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Careers on the Grow Tucson Village Farm Job Description



Tucson Village Farm

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COOPERATIVE EXTENSION



Tucson Village Farm Internship

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Tucson Village Farm (TVF) is a working urban farm built by and for the youth of our community. A program of the Pima County Cooperative Extension and the University of Arizona, TVF is a seed-to-table program designed to reconnect young people to a healthy food system, teach them how to grow and prepare fresh food, and empower them to make healthy life choices.

Experience

2-3 weeks, June 2017

- Bring a willingness to learn and practice public speaking skills
- Show an interest in learning about healthy eating and the benefits of an active lifestyle.
- Demonstrate your ability to communicate the value of healthy eating and increased physical activity.

Skill Building

- Work at a seed-to-table urban educational farm in Tucson, Arizona
- Learn and assist with arid land food production including planting, harvesting, food preparation, weeding and integrated pest management.
- Teach nutrition, gardening and culinary skills including regional and culturally specific dishes.
- Facilitate non-competitive games and activities designed to promote leadership, communication and problem-solving.
- Assist with animal care, including aquaponics, chicken coop and vermicomposting.
- Assist with a five day/four night overnight camp in the pine trees of Prescott, AZ.

References

Abby, Tucson Village Farm Intern, 2016

"I learned a lot about program planning and about being careful around nature and not harming the environment but enriching it."

Additional Job Details

Accommodations are included - stay with host families and at sleep away camp

Perks of the Internship!

All travel is covered by 4-H Canada for this placement

A weekly honourarium will be provided by 4-H Canada

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