

UCI School of Education

Fieldwork Catalog 2016-2017

Fieldwork Catalog

For Undergraduate Programs
BA in Education Sciences
Educational Studies Minor

The Education Fieldwork catalog is a comprehensive listing of placement sites that have been approved by the School of Education. Unless the fieldwork site is a part of an Education course that has embedded fieldwork, students will need to choose from the list of approved Education partners before they can submit their fieldwork verification form. Fieldwork sites will be listed in alphabetical order.



Have you planned your fieldwork yet?

Boys and Girls Club Westminster

Boys & Girls Club of Westminster, "Great Futures Start Here" We serve youth ages 6-18. The mission of the Boys & Girls Club of Westminster is to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible and caring citizens. Our club offers: • Fun • A Safe Place • Opportunities • Great Activities • Age-Appropriate Services

Description of Activities

Volunteers and interns will be involved in implementing academic enrichment activities for groups of 20 children at one time. Enrichment activities can include, but are not limited to, STEM projects, weekly clubs in STEM, Drama, Art, Music, Dance.

Requirements to Apply

Apply in person at our main branch, attend an orientation, submit TB test, and live scan clearance

How to Apply

Students can apply by submitting a volunteer application and scheduling an orientation. Orientations are once a month, on the Tuesday nearest the 15th of the month- but all attendees need to have an appointment- no walk ins.



Contact information

Boys and Girls Club Westminster
14400 Chestnut St. Westminster, CA 92
(714) 571 – 1966

www.club4kids.net

Site Supervisor: Crystal-Jo Cuevas, ASSET's Program Director

Phone: (714) 714-379-0097 ext. 228

Email: crystaljo@club4kids.net

The Cambodian Family

The Cambodian Family (TCF) was established in 1980 by Cambodian refugees who had escaped the "killing fields" of the Khmer Rouge regime. They survived in refugee camps for years before finally resettling in the low-income Bishop Manor/ Minnie Street neighborhood of Santa Ana. Seeing the social unrest of their community and other countrymen, Cambodian refugees rented a small apartment in which to offer essential services. Volunteers taught English to newly arriving Cambodian refugees as well as providing social adjustment services to help Cambodian families recover from past trauma and learn new skills. Over the past 35 years we have established deep roots in our community. Supported by public and private funding we have provided services in areas of youth development, access for healthcare, employment, civic engagement, advocacy development and leadership. Over time we have expanded our services to the wider Santa Ana region including a majority of Latino families. We have successfully managed over \$27 million public and private funds. Originally located in a warehouse across the railroad from our immigrant and refugee clients, we have relocated into a larger facility called The Cambodian Family Achievement Center purchased through a \$2.1 million grant from the City of Santa Ana. We have refurbished our building to suitably provide child care, education, health and social services.

Description of Activities

Our Plan Ahead Youth program is offered to students from 1st to 12th grade. Volunteers would be expected to assist our youth program staff and teachers in the classroom. Volunteers should be able to work with 3 to 5 students. Specific activities would include tutoring students, assistance with grading homework, reading and light supervision of indoor/outdoor activities. Other duties may be

Requirements

- Fill out our volunteer application form available on our website.
- Must be available to volunteer for at least 3 months.
- Must obtain a Live Scan fingerprinting.

How to Apply

Students may fill out a volunteer application form available on the website.



Contact information

Cambodian Family Center

1624 E. 4th Street, Santa Ana, CA 92701

(714) 571 – 1966

www.cambodianfamily.org

Site Supervisor: Sophia Soberon, Youth Program Coordinator

Phone: (714) 571-1966

Email: Sophias@cambodianfamily.org

Delhi Center

The organization was established as a referral source for the largely Mexican and Mexican American farmworker community residing in Santa Ana. The Delhi Center continues to serve as a gathering place for local residents and organizations from throughout Orange County. It serves as an investment vehicle for those wishing to impact the lives of our most challenged neighbors. Annually, the center welcomes over 42,000 individuals through its doors for various programs, services, trainings and events.

Description of Activities

The Delhi Center's Mathletics afterschool tutoring program serves students from grades K-8. Volunteers and interns will be involved in helping students with their homework, assisting the coordinator with managing the classroom, developing curriculum/activities for the students, and setting up/cleaning up for the program. Volunteers and interns are also expected to attend debrief/reflection meetings held after every session.

Requirements

- Commitment Time: 2:30-5:30 PM any day from Monday to Thursday
- Volunteers must be able to commit to at least 3 hours per week.
- Volunteers are welcome to come in during other hours to help with creating curriculum/activities, but must be able to commit to at least one day (M-Th) from 2:30-5:30PM.)

How to apply

Volunteers can first email the site supervisor and request for an application/liability forms/volunteer agreement forms to fill out. Afterwards, we will schedule them for an interview when the application is submitted. Liability forms/volunteer agreement forms are expected to signed/filled out and brought to the interview.



