in a fun environment with parents, children and Museum staff.
- Basic knowledge of a variety of artistic media.

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