

Teaching Artist

Job Summary:

Working under the general supervision of the Director of Education, teaching artists make the VBMA's collection and special exhibitions accessible to families and students, including those with special needs, through a broad range of creative studio programming.

Responsibilities:

- Conceptualize, plan, and facilitate studio projects for family and student programs, including Museum Studios, Children's Art Festival, Holidays at the Museum, A+ART, and PreK-12th grade experiences;
- Work collaboratively with education staff and docents to link studio projects with exhibitions and the VBMA's collection;
- Adhere to studio program budgets and purchase art supplies accordingly;
- Coordinate with education and facilities staff for studio set-up needs;
- Communicate volunteer needs to education staff and direct volunteers helping with studio projects during programs;
- Report participation numbers to education staff.

This list is not intended to be all-inclusive, and you may not be responsible for every item listed. The employer reserves the right to assign additional functions and responsibilities, as necessary.

Administration

- When requested, attend staff meetings
- Maintain good working knowledge of the Museum's policies, procedures, educational practices and ideologies
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Director of Education and/or Executive Director

Education and Professional Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in studio arts, art history, art education, education, museum education, or related field;
- At least 1-2 years of teaching experience with families and students, including those with special needs

Knowledge and Skill Requirements:

- Creative thinker
- Highly organized and detail oriented
- Knowledge of a broad range of periods and styles in art as well as visual literacy strategies and teaching methods
- Committed to welcoming and engaging people of all ages, perspectives, backgrounds, and abilities

Functional Relationships:

• Reports to the Director of Education. Works closely with Education, Facilities, docents, other volunteers, and the public. This position is classified as Part-Time.

Working Conditions and Physical Requirements:

- Able to meet and perform the physical requirements and to work effectively in an environment which is typical of this position.
- Frequent lifting, bending, climbing, stooping, and pulling. Frequent repetitive motions.
- Continuous standing and walking.

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If you or anyone you know is interested in this position, please send a cover letter and resume to Danielle Elliott at delliott@vbmuseum.org