

# The Pigeon Key Foundation Marine Science Summer Camp Junior Counselor

## Volunteer Junior Counselor Position

Do you love working with kids? Are you hoping to pursue a career in education, marine biology, or another science field in college? Then a volunteer Junior Counselor position at the Pigeon Key Foundation's Marine Science Summer Camp could be right up your alley!

### Qualifications:

- 17 years old or older before the start of camp
- High level of interest in working with children (experience preferred)
- Superior Swimming Ability (preference given to applicants with current lifeguard certification)
- Passion for Marine Science
- Optimistic Attitude
- Indomitable Work Ethic
- Good Sense of Humor

### What to Expect:

On Sunday afternoon prior to the start of camp, Junior Counselors will arrive to Pigeon Key for a brief training and acclimation to the island. Together as a team, JCs and Pigeon Key Staff will be responsible for the well-being of all summer campers. JCs will enthusiastically participate in all camp activities, assist staff with Pigeon Key programming, and quickly and effectively accomplish behind-the-scenes tasks throughout the week that are vital to the camp's success. JC's will remain at camp from Sunday afternoon until the last camper goes home on Friday at 5:00pm.

### Chain-of-Command:

The Operations Director and Education Director oversee all educational staff, including Junior Counselors. Other members of the Pigeon Key Staff may assign you tasks throughout the week as well.

### The Perks:

Meals, bedding, use of snorkel gear, air-conditioned dorms, on-island housing with the campers and a week in the Florida Keys is provided as part of your volunteership!

### How to Apply:

Please complete the online application. Due to the high volume of applicants, JCs will likely be asked to volunteer during one week of camp. You may be contacted for a follow-up phone interview if selected for the position.

Questions can be submitted to Operations Director Chris at [chris@pigeonkey.net](mailto:chris@pigeonkey.net) or Education Director Jason at [jason@pigeonkey.net](mailto:jason@pigeonkey.net)