STAGES Theater Camp 2025 Camp Counselors

OVERVIEW

STAGES Theater Camp seeks experienced and energetic staff members from diverse backgrounds to support in-person summer camps. Applicants should have introductory experience working with youth in camps, classrooms, babysitting, theater schools, or after-school settings.

SCHEDULE

Monday- Friday, 7:00 am-1:30 pm (modified depending on position)

2-week commitment: June 19 (training), 22- July 3,

Training days: District training TBA; On-site training and camp set up June 22, 10 am - 2 pm

This position requires travel to Corvallis High School every camp day and the 509J school district office on designated training days. STAGES staff members must be available for all training and camp days without exception. Minor scheduling conflicts may be permitted with prior approval.

All STAGES staff members will:

- Supervise campers once they arrive on site until an approved person comes to pick them up.
- Creating a welcoming and safe environment
- Actively participate in warm-ups, classes, and other activities
- Actively participate in camp dress-up days and generally encourage camp spirit
- Supervise campers during snack breaks and other student crossing times
- Ensure the cleanliness of classrooms, snack areas, and general facilities.

DESIRABLE TRAITS:

- Passion for theater and youth arts education.
- Commitment to diversity, equity, inclusion, and anti-racism.
- Flexible, fun, responsible, patient, creative, and self-motivated.
- Interested in developing leadership qualities through direct work and supervisor feedback.

<u>CAMP COUNSELORS:</u> Camp Counselors supervise a group of students as they spend their day experiencing activities in different content areas. The primary role is to develop positive relationships with campers, becoming the camper's reliable and consistent person through their camp experience.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Supervises campers in a variety of activities both inside and outside of the assigned activity space.
- Exercises independent judgment to resolve issues and respond to the needs of campers or staff.
- Exercises independent judgment in the management of groups of students or camp operations in a manner consistent with camp and district goals.
- Work effectively with and respond to people from diverse cultures and backgrounds.
- Facilitates campers' development of positive interpersonal relationships with peers and camp staff, promoting the safety of campers by helping them build self-confidence.
- Supports students in behavior management and social skills; responds to discipline problems; acts as a role model.
- Maintains high standards and expectations for students in a manner that encourages independence and personal growth.
- Performs minor medical and health procedures as requested in a manner that meets state and district guidelines.
- Respect confidential information and the privacy of campers, staff, and parents.

• Provides other related services as assigned.

Preferred Experience

- Six months of experience working with groups of students, supporting them with behavior intervention strategies and creatively problem-solving difficult situations.
 Ability to understand and implement the camp's goals and carry out work assignments in a
- manner that supports those goals.
- First Aid/CPR Certification