

Chapter Name: First Tee – Fresno Position: Golf and Life Skills Coach

Location: Fresno, CA Position Type: Part Time Hourly

Salary/Wage: \$13.00; increases based on merit

About the First Tee - Fresno: The First Tee - Fresno is a youth development organization that enables kids to build the strength of character that empowers them through a lifetime of new challenges. By seamlessly integrating the game of golf with a life skills curriculum, we create active learning experiences that build inner strength, self-confidence, and resilience that kids carry to everything they do.

Position Summary: The First Tee Coach is responsible for teaching The First Tee Nine Core Values, The First Tee Nine Healthy Habits, life skills, and all aspects of the game of golf to youth and teens, through the delivery of the First Tee's Golf & Life Skills Curriculum. The First Tee Coach will work with volunteer coaches to lead a class of up to 16 participants ages 7 – 18. The program is taught in a fun and interactive way using a combination of both traditional golf and non-traditional methods.

Commitment: Coaches must be able to commit to teaching The First Tee's Programs on weekday nights AND Saturdays. Each class meets once a week for an hour and a half for an eight-week session in the Spring (March-May), Summer (June-August), and Fall (September – November). During the off-season (December-February), coaches prepare for future programming, attend trainings, assist the Program Director, implement Middle School programming, and more.

Job Duties and Requirements

The role of a Golf and Life Skills Coach is to provide a high-quality, engaging learning experience. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Promote the First Tee's mission by modeling the First Tee Nine Core Values and adherence to the First Tee Code of Conduct
- Be active in The First Tee Coach Program.
- Maintain a professional and cordial attitude towards co-workers, volunteers, participants and their parents
- Proficient in the delivery of TARGET, PLAYer, Par, and Birdie curriculum.
- Ensure that classes are set up according to the lesson plan.

- Utilize yardage books during class time and encourage participants to use books outside of class.
- Create and distribute Lesson Plans for TARGET, PLAYer, Par, Birdie and Eagle classes to all volunteers.
- Conduct participants skill reviews.
- Provide a safe environment in all areas.
- Conduct pre-lesson sessions for coaches and volunteers prior to the start of every class
- Be charismatic, personable, and motivational in working with youth
- Available to attend academies, regional and annual meetings and training sessions

Required Qualifications

- High School Diploma
- Experience in youth development or coaching
- Knowledge of golf terms, rules, equipment, etc.
- Ability to pass a background check

Contact Information

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