



Humane Education Volunteer Opportunities

Teaching Love and Compassion Program Interns and Volunteers

Skills: High energy, outgoing, experience with middle school students, and comfortable handling dogs

Duties:

- Helping students while assisting with class activities
- Encourage students to participate in class
- Aid and facilitate discussions with students throughout class
- Keep a positive, upbeat attitude with students
- Supervise students in small groups while handling a partnering shelter dog
- Assist in set up and break down of classroom
- Participate in a TLC volunteer orientation and a level one dog training session

Commitment: Volunteers are asked to commit to at least one class each week from 2:45-5:15 on the same day

To learn more, contact Andrea Mortimer at (716)799-8651.

Shelter Tour Coordinator

Skills: Great customer service, excellent organizational skills, familiar with Excel, and attention to details

Duties:

- Return calls and answer all tour related questions/inquires
- Contact and secure tour guides for all scheduled tours
- Update logs to keep accurate statistics for tours
- Communicate frequently with the humane educator overseeing tours and the director of the humane education department
- Set aside all materials for upcoming tours that SPCA tour guides will need

Commitment: This volunteer position requires a commitment of 2-4 days per week for 3-4 hours per shift commitment.

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Shelter Tour Guide

Skills: Outgoing personalities with excellent customer service skills, comfortable working with adults and children of all ages

Duties:

- Provide an educational experience for groups that tour the SPCA
- Answer SPCA and animal related questions
- Interact with all guests while providing great customer service
- Communicate with the Humane Education Department
- Work with Girl Scout Troops earning their badges
- Arrive at the SPCA approximately 15 minutes before the scheduled shelter tour

Commitment: Shelter tours are offered primarily on Tuesday and Thursday evenings (6:00-7:00). Day tours also can be offered Monday-Friday (11:00-12:00).

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