



Volunteer Opportunity Description

<u>Title</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Time Commitment</u>
Science Education Mentor	3 months	5 hours per week

Key Responsibilities

- Engage 5th grade students in rigorous science education.
- Prepare materials for hands-on science lessons.
- Assist with instruction of lessons as needed.
- Assist with classroom management.

Volunteer Impact

- Help students to believe and achieve in science.
- Expose underserved youth to innovative science and conservation curriculum.
- Spark student interest in science careers.

Commitment

- One 5 hour shift per week from September 24th through December 7th, 2018.
 - Time for the shift varies between 7am-4pm.
- One required orientation for all Science Education Mentors.
 - Monday, September 17th from 3:00pm-5:30pm
- One required field trip training.
 - 5th Grade Field Trip Training: TBD

Requirements

- Must be High School age or older.
- Must pass initial screening.
- Interest in the science, conservation, or education fields.
- Commitment to acting as a role model for underserved youth.
- Willing to pay a one-time \$25 for an Ocean Discovery Institute volunteer uniform.

Preferred Qualifications

- Interest in gaining education experience.
- Ability to communicate in Spanish or other languages.