

Ceramics Instructor (Part Time)

Wondery Art + Adventure School is a community art studio located in Southwest Bend serving ages two through adult. Our beautiful space features a main visual arts studio for kid and adult classes, a ceramics studio, a classroom for our Reggio-inspired Wondery Kinder Studio (ages 3-5) and a mini studio for our Little Artists Program (ages 2-5). We are a small and growing team with a passion to nurture the creative spirits of all ages!

Our Mission

Creativity is a superpower. At Wondery we connect children and adults with their creative powers by providing experiences that focus on the journey of creating rather than the destination.

Overview

Our Ceramics Program is our newest addition to our school offerings! We have a cozy ceramics studio featuring seven wheels and a kiln. Currently we offer a Kids Clay Club in the afternoons for wheel throwing and handbuilding, as well as a drop-in mixed level wheel throwing class for adults. We are preparing to open our space for monthly memberships, as well as grow our class and workshop offerings. The right person will be excited to both lead the implementation of our current programming and expand our ceramics program!

Responsibilities

- Teach current weekly classes in the afternoons/evenings for kids and adults
- Develop and implement new classes and workshops for kids and adults (and parents/kids together) that align with our mission
- Collaborate with the Director to schedule classes and workshops
- Manage the general cleanliness and order of the ceramics studio: Organizing and cleaning the studio (after classes/build a culture of caring for the studio with students), processing clay, loading and unloading the kiln, managing clay inventory, etc.
- Orient new members to the studio space and provide membership support as needed
- Capture photos of classes and workshops for social media
- Host private ceramics events
- Collaborate with other Wondery staff to support and develop other arts programming
- Attend staff meetings

Qualifications

- Prior experience teaching pottery is required
- Skilled ceramicist in both wheel and hand building
- Ability to teach children ages 6 14 and adults

- Available most late afternoons/early evenings and some weekends dependent on studio need and seasonal classes
- Background check

Benefits

- \$23+/hr DOE
- Personal ceramic studio use
- Opportunity to participate in all other Wondery programming for adults
- A 25% family discount on all Wondery programming for children

Apply

Please send an email to <a>sarah@wonderyschool.com:

- Introduce yourself
- Tell us why you'd be a good fit for this position at Wondery
- Your work availability
- Attach your resume