

Position Summary:

Candidates must be motivated, able to work within a team as well as on their own and have proven skills working with students. This position will work closely with fellow instructors, NESS support staff, and Junior Instructors. This position reports to the Sailing Program Director.

Positions may include the following:

Opti Coaches, 420 Coaches, all levels of Learn to Sail in Optis/ Hartley 12's / and O'pen Bics, Windsurfing, Small Keelboat (Sonar and J-22 experience preferred), Adult Instruction, 29er and, Waszp

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Develop lesson plans based on current curriculum
- Implement both classroom and on the water lessons
- Provide leadership to students and assist in overseeing junior instructors
- Maintain sailing and powerboat fleet
- Preserve organized classroom space
- Implement NESS safety plan and maintain campus and offsite safety at all times

Minimum Requirements:

- US Sailing Level I
- Current CPR and First Aid
- State Safe Boating Certificate
- Lifeguard certification,
- *Kayak, SUP and Surf experience preferred
- *Racing coaches must have participated in high school or college sailing and have US Sailing Level II Certification

(certain certifications can be obtained through NESS)

Compensation commensurate with experience and may include comprehensive benefits package. **NESS is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer**

Please send your cover letter and resume to: jobs@nessf.org, subject: Sailing Instructor

About NESS

New England Science & Sailing Foundation, Inc. (NESS) is an ocean adventure education nonprofit that engages students in experiential learning to build confidence, teamwork, and leadership skills. Marine sciences, sailing, adventure sports, and powerboating serve as platforms for inquiry-based learning, transformational personal discovery, teaching respect and responsibility for the sea, and fostering connections with the community. NESS serves schools, families, and organizations with a broad range of high-quality, year-round, inclusive programs both on and off the water that blend an innovative curriculum with exciting ocean adventure activities. An independent 501(c)(3), NESS operates in multiple locations and serves over 8,500 students each year. For more information, visit www.nessf.org.