



# EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH INTERNSHIP

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Acadia Mountain Guides, Inc. offers a number of internship opportunities for qualified college and high school students interested in retail business management, marketing, website management, climbing instruction, outdoor leadership and guide service operations. Yes, we are still a place where you can do it all! You will be making real decisions with real consequences. You will be expected to be very motivated, a solid self-starter, detail oriented and willing to work a full schedule. In return, you take home many new skills, experiences and insights that will prove beneficial throughout your career.

Alpenglow Adventure Sports, founded in 1986, is a division of Acadia Mountain Guides, Inc. Alpenglow is a true outdoor and mountaineering store that maintains the flavor and tradition of a classic mountain shop run by active alpinists and outdoor enthusiasts. We sell what we know and we want shopping to be fun and educational.

## **Educational Outreach Internship**

Based in Orono or Bar Harbor, Maine, the Educational Outreach Intern will organize, promote and conduct educational and community outreach programs related to outdoor education and promote group climbing programs.

This is an unpaid internship requiring 8 to 40 hours per week commitment and may be done during the day or evening. The schedule and length of internship is flexible. Students must be able to receive educational credit OR provide proof of the educational benefit for their internship experience from their high school/University department/counselor.

## **Responsibilities**

- Contacts schools and organizations regarding educational opportunities through Acadia Mountain Guides and Alpenglow Adventure Sports.
- Visits schools providing information on outdoor gear, outdoor skills, rock or ice climbing.
- Promotes Rock Climbing and Adventure Camp programs.
- Solicits organizations for group rock climbing programs.
- Organizes and promotes monthly in-store educational program.

## **Internship Requirements:**

The Educational Outreach intern must be organized, be super attentive to detail and have reasonable proficiency in outdoor sports such as rock climbing, camping, etc. If you enjoy working with youth, often wish your teacher knew more about learning styles then you may be a good fit for this internship. The ability to work in a fast-paced, ever-changing environment on your own is a must.

## **To Apply:**

Complete our application (available at [acadiamountainguides.com](http://acadiamountainguides.com)) and return it electronically with a letter of interest and resume to Jon Tierney ([climb@acadiamountainguides.com](mailto:climb@acadiamountainguides.com)). The first step in getting your internship is following these directions well.