

## Learning & Engagement Internship – S.E.E.D. Camp Intern

This position is eligible for school credit. Candidates must work with their advisor/school to ensure that this experience will provide school credit for them. FWBG is willing to complete any paperwork required by the school.

**Duration:** May 27 to July 17, 2026                      Hours per week: 18-35  
(excluding the week of July 4th)                      Monday-Friday

**Stipend:** \$3000

**Application Deadline:** April 10, 2026

**Reports to:** Anna SoRelle, Learning Manager for Children & Family Programs

### **Primary Goals of Internship:**

This internship within the FWBG Education department will focus on supporting the S.E.E.D. (Summer Exploration, Engagement, and Discovery) Camp program in the facilitation of summer camp procedures and activities for children in PreK-8<sup>th</sup> grade. Opportunities will also be available for interns to grow their own teaching skills by developing and leading camp activities.

### **Internship Summary:**

The FWBG Education department seeks interested student interns—including those majoring in Education, Child Development, Natural Resource Management, Environmental Science, Biology, Agriculture, or a similar field of study.

This internship will emphasize the implementation of educational programming for the FWBG summer camp program, S.E.E.D. Camp. The intern will work alongside the camp director and lead teachers to assist with camp procedures and activities for children in grades PreK-8<sup>th</sup> Grade. Interns will prepare a presentation to be shared with staff at the end of the program.

### **Intern duties and responsibilities:**

- Build positive relationships with campers while fostering connections to nature and environmental STEM.
- Maintain a safe, structured environment by consistently enforcing rules and safety guidelines.
- Promote a culture of empathy, teamwork, and joyful learning.
- Model positive, inclusive, and solution-focused behavior.
- Support play-based learning that encourages care for the natural world and environmental responsibility.

- Assist camp leadership with preparing, running, and cleaning up activities.
- Communicate professionally and warmly with families during drop-off and pick-up.
- Collaborate with staff and volunteers across departments.
- Participate in trainings, meetings, and program debriefs.
- Create and present a reflection project (slideshow or video).
- Demonstrate FWBG values: respect, integrity, collaboration, and enthusiasm.

**Learning objectives:**

- Develop skills in program design, implementation, and facilitation.
- Strengthen inclusive communication when working with diverse audiences.
- Build confidence in public speaking through camps and presentations.
- Learn effective formal and informal teaching methods.
- Practice using educational tools in outdoor settings.
- Connect and learn from educators, scientists, and students from diverse backgrounds.

**Skills and background requirements for eligibility:**

- Must be at least 18 years old with a clean background check.
- Proficient in basic computer literacy skills.
- Experience working with children preferred.
- Ability to meet the physical demands of working with children in a camp setting, including walking extensively outdoors in summer weather conditions, running short distances, sitting on the ground, and transitioning from sitting to standing easily.
- Demonstrate enthusiasm and respect for the natural world. Be ready to get hands-on and fully immersed in the experience.
- Independent thinking and ability to work alone, in a team, and as an assistant.
- Must be comfortable interacting with members of the public including children ages 3 to 14 and their families.

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Please reach out to Anna SoRelle at [asorelle@fwbg.org](mailto:asorelle@fwbg.org) with any questions.