

Discover Opportunity!

The Discovery Museum is looking for committed, caring, flexible, responsible persons who would like to serve their community by taking advantage of the many opportunities the museum has to offer volunteers. Knowledge of science is not necessary!

Volunteering will provide you with various opportunities to network with and meet other volunteers, staff and visitors from all over the world!



Please complete the application and return it to the museum, either in person or by mail.

Thank you! We look forward to welcoming you aboard.

Name: _____ Date: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
Phone: _____ Email: _____ Age _____

I understand and agree that if I am age 21 or older, I may be required to submit to a background check with fingerprinting at my own expense.

Are you a student? Yes No School/Program: _____
Grade Level: _____ Training or degree: _____

Experience (list both salaried and volunteer experience):

Organization: _____ Job Title/Responsibilities: _____
1) _____
2) _____

References (other than family members): Relationship: Phone #: _____
1) _____
2) _____

May we contact your references? Yes No

Interest Form:

Why do you want to volunteer for the Discovery Museum? _____

What skills and qualifications do you have that make you a great volunteer? _____

What do you hope to gain from the experience as a Discovery Museum volunteer? _____

Are you able to commit to volunteer assignments for a minimum of six months? Yes No

Are there any physical limitations that might prevent you from doing certain types of volunteer work? Yes No
Explain: _____

Have you ever been arrested or convicted of a crime related to children, drugs or violence? Yes No
Explain: _____

Volunteers are chosen on an as-needed basis. Submission of this application will not guarantee a placement. Volunteers must attend an orientation and will be screened according to their placements, and may determine volunteer's eligibility for volunteerism at the Discovery Space & Science Center. Screening may include reference checks, fingerprinting, background checks or other according to placement. By signing below, you are granting permission to complete any and all necessary reference checks and screening required for assignment. Screening requirements are subject to change at any time.

I CERTIFY that all statements in this application are true and complete. I agree and understand that any misstatement or omission of material herein will cause forfeiture on my part of all rights to volunteerism with the Discovery Science & Space Center.

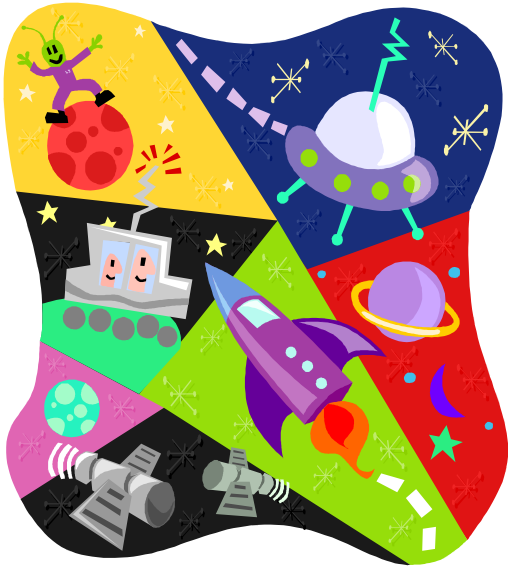
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Applicants under the age of 18 must also have this application signed by a legal guardian.

Legal Guardian Name: _____ Signature: _____

Join Our Mission!

The Discovery Science and Space Center is a non-profit teaching and learning center. The planetarium, science exhibits, animal hall, natural park setting, and Challenger Learning Center allow a diverse population of students, teachers, families, and other members of the public to imagine, understand, and explore our world and the universe beyond.



More than 60,000 school children visit the Science & Space Center every year, and receive—for many of them—their first introduction to the world of science and its many opportunities. Thanks to the generosity of our many members and donors, and the hard work of our volunteers and staff, classes are never turned away because of their inability to pay their own way.

How You Can Help!

- * Weekend Crafts Helper
- * Special Events
- * Booth Personnel at fairs, etc.
- * Gardeners
- * Robot Wrangler
- * Educational Program Assistant
- * Challenger Flight Assistant
- * Birthday Party Host/Hostess
- * Office Assistant
- * Animal Care Assistants
- * School Community Service
- * Carpenter Shop Assistant

We will send out a monthly email letting volunteers know the needs and opportunities for the month.



Volunteer today!



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