



FoodConnect Educator | OnCall

About Us:

MEarth is a dynamic environmental education nonprofit that works with over 5,500 community members from across Monterey County annually, through our four core programs: NatureConnect, ClassroomConnect, FoodConnect and CommunityConnect.

Over the last 17+ years, our team has helped steward the development of the 10-acre Hilton Bialek Habitat, an award-winning environmental education center located at the mouth of Carmel Valley (adjacent to Carmel Middle School). We are looking for an enthusiastic addition to our team and can't wait to meet you!

Our mission is to educate + inspire through environmental stewardship.

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About the position:

We are looking for an ONCALL educator to support our ongoing FoodConnect programs that take place in our state of the art, LEED-certified kitchen and garden. This is a great opportunity for someone who loves food, cooking, and is interested in edible gardening, nutrition, + sustainability education. Prior experience in a fast-paced kitchen environment (catering, restaurants) and/or working with kids in the kitchen is a plus!

Tasks may include the following:

- Lead food education programs in our kitchen classroom with small group facilitation/teaching, classroom management, set- up, and clean- up.
- Harvesting produce for our local school community/classes, and, occasionally assisting in helping to harvest for local restaurants.
- Assisting in special events in the green building kitchen.
- Green building maintenance and upkeep.
- Maintenance of kitchen equipment, tools, and organization.
- Occasional assistance in our organic garden to help plant, harvest, and maintain property.

Hours for Oncall Staff are listed below. Additional hours and programs may come available as the winter and spring season progress. Exact hours on date of program vary slightly, but general time frames are provided

AFTERNOON PROGRAMMING

Staff should be available from 1:00pm -6:30pm

- Wednesday, January 17
- Wednesday, March 7
- Wednesday, March 14
- Wednesday, April 4
- Wednesday, April 11

MORNING PROGRAMMING

Staff should be available in general from 8:30am -1:00pm

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| Tuesday, February 20 | Monday, April 9 |
| Wednesday, February 21 | Tuesday, April 10 |
| Thursday, February 22 | Wednesday, April 11 |
| Friday, February 23 | Thursday, April 12 |
| Monday, February 26 | Friday, April 13 |
| Tuesday, February 27 | Monday, April 16 |
| Friday, March 2 | Monday, April 30 |
| Monday, March 12 | Tuesday, May 4 |
| Tuesday, March 13 | Wednesday, May 9 |
| Friday, March 23 | Friday, May 11 |
| Tuesday, April 3 | Wednesday, May 16 |
| Wednesday, April 4 | Thursday, May 17 |

Working Conditions:

MEarth is an innovative and dynamic work environment, providing opportunities for the right candidate to explore a wide variety of avenues available in the environmental, agricultural, horticultural, + educational fields.

The candidate will be working around the school environment and therefore should be comfortable, presentable and a good role model for children. Successful candidate should be self-motivated and able to work alone or in groups. Creative problem solving and project-completion skills are a must.

The working environment is subject to bending, crouching, or kneeling to access information and/or to assist students from ground level to 4.5 feet above the ground, pushing, pulling and lifting of instructional equipment and supplies, sitting on chairs or floor, leaning over for prolonged periods of time, reaching in all directions, and working outdoors for prolonged periods of time.

The position is flexible (10-15 hrs/week) and will be scheduled based on applicants availability and the needs of the program. Successful completion of the hiring process is contingent on applicant passing a multi-agency live-scan fingerprint/background check. (paid for by MEarth)

Compensation

\$15/hr.

No benefits are afforded to this oncall position.

To Apply:

Please fill out the following Google Form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf3q13ypzcJApJz1B5qD3uLCiG1h1DmY9tvzwtwjnTxlem3_IA/viewform?usp=sf_link

No phone calls please.

Women, people of color and LGBT candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. MEarth is an Equal Opportunity Employer.