



Volunteer Application

Thank you for your interest in becoming a volunteer at the Living Coast Discovery Center! Volunteers are an essential part of our team--we encourage persons ages 16 and over, of all races, creeds, and nationalities to participate. Volunteers serve many functions, including:

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| Arts & Crafts Leaders | Overnight Adventure Crew | Maintenance Crew |
| Docent | Guest Experience | Office/Clerical |
| Education(Camp & Field Assistance) | Guest Greeters | Exhibit Monitors (Shark & Ray, Aviary, & Touch Tank) |

What you can expect from the Discovery Center:

- ☞ Friendly, courteous staff
- ☞ Training and tools necessary to complete assigned tasks
- ☞ Written rights you have as a volunteer of the Friends of the Living Coast Discovery Center
- ☞ An enjoyable and mutually beneficial experience

What we ask of you:

- ☞ Respect visitors, staff, and other volunteers
- ☞ Become a member at the Volunteer level to further support the Discovery Center and cover the cost of materials used in training
- ☞ Commit to 12 months of volunteer service

Other things you should know:

- ☞ If you are between the ages of 16 and 18 years of age, your parent or guardian will need to sign your application
- ☞ If you are 18 years of age or older, you will need to complete the "Livescan" (fingerprinting) process, we will supply the paperwork to complete this
- ☞ We are unable to accept volunteers for the purposes of satisfying court-ordered community service
- ☞ All volunteers are encouraged to attend volunteer enrichment events, which allow an opportunity to meet other volunteers and expand knowledge

Ready to start?

1. Complete the attached application and send it in. WE will contact you when the next orientation is scheduled.

Orientation will begin at 10 AM; please arrive at 9:50 to allow time for the shuttle and check-in. If you are more than 10 minutes late, we will ask you to reschedule so you can attend an entire session.

Please make your reservation by calling (619) 409-5905 or email jasamine@thelivingcoast.org.