

Work Study Job Description

Job Title	Jumpstart Team Leader
Department Name	Experiential Learning and Diversity
Job Location	MGH 171
Pay Rate	\$13 - \$13
Employment Period	Academic Year
Hours Per Week	19 hrs/wk
Contact Supervisor	Sarah Hamilton
Phone Number	206-616-2964
Email Address	sarahh4@uw.edu
Website	http://depts.washington.edu/jstart/
Box Number	352803

Nature of Organization

Jumpstart connects College students with preschool children to help them develop their language and literacy skills and help them become successful in school. This is a year long Americorps program.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Lead Jumpstart sessions, four hours per week (two afternoons OR mornings a week for two hours each session)
- Model appropriate reading techniques, interactions with children and demonstrate classroom leadership
- Lead team planning meetings, which include planning, reflection, and/or training, 2-3 hours per week
- Serve 2-4 hours each week in a preschool classroom during the regular school day
- Lead team to communicate with preschool staff and children's families to share strategies for supporting child's literacy skills
- Receive pre-service training, and attend on-going training workshops or institutes
- Attend periodic service days, usually held on weekends

Minimum Qualifications

- Experience working with young children through Jumpstart, classroom work or other experience, or desire to learn more about early childhood education, curriculum and activities for young children
- Demonstrated ability to problem-solve and think strategically
- Ability to build relationships and work with peers, children, families and preschool teachers at Head Start preschools
- Ability to work with people from diverse ethnic, racial, and socioeconomic background
- Ability to lead a team

Educational Benefits

- The invaluable opportunity to make a difference in the life of a young child
- \$1,000+ Americorps scholarship upon completion of 300 hours (in addition to work-study funds earned)
- Training in the field of early childhood
- Opportunities to earn academic credit

How to Apply

Apply online at: <http://depts.washington.edu/jstart/>

Job Number: JUMP02 | Job Class: 0875 | Category: Student Services | 51% Comp. To Classified: n | Program:
Federal