Contact information

Delhi Center

505 E. Central Ave., Santa Ana, CA 92707

www.delhicerter.org/live/

Site Supervisor: Karen Yu, Coordinator

Phone: (714) 481 – 9600

Email: Karen@delhicerter.org

LEAP Learning Center

LEAP Learning Center, a Tustin based academic intervention program, is a non-profit organization founded in 1999 that focuses on improving the lives of local “at-risk” and disadvantaged elementary school children. LEAP’s mission is to develop attitudes and behaviors that promote success in school, instill a strong work ethic, and provide a promising future. Current programs include: (i) the After-School Reading Intervention Program that serves 130 students at 4 Title I Elementary School Sites in the Tustin Unified School District (TUSD) and (ii) the 4 week Summer School Program that serves 150 children from all the Title I Schools in TUSD. Using highly trained volunteers and college students in the After-School Reading Intervention Program, LEAP improves literacy skills through small group guided reading instruction.

Activities Involved

Volunteers and Interns ("Literacy Tutors") will serve at a LEAP After-School Reading Intervention Program site in the Tustin Unified School District. Using program guidelines and materials developed by LEAP Learning Center, Literacy Tutors will plan and conduct reading lessons for assigned groups of no more than 4 students. Literacy Tutors receive initial and on-going training, support and supervision from LEAP Staff.

Requirements to Apply

- Current college student with strong academic skills, especially in Language Arts
- Minimum 3.0 GPA
- Interest in and ability to relate positively to children from diverse backgrounds

How to apply

Send resume to
sallyparkin@leaplearningcenter.org



Contact information

LEAP Learning Center

1221 Wass Street, Tustin, CA 92780

www.leapintoaction.org

Site Supervisor: Sally Parkin, Executive Director

Phone: (714) 225-2756

Email: sallyparkin@leaplearningcenter.org

Orange County Children's Therapeutic Arts Center

Our mission is to provide innovative, artistic, educational, and therapeutic programs that transform and inspire children, at-risk youth, and families to fulfill their highest potential in life.

The ARTS center is the first and only organization in Orange County offering unique programming that combines the arts, academics and creative therapies to help youth realize their highest potential.

Activities Involved

Early Start Volunteer / Pre-Kinder Arts Volunteer

After School Arts Volunteer

Learning Academy Volunteer

Family Wellness Program Volunteer

Therapeutic Arts Volunteer

YEP Volunteer

Requirements to Apply

- Must be 18 yrs of age or older
- Must submit completed VOLUNTEER APPLICATION
- Must complete and pass Live Scan check
- Must complete OCCTAC Volunteer orientation/training
- Must get a TB test done or have current TB test results (within 2 years) and provide copy

Must commit to volunteer for a minimum of 3 months (or semester/quarter if you are a college/high school

How to Apply

Our application can be found at:

<http://www.occtac.org/volunteer/>



Contact information

Orange County Children's therapeutic Arts Center
2215 N Broadway, 1st Floor, Santa Ana, CA 92706

www.occtac.org

Site Supervisor: Blanca Anselmo, Intern Coordinator

Phone: (714) 547 – 5468

Email: Blancaa@occtac.org

Santa Ana Zoo

The mission of the Santa Ana Zoo @ Prentice Park is to instill a passion for the natural world through recreation, conservation and education. This small zoo is Accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums and also known as the "Home of the 50 Monkeys", the Santa Ana Zoo features animals from central and south America.

Activities Involved

Students will become part of the Santa Ana Zoo Education Department assisting in creating and executing education programs for school groups and regular visitors. Those with special interest in informal environmental education may be asked to complete special projects and/or be trained to present zoo education animals during programs. Special projects include: school program tour guide, school program animal handling, education biofact inventory, outreach and community events, program testing and development.

Requirements to Apply

Applicants should have the following skills:

- basic computer skills
- general knowledge of animals (preferred, training provided)
- able to work indoors and outdoors in various weather conditions
- able to work with volunteers and guests of all ages and backgrounds
- good customer service skills

How to Apply

Interested students should contact the Zoo Education Specialist at lbergh@santa-ana.org or 714-647-6573. They will be asked to complete a Zoo Volunteer Application and phone interview.



Contact information

Santa Ana Zoo

1801 East Chestnut Ave.

www.santaanazoo.org

Site Supervisor: Lauren Bergh, Zoo Education Specialist

Phone: (714) 647-6573

Email: lbergh@santa-ana.org

UCI Math CEO

The UC Irvine Math CEO outreach program provides low-income middle school students who are enthusiastic about mathematics a unique opportunity to come to the UCI campus weekly after school, and engage with UCI faculty and students on novel investigative math problems in a small group setting.

Activities Involved

Volunteers will assist small groups of middle school students in solving fun and challenging math problems.

