

BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF CENTRAL MINNESOTA

INTERNSHIP DESCRIPTION

Position Title: Performing Arts Internship

Basic Function: The Performing Arts Intern is responsible for the design and implementation of performing arts programs for several areas of the Boys & Girls Club. The intern will report to the Eastside Unit Director while in programming at the site.

Internship Responsibilities:

- Design and facilitate various performing arts programs and activities using BGCA's DramaMatters curriculum and other curriculum available.
- Integrate cultural elements into programs.
- Participate in programs interacting with youth and staff.
- Promote and stimulate interest in and participation in program activities by both members and volunteers.
- Network with schools, community, parents and members to keep programs varied and of interest to youth.
- Ability to be flexible, adaptable and willing to seek new ideas.
- Update and add to curriculum in Club's Resource library.
- Will know and use positive youth guidance techniques including, but not limited to, positive role modeling and positive discipline.
- Work to achieve the mission of the organization.

Qualifications:

- Knowledge and experience in performing arts.
- Demonstrates ability to relate well with children in a Boys & Girls Club environment.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills.
- Ability to work well with youth and families from diverse backgrounds.
- Willingness to work as a team member.

Program Hours Available:

School Year hours are 2 PM to 9 PM Monday-Friday

Summer Hours are 12 PM to 6 PM Monday-Friday

*Intern schedule will vary depending on site need and intern availability

*** A stipend in the amount of \$300 will be allotted to those interns able to complete 30 hours per week for a semester.