



CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

LITTLE ROCK, AR

STEWARDS INDIVIDUAL PLACEMENTS



Stewards Individual Placements provides individuals with service and career opportunities to strengthen communities and preserve our natural resources. Stewards, in partnership with the National Park Service, are seeking an intern to serve as Community Volunteer Ambassador.

POSITION DETAILS

- Length: position is 50 weeks, 40 hours/week
- Start Date: Monday, **June 21st 2021**
- Living Allowance: Baseline allowance of \$500/week*
- AmeriCorps Award: \$6,095 (pre-tax)
- Application Due Date: **May 30th, 2021**
- Members will receive Public Land Corps Hiring Authority upon completion

ABOUT THE SITE

Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site interprets the heroic story of the Little Rock Nine, the struggle to maintain segregation, and the surging tide of the civil rights movement; programs and volunteer opportunities throughout the year allow visitors to connect with moments of change in civil and human rights issues.

POSITION SUMMARY

The Community Volunteer Ambassador will work alongside National Park Service staff to increase awareness of this site and its story through volunteer service, to initiate engaging and lasting connections with local underserved and underrepresented communities, and to inspire stewardship through meaningful work-service projects.

We invite you to serve at this urban NPS site beside the only operating high school in the U.S. designated as a national historic site - a place crucially important beyond its past

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES

- The Community Volunteer Ambassador (CVA) will help identify, recruit, and train needed volunteer positions to support critical park functions including visitor services, interpretation, and resource stewardship.
- Collaborate with local schools, government, and non-governmental entities to create or strengthen existing partnerships and provide volunteer opportunities, interpretive programming, and work-service events to benefit the park's operational and educational mission.
- Success will be measured not only through participation but through lasting connections made via volunteer service and experiential learning provided through the efforts of the CVA at Little Rock Central High School NHS

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- We are seeking a CVA that is friendly, flexible, organized, collaborative, a good communicator, and an empathetic listener.
- Ability to work independently and with a small work group
- Ability to work with many different types of people and personalities as well as differently abled populations
- High School diploma or GED required
- Be a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident
- Be 18-30 years old (35 years old if you are a veteran)
- Be willing and able to commit to a year of full-time work
- Be willing to occasionally work weekends and odd hours
- Submit proof of a Driver's License and undergo a Federal Background Check, upon selection

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- **Local applicants are preferred**
- We are seeking someone with a collaborative inclusivity, experience working with diverse groups of people, public speaking, and receptive listening skills.

HOUSING

The CVA will be responsible for providing their own housing; however the park will provide advice and guidance if the CVA is not a local candidate. Public transit is available from nearby neighborhoods with affordable housing. If site is unable to provide housing at no cost, up to \$80/week may be allocated to support rent.

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online [HERE](#). In addition to your resume, please submit a one page cover letter highlighting why you are interested in this position and how your background and experience will help you succeed in this position.

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