Position # X2361 – Lauderdale County

POSITION INFORMATION

Title: Extension Agent
Program Area: 4-H Youth Development
Clientele Served: 4-H Youth
Headquarters: Ripley, TN

Screening of applicants’ credentials will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

Date Issued: 09/05/2023
Effective Date: 12/01/2023

SALARY
Commensurate with training and experience. This position is funded jointly by UT Extension and Lauderdale County. Lauderdale County Government funds 23% of the position salary and benefits costs.

BENEFITS
Group hospitalization and life insurance; State Retirement; Workers' Compensation; sick and annual leave; numerous University of Tennessee and state benefits programs, including liberal time off for holidays, and longevity pay after three years of service; reimbursement for official travel.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Plans, executes, and evaluates 4-H Youth Development (100%) educational programs.
- Implements, evaluates, and reports 4-H Youth Development Programs related to organization, leadership, recognition, sponsorship, etc.
- Assumes responsibility for all youth projects, activities, shows, events, and committees.
- Secures and trains volunteer leaders and serves as an educational resource for educational youth programs within the county.
- Responsible to the County Extension Director and must keep current on the latest research information in youth development.
- Provides leadership for a program of activities that meets the needs of all eligible clientele regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion, or veteran status.
- Assume other duties as assigned.

NEW APPLICANTS

REQUESTS:

- Bachelor's degree in Agriculture, Family and Consumer Sciences or a field related to Education and/or youth development is required.

- Applicants must have either a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.7 on a 4.0 point scale, a minimum of 3.0 during their senior year of undergraduate study, or must have earned a Master's degree. Preference will be given to applicants with a MS Degree, and/or work experience in a related field. Applicants graduating prior to position start date are welcome to apply.

- A complete application package will include a 1) letter of interest, 2) a resume or curriculum vitae, 3) and official or unofficial transcripts showing degree(s) conferred.

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REQUESTS:

- Request for transfer/reassignment may be approved if applicant: has normally been employed with Extension in their current location a minimum of eighteen (18) months;
- has a performance rating of satisfactory or above for the previous eighteen (18) months; and
- training appropriate for the assignment.

- Attach a complete application package which includes a 1) letter of interest, 2) a resume or curriculum vitae, 3) and official or unofficial transcripts showing degree(s) conferred.

Please complete an internal/transfer application online by clicking the link: Internal/transfer Application

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