

Assistant Soccer Coach

Location: East Otis, Massachusetts Type: Private residential soccer camp Compensation: commensurate based on experience Dates: Approximately mid-June to mid-August Benefits: Travel stipend, comfortable housing, well-rounded meals, access to camp facilities, regularly scheduled time-off

Description: The Berkshire Soccer Academy is an overnight soccer camp for girls. We offer an elite training experience for girls, ages 9-16, in a traditional camp setting on a private lake in the Berkshires.

Assistant Soccer Coaches function under the direction of the Soccer Program Director, the Master Coaches, and Head Coaches to plan, prepare, and facilitate 2-3 (90-minute) soccer sessions per day with a group of 20-40 campers of varying age and skill level. Assistant Coaches collaborate with Master Coaches on session planning in order to facilitate and coach smaller groups of campers.

Assistant Soccer Coaches undergo a week-long orientation before camp begins that covers Academy protocol, equipment management, coaches training, and more.

Assistant Soccer Coaches live in a cabin with 8-12 campers as their Cabin Counselor (see description below), alongside 1-2 other counselors.

Job Qualifications:

- Must have proven experience supervising a minimum of 10 children at one time
- Must have soccer playing experience and coaching at the youth soccer level
- Must have a US Soccer level % + license or equivalent, or experience playing soccer at a high level (collegiate, ODP)

• WELL-BEING:

- Must be committed to the safety and well-being of our campers at all times; physically, psychologically and socially
- Must have experience modeling healthy habits and safe behavior consistently
- CONNECTION:
 - Must enjoy working with kids, and be sensitive to their needs
 - Must have proven ability engaging with and appealing to kids
 - Must have proven ability facilitating activities that promote group cohesion

• **PROFESSIONALISM**:

- Must be able to manage multiple responsibilities and the needs of others
- Must have proven success working within a team, meeting deadlines, being punctual, and collaborating with peers and supervisors

• POSITIVITY:

- Must have proven experience as a positive role model to kids and peers
- o Must be demonstrate optimism and flexibility in the face of adversity
- Must be open to receiving constructive feedback, and proven experience taking action to correct performance

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Cabin Counselor

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Description: The Berkshire Soccer Academy is an overnight soccer camp for girls. We offer an elite training experience for girls, ages 9-16, in a traditional camp setting on a private lake in the Berkshires.

Cabin Counselors live in newly-renovated, pine-paneled cabins with 1-2 other counselors and 8-12 campers. All cabins include electricity, full bathrooms, and screened windows. Campers are grouped by age in cabins, ranging from 9-16 years old. Cabin Counselors are responsible for the overall well-being of each camper, being a positive mentor and role model, and collaborating with Resident Life Leaders to address any needs or concerns.

Cabin Counselors undergo a week-long training before camp begins that covers Academy protocol, child development, and more. A typical day for a Cabin Counselor can begin as early as 6:30AM, and end as late as 10:30PM. This includes eating all meals with your campers, accompanying them throughout camp, and collaborating with Residential Life Leaders to ensure campersqueeds are met.

Job Qualifications:

- Must have proven experience supervising a minimum of 10 children at one time
- Must be excited about living in a rugged mountain setting with simple accommodations and limited access to phone/internet
- Must be comfortable living in shared spaces with minimal privacy
- WELL-BEING:
 - Must be committed to the safety and well-being of our campers at all times; physically, psychologically and socially
 - Must have experience modeling healthy habits and safe behavior consistently for long periods of time
- CONNECTION:
 - Must enjoy working with kids, and be sensitive to their needs
 - Must have proven ability engaging with and appealing to kids
 - Must have proven ability facilitating activities that promote group cohesion

• PROFESSIONALISM:

- Must be able to manage multiple responsibilities and the needs of others
- Must have proven success working within a team, meeting deadlines, being punctual, and collaborating with peers and supervisors

• POSITIVITY:

- Must have proven experience as a positive role model to kids and peers
- o Must be demonstrate optimism and flexibility in the face of adversity
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