



2026 Craft Camp Volunteer

Reports to: Education Manager

Dates: Minimum one Craft Camp Session

(Session 1: June 15-19 / Session 2: June 22-26 / Session 3: July 6-10 / Session 4: July 13-17)

Compensation: This is eligible for community hours or credit through academic institutions.

POSITION OVERVIEW

The Craft Camp Volunteer will assist with HCCC's Craft Camps for children ages 5-9, gaining hands-on experience and a variety of teaching skills through observing and assisting Craft Camp teachers, as well as facilitating open-ended making and games.

Though hours may vary slightly, this position typically works Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM – 3:00 PM. This position is ideal for those who love to work with children and wish to gain experience working in art education or in a museum environment. High school students are encouraged to apply.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Learn about the day-to-day activities of an art camp, including student pick-up, drop-off, and assisting in the studio.
- Prepare materials for Craft Camp.
- Aid instructors with instructions, projects, and other tasks.
- Help instructors with set-up and clean-up daily.
- Encourage children with art projects, modeling skills and problem solving, as needed.
- Help mount mini exhibition of student work, and set-up/clean-up opening reception events.
- Other duties as assigned by the Education Manager.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Have a strong interest in the arts
- Must be punctual and responsible
- Must pass background check with parental consent to work with children
- Ability to lift and carry at least 30 lbs
- Previous experience working with children or education is preferred

APPLICATION PROCESS

Deadline: Friday, March 20, 2026

To apply, please fill out the volunteer application form at

<https://crafthouston.org/support/volunteer/>

Applicants who are selected for an interview will be contacted by HCCC.

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ABOUT HCCC

Located in Houston's Museum District, Houston Center for Contemporary Craft (HCCC) is a nonprofit arts center with a mission to inspire and connect people to the art and process of making. The Center's focus is on art objects made of clay, fiber, glass, metal, wood, and mixed media. Serving as a dynamic hub at the intersection of craft and contemporary culture, HCCC showcases emerging and acclaimed artists in exhibitions, engages visitors of all ages with hands-on programming, and supports the development of working artists through artist residency and retail programs.