



Internship Opportunity: Horticulture Intern

“Apply for a horticulture internship with the Environmental Nature Center and learn simple, yet effective techniques for successful maintenance or native plant communities. Interns will have an opportunity to enjoy 5 acres of trails nestled behind our Nature Museum.”

Position: Horticulture Intern (up to 24 hours/week with flexible work schedule)

Pay Rate: Unpaid, class credit with school approval.

DUTIES MAY INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- Assisting with plant installation, trimming, and irrigation
- Assisting with native plant sales
- Assisting with turning, watering, and maintaining compost pile
- Assisting with weed removal, and methods of IPM
- Identify California native plants and plant communities
- Assisting with maintenance of stream and installation of irrigation lines
- Assisting with various facility maintenance operations such as cleaning & maintaining tools, keeping the grounds free of litter, taking out trash, etc.

REQUIREMENTS: College-level coursework in biology, horticulture, or environmental studies. Comfortable working outdoors in all kinds of weather, working with hands. Positive attitude.

Skill in: the use of basic landscape tools.

Ability to: Lift up to 30 pounds. Work mornings, and some weekends. Complete tasks in timely manner as directed by the Horticulture Manager.

APPLICATION AND SELECTION INFORMATION

All applicants are required to complete and submit an application form. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of an original application but can augment that application. Applications may be obtained and submitted via email: hilary@encenter.org. For additional information, please call (949) 645-8489, or visit our website: www.encenter.org Recruitment is ongoing.

The Environmental Nature center will review applications. Applicants with the most pertinent experience, education and training may be invited for an interview.

The Environmental Nature Center is an equal opportunity employer.