



Employment Details

Position: Golf and Life Skills Coach

Post Date: July 1, 2022

Chapter Name: First Tee - Greater Charleston

Salary/Wage: \$15.00 per hour for non-PGA and \$20.00 per hour for PGA members with opportunity for advancement through First Tee's Coach Training Program

Location: Charleston, Dorchester, and Berkeley counties, South Carolina

Position Type: Part-time (from 2-10 hours per week)

Job Category: Programming

Job Description

The Golf and Life Skills Coach is responsible for guiding and coaching young people to become responsible future citizens and committed, active golfers. Positively impacting their lives through the First Tee Golf and Life Skills Experience using lesson plans and First Tee Coach Building Blocks. Coaches will write and deliver lesson plans that correspond with the core lessons laid out in First Tee curriculum. Sample lesson plans may be provided. Each lesson will include 3 components (warm up, core lesson instruction, wrap up). First Tee - Greater Charleston hosts three seasonal (spring, summer, fall) 8-week sessions for participants ages 5-18. Coaching opportunities may arise at any of our 7 partner golf courses.

Responsibilities

- Lead each assigned class for the entirety of the season
- Become proficient in the delivery of TARGET, PLAYer, Advanced PLAYer, and PAR as well as First Tee's Nine Core Values
- Maintain a professional and cordial attitude towards co-workers, volunteers, participants and their parents
- Create lesson plans
- Maintain consistent and regular sign-in and attendance
- Commence and end scheduled lessons on time
- Conduct pre-lesson coaching sessions for volunteers 15 minutes prior to the start of every lesson
- Monitor the quality of equipment and inform the Program Director of equipment needs
- Maintain and organize equipment storage areas
- Encourage qualified youth to participate in golf tournaments, Home Office opportunities, local chapter events, and end-of-season assessments
- Make the game fun for youth participants
- Provide a safe environment in all areas
- Demonstrate exceptional communication, fiscal management and managerial skills
- Adhere to the standards of First Tee Code of Conduct
- Be charismatic, personable, and motivational in working with youth
- Network with other chapter colleagues and exchange best practice ideas

- Pursue First Tee Coaching Certifications and remain active in the First Tee Coach Training Program
- Convey the Chapter's brand image to the public

Qualifications

Preferred Experience in any or all of these fields:

- Youth development
- Elementary or secondary education
- Sports management or other sports-related field
- PGA or LPGA golf professional
- First Tee Coach Program

Benefits

- Certification through the First Tee Coach Program

General

All candidates are subject to a background check, drug screening, and pre-employment physical.

Wages are paid for actual class times, up to 45 minutes prior to class for set up and up to 30 minutes after class to allow time for cleanup and review with parents and participants. Time spent developing lesson plans is paid up to 30 minutes each week with submission of a complete lesson plan that has been delivered.

Eight-week sessions each year run March-May for spring, June-August for summer, and September-November for fall, and coaches are sought for each season.

Potential coaching locations are:

- Patriots Point Golf Links, Mount Pleasant
- Rivertowne Country Club, Mount Pleasant
- Dunes West Golf & River Club, Mt Pleasant
- Charleston Municipal Golf Course, James Island
- Shadowmoss Golf Club, West Ashley
- Wescott Golf Club, North Charleston
- The Club at Pine Forest, Summerville
- Berkeley Country Club, Moncks Corner
- Wrenwoods Golf Course, Joint Base Charleston

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To apply for this position, please email your resume to the address above.