

# Farm Educator Internship

We are offering two **Farm Educator** intern positions at Bring the Farm to You this summer. Interns will work directly with the public, teaching summer programs. Our main summer programs are our Farm Animal Events and our Child's Homestead program. However, interns may have an opportunity to observe or take part in other programs as well. All our programs travel to our clients' locations, serving libraries, park systems, childcare centers, assisted living centers, and summer camps.

Interns will arrive on location, help with set-up, interact with and **teach the public**, and assist with clean-up. Interns will also be asked to take pictures and video, interview visitors, and update social media accounts.

Additionally, interns will gain experience working with and learning from farm animals, both by helping to guide and manage them at events, but also by working with them at the farm. One day per week, interns will be asked to assist on the farm in varying capacities.

At Bring the Farm to You, we want our **interns to become exposed to a fresh form of environmental education** - one that shares important and meaningful connections with the community, right where they are. We bring the farm into cities and suburbs, helping people feel connected with the animals that help supply our food and fiber, and the skills and history of making-ones-own.

Interns will have an opportunity to do the following tasks:

## **Assist with Programs**

- \* Attend Bring the Farm to You programs on-location around Columbus and the surrounding area to assist the Lead Teacher with set-up, clean-up, and teaching the public.
- \* Take pictures of the programs and animals and post to our social media accounts, helping to promote future programs and help people feel connected to the farm.
- \* Interact with and teach program participants, logging frequently asked questions, and otherwise helping to improve and deepen the learning experience for our visitors.

## **Farm**

- \* Assist with routine animal care such as brushing angora rabbits, leash-training animals, clipping nails and hooves, administering medications, socializing animals, etc.
- \* Assist with animal chores, including feeding, changing bedding, collecting/washing eggs, etc.
- \* Assist in the garden and greenhouse, participating in growing food on a small family homestead and enjoying some of the bounty for your own table.



**Compensation and schedule:** The intern will work part-time as needed, based on our program schedule and the intern's availability. Compensation is \$10/hour.

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**To find out more** about Bring the Farm to You, visit us online at [www.bringthefarmtoyou.com](http://www.bringthefarmtoyou.com)

To apply, please email [christa@bringthefarmtoyou.com](mailto:christa@bringthefarmtoyou.com) with the following subject heading: **Intern Application**. If you have a resume, please attach it. In your email, answer the following questions:

1. Why are you interested in an internship with Bring the Farm to You?
2. Do you drive and have reliable transportation?
3. What has been your experience and comfort level with animals?
4. What type of formal or informal teaching experiences have you had?

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