

# CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS CABRILLO MARINE AQUARIUM

## Museum Guide - Aquatic Nursery

(3 positions available) Salary: \$21.50/hour

(Subject to change)

The Department of Recreation and Parks is recruiting for three (3) Museum Guides, who are part-time, atwill employees and who will work up to a maximum of 1040 hours per year at the Cabrillo Marine Aquarium.

#### **AVAILABLE HOURS/LOCATION:**

- 15-20 hours per week based on the budgetary and operational needs of the Department
- Cabrillo Marine Aquarium 3720 Stephen M White Dr., San Pedro, CA 90731

#### **DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:**

- Assist with Exhibit and Education programs for students and visitors at Cabrillo Marine Aquarium
- Assist with animal care and maintenance; including cleaning and feeding of animals, recording animal care, general operations, and equipment maintenance
- Mentor and conduct research activities to support the Young Scientists Program, White Abalone Captive Breeding program, and other conservation projects

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- A working knowledge of marine animal life
- 12 semester units (or 18 quarter units) or equivalent from a recognized college or university in Marine Biology, Biology, Zoology, or related field is required
- Ability to demonstrate and explain exhibits to visitors from a vast varied background
- Ability to convey a favorable public image and guide groups of visitors
- Excellent communicator and speak in an effective, friendly, and engaging fashion
- Possess a valid California Driver's License and a good driving record
- Able to be responsible, dependable, and communicative with supervisory staff
- Ability to follow directions and work under minimum supervision
- Experience in aquaculture techniques is desired
- Must be efficient and work in a timely manner to organize and prioritize program needs
- Be resourceful and effective in multi-tasking resulting in accomplished results; ability to set and accomplish priorities
- Must be able to lift and move 50 lbs.

Please email your resume to: martha.vacaperez@lacity.org

Deadline: Friday. May 30, 2025