

# *Drift Creek Camp*

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**JOB DESCRIPTION** Naturalist

**RESPONSIBLE TO** Program Director

**SUMMARY** The Naturalist organizes and directs activities that explain and explore the wonder of God's creation.

## **Responsibilities**

- Implement Drift Creek Camp's purposes and objectives as outlined in the staff manual
- Share in the responsibility for making each camp session the best possible for all campers
- Plan the weekly nature activities for daily activity periods which help campers learn more about God's creation
- Develop a list of planned nature activities and work with the administrators to purchase needed supplies
- Conduct training sessions during orientation for other staff
- Maintain inventory of equipment and supplies for nature activities
- Participate in orientation
- Participate in daily camp life including morning chapel, evening fireside, staff meetings, meals, etc.
- Participate in other activities as time allows

## **Qualifications**

- Faith in Jesus Christ as Savior
- Experience in Environmental Education, Natural Science, Outdoor Education or other related field; or experience working with children in a camp or nature center
- Leadership and decision-making skills
- Ability to work cooperatively as a team member
- Good listening and communication skills
- Ability to be impartial
- Flexibility
- A genuine interest in working with and caring for young people and children at camp
- Enjoy teaching and interaction with people
- An understanding of the camp safety and health regulations
- A natural resource conservation ethic and lifestyle