



San Joaquin River
Parkway and
Conservation Trust, Inc.

Junior Leader Job Description

Responsible to:

- Junior Leader Program Director

General Responsibility:

- Actively participate in learning leadership skills offered and apply them to assist staff Counselors in all activities that are assigned

Qualifications:

- Must be a high school-aged student (includes students entering 9th grade through the completion of 12th grade)
- Experience working with younger children or a desire to do so
- Desire to learn new leadership skills
- Enjoys working and problem solving with peers
- Ability to take directions and follow-through with completion of assigned tasks
- Self motivated; ability to find jobs to do when idle
- Ability to have fun while maintaining the discipline of the campers

Specific Responsibilities:

- Must be willing to commit to one week at camp plus necessary additional one-day orientation
- Work with the Junior Leader Program Director to schedule time spent in leadership training and assist counseling staff
- Serve as a good example to campers by demonstrating a spirit of respect for the environment, cooperation with camp rules and guidelines, and willingness to work and play with everyone at camp
- Assist in the health and welfare of campers entrusted to the Counselor in charge
- Incorporate leadership skills in all aspects of the camp day

Essential Functions:

- Physically able to participate in leadership activities as well as accompany the campers to any of the camp activities
- Communicate verbally with campers and provide clear instructions
- Physically and verbally model desirable leadership qualities
- Observe campers' behavior in daily camp setting, and respond verbally to health and safety concerns