The volunteers will receive educational materials ahead of time (problems sets with solutions) and will be given the opportunity to participate in training sessions on Monday from 2 to 3.50, two days prior to each fieldwork meeting. During the training, volunteers will learn about active learning teaching techniques that promote discovery and perseverance in the learning of mathematics. In addition, solutions to the math problems for the upcoming Wednesday meeting will be discussed at the training. This is a unique opportunity for volunteers interested in education to become acquainted with the practices of the new common core. Spanish speaking volunteers may help us lead workshops for parents on college opportunities and financial aid available for their children.

Requirements to Apply

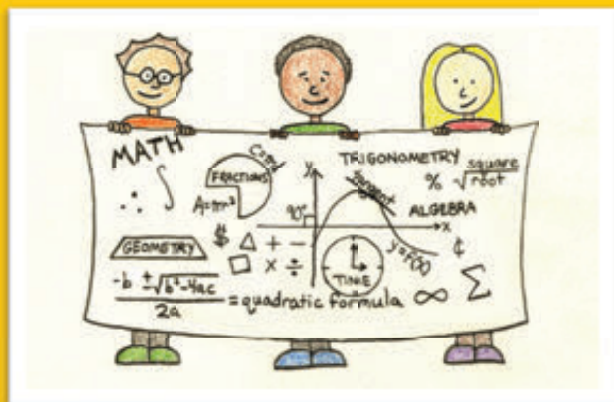
Passion for teaching, interest in mathematics, desire to help underprivileged students.

Volunteers will help the students develop critical thinking skills, and inspire them to work hard to find their way to college. Most importantly, they will be mentors and role models for these young students.

How to Apply

Email Dr. Pantano
(apantano@uci.edu)

Write VOLUNTEER for
MATH CEO
in the subject line.



Contact information

UCI Math CEO
440B Rowland Hall (Bldg. # 400)
University of California, Irvine
Irvine, CA 92697-3875

Site Supervisor: Alessandra Pantano
Phone Number: (949) 824 – 9438
Email: apantano@uci.edu

UCI Campus Recreation Boating Program

The City of Newport Beach has contracted the UCI Campus Recreation Boating Department to provide all of the City's boating safety education classes. The City just opened its multi-million-dollar state-of-the-art facility Marina Park on the peninsula in Newport Beach, and that is now the home for UCI's Boating Department. The City and UCI are now offering year-round boating safety classes to the public, including sailing, kayaking and paddleboarding.

Activities Involved

With the opening of Marina Park, there are a number of different opportunities available to interns. All positions are hands-on and based on interaction with the public. Duties may include admin work and interfacing with walk-ins to the Boating Office. Primarily interns would provide hands-on instruction with students during classes (year-round potential) and summer camps.

Requirements to Apply

Prospective candidates should be willing to learn to sail, paddleboard and kayak, as well as feel comfortable in the water. They should be enthusiastic about working with people, especially children. Candidates should be self-starters, organized, not afraid of physical work and a team player.

How to Apply

Interested students can apply by emailing boating@uci.edu. Please provide the reasons for applying, prior work experience, prior teaching experience, boating or watersports experience, willingness to learn boating basics, comfort level in the water, admin capabilities, and expectations from internship. Also, provide contact information, focus in studies and year in school



Contact information

UCI Campus Recreation Boating Program
Marina Park 1600 W. Balboa Blvd. Newport
Beach, CA 92660

Site Supervisor: Mandy McDonnell
Phone Number: (949) 824 -3738
Email: mcdonnea@uci.edu

Listing of Non-featured Approved Sites

Avid

www.avid.org

Blind Children's Learning Center

www.blindkids.org

Center for Educational Partnerships

www.giftedstudents.uci.edu

Crystal Cove Alliance

www.crystalcovealliance.org

Early Academic Outreach Program

www.eaop.uci.edu

Girls, Inc.

www.girlsinc.com

Global Connect

www.socsci.uci.edu/globalconnect

Irvine Unified School District

<https://www.iusd.org/>

Jumpstart

www.jstart.org

Kidworks

www.kidworksonline.org

Newport Bay Conservancy

www.newportbay.org

Newport Mesa Proliteracy Program

www.newportbeachlibrary.org

San Diego Zoo

<http://zoo.sandiegozoo.org/>

Santa Ana Public Library

www.ci.santa-ana.ca.us/library

Santa Ana Unified School District

www.sausd.us/

UCI Child Care Services

www.childcare.uci.edu

UCI Child Development Center

www.cdc.uci.edu

UCI Communication Club

www.clubs.uci.edu/commclub

UCI Extended Day Care

www.childcare.uci.edu/extended_day.php

UCI Writing Project

www.education.uci.edu/uciwp

WYSE (Women & Youth Supporting Each Other)

www.wyse.org