



CCT RESIDENT COMPANY PERFORMANCE INTERN

TYPE: Unpaid Internship, Education Department

INTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE: 2
DEADLINE TO APPLY: March 20, 2020

DESCRIPTION

Columbus Children's Theatre's education internship is an exciting opportunity to learn about theatre education programs while honing/acquiring valuable skills. CCT is seeking interns to join the Resident Company performance team for the run of the 2020 Child Writing Project (CWP): Wildest Dreams. Candidates must be able to attend rehearsals (schedule to be determined, but will begin March 30th), the premiere performance on April 19th, and all performances in schools and other venues from April 20- May 29, 2020 (Monday through Friday, during school hours). High School and college/university students are encouraged to apply. While this is an unpaid internship, CCT will work with interns and their schools to ensure school credit can be earned if possible.

The CCT Resident Company performs for pre-school, elementary, and middle school students throughout Ohio. The company performs approximately 200 performances during the season with the majority of these performances occurring during school day hours. In addition to performances, the CCT Resident Company teaches interactive workshops in classrooms. The Child Writing Project collects stories from students all over Ohio; turns approximately 20 stories into a play; premieres the play for winning authors, their families, and teachers; and tours the show to schools.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend all rehearsals and performances as scheduled
- Learn and perform a performance track for CWP: Wildest Dreams
- Assist scheduled workshops in schools (as booked along with performances)
- Assist in the loading and unloading of the van (materials weighing up to 35 lbs.) and set-up of scenery and props for each performance
- Ensure costumes, props, and scenery are properly maintained

BENEFITS

- Experience working on a touring performance with a professional theatre company, its staff and artists
- Experience in workshop lesson plan creation and facilitation
- Get free tickets to all other CCT productions for the duration of your internship
- Attend special events at CCT
- Gain skills in non-profit theatre administration, education, performance, and essential job skills (such as time management, communication, and organization)

WE'RE LOOKING FOR AN INTERN WHO:

- Is considering a career in education, theatre education, and/or the arts
- Can work as part of a team and take direction
- Is conscientious, good with details, and possesses self-management skills
- Has a professional demeanor
- Has experience acting and is comfortable learning a performance track (including multiple characters)
- Can commit to a rehearsal schedule (to be determined, but approximately 10 hours/week for 3 weeks March 30-April 18), the premiere performance April 19 1-5pm, and Monday through Friday performances during school hours April 20-May 29, 2020

TO SUBMIT

For consideration, please send the following, no later than March 20, 2020:

- A cover letter stating specific interest, how the internship will apply to their school/career goals, and scheduling availability for the above dates
- Current resume detailing past work and/or performance experience
- If the internship will be for school credit, an outline of the school's requirements of the intern and internship site

Email to: educationdept@ColumbusChildrensTheatre.org or

Mail to: Education Department, Columbus Children's Theatre, 177 E Naghten St., Columbus OH, 43215