



Volunteer Application

Please TYPE or PRINT then return to:
Volunteer Coordinator • e-mail: modsvolapp@mods.net

Today's date:
mm/dd/yyyy

-or-

Volunteer Coordinator
Museum of Discovery and Science
401 SW Second Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

First name: _____ Last name _____ Home phone: _____

Street address: _____ Cell phone: _____

City: _____ E-mail: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ (Determines certain eligibilities.)

How did you learn about our volunteer program? _____

Address is same
as participant's

PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION (IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE).

First name: _____ Last name _____ Home phone: _____

Street address: _____ Cell phone: _____

City: _____ E-mail: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

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EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

First name: _____ Last name _____

Street address: _____ Emergency phone 1: _____

City: _____ Emergency phone 2: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name of school you are, or will be, attending: _____

Are you volunteering to accumulate hours for school? YES NO

If NO, what do you need the hours for? _____ How many hours needed? _____

NON-STUDENT INFORMATION

What is or was your chosen profession? _____

Education / Degree / Certifications: _____

Current or last employer: _____

Skills, interests, talents, and hobbies: _____

Optional: You may attach your resume to this application.

AVAILABILITY AND AREA(S) OF INTEREST

Please check the days and times you are able to volunteer (check ALL that apply).

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
9:30 – 1:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	9:30 – 1:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	9:30 – 1:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	9:30 – 1:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	9:30 – 1:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	9:30 – 5:00 <input type="checkbox"/>	11:30 – 6:00 <input type="checkbox"/>
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Please check area(s) of interest (check ALL that apply):

Administrative <input type="checkbox"/>	Development <input type="checkbox"/>	Explore Store <input type="checkbox"/>	Facilities <input type="checkbox"/>	Marketing <input type="checkbox"/>
Membership <input type="checkbox"/>	Programs <input type="checkbox"/>	Reservations <input type="checkbox"/>	Special Events <input type="checkbox"/>	Visitor Services <input type="checkbox"/>

Additional Notes:

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDE : (DESCRIPTIONS AND REQUIREMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

<p>Administrative: Behind-the-scenes tasks such as filing, mass-mailing, data entry, and telephone skills that are used for daily operations.</p>	Ages vary	<p>Programs - Floor Explainer: Volunteers interested in science who would enjoy explaining science exhibits to Museum visitors.</p>	Min. age 14
<p>Development / Special Events: Volunteers would help greet guests and assist with event activities – events are usually during the evenings.</p>	Ages vary	<p>Programs - Overnight Camp-In: Volunteers help coordinate activities from 6 p.m. to midnight for youth group overnight programs.</p>	Min. age 16
<p>Explore Store / Retail: Volunteers are needed to assist staff with retail activities and product demonstrations.</p>	Min. age 14	<p>Programs - Ride Operators: Operate our Mars Rover, MaxFlight, or 7-D Theater for Museum visitors.</p>	Ages vary
<p>Facilities: Help maintain a clean and safe work environment. Building maintenance and yard work.</p>	Ages vary	<p>Programs - Summer Camp: Established volunteers help camp staff with all program activities. Must be able to commit to a minimum of 5 days/wk., 5 weeks of camp over the summer.</p>	Min. age 16
<p>Marketing: Assist our marketing department to spread the word about exciting Museum events and activities.</p>	Min. age 14	<p>Reservations: Assist our Reservations department with clerical duties and bookings for the Museum’s films, birthday parties, school groups and more.</p>	Min. age 14
<p>Membership: Assist membership coordinator with clerical tasks and phone calls and promote museum memberships to visitors.</p>	Ages vary	<p>Visitor Services - Information Desk: Greeting visitors, taking tickets, distributing floor maps and answering Museum visitor questions.</p>	Min. age 17
<p>Programs - Animal Handler: Handle and explain various native and exotic animals to museum visitors. Volunteers must attend and pass animal handling classes.</p>	Ages vary	<p>Visitor Services - IMAX Usher: Work with theater ushers to greet visitors, distribute 3D glasses and perform usher duties inside the IMAX Theater.</p>	Min. age 17

Volunteers must be a minimum of 14 years old. Some volunteer positions require fingerprinting.