



Call for Applicants: DAC/UAC 2022 Staff Positions

The Art Effect is seeking engaging and upbeat Teaching Artists, Counselors, and Counselors-In-Training for the Dutchess and Ulster Arts Camps in Poughkeepsie, Red Hook, and New Paltz. [Dutchess and Ulster Art Camps](#) offer a variety of programs that allow children ages 5-10 to imagine, discover, create, and have fun. Young artists explore fine art, digital media art, and performing arts while strengthening their self-confidence, creative thinking, and art making techniques both individually and in a collaborative setting. For more information about our summer programs, [CLICK HERE](#).

Teaching Artists:

DAC/UAC Teaching Artists work directly with several groups of around ten children over the course of the day, with age groups ranging from 4 years old to 10 years old, to create visual and media arts projects. Teaching Artists also create lesson plans and supplies lists, coordinate with the Camp Director on implementation during camp classes, and support project management and organization.

Scope of work: Either 4 hour shifts per day (back-to-back classes in the morning or afternoon, with time for prep and clean-up) or 8 hour shifts per day (back-to-back classes in the morning and in the afternoon, with time for prep and clean-up)

Pay: \$25/hr, or \$500/wk if teaching half days / \$1,000/wk if teaching full days

Counselors:

DAC/UAC Counselors work directly with a single group of around ten children throughout the day, age groups ranging from 4-5 years old to 9-11 years old, supervising CITs, supporting teaching artists to make sure students stay on task in their arts projects while still having fun, stay with students during pre-morning circle time, snack time, lunch time, pick-up time; Oversee parent pickup/signout check mark sheet. Successful candidates will have an upbeat, cheerful, supportive approach to working with children as well as collaborating with teaching artists and other camp staff.

Scope of work: 5 days a week, 8 hours a day, plus about 10 hours prior (move in day and daily prep) and about 10 hours post (clean up/move out)

Pay: \$14.00/hr

Counselors In Training (C.I.T.s):

DAC/UAC Counselors-In-Training help with supervising a group of around ten campers ranging from 4-5 years old to 9-11 years old in their group during recreation times and during arts classes; assists with camp preparation and clean-up; serves as a positive role model for young children and helps to create a supportive camp community.



Successful candidates will have an upbeat, cheerful, supportive approach to working with children as well as collaborating with teaching artists and other camp staff.

Scope of Work: 5 days a week, around 8 hours a day

Pay: Weekly stipend of \$100

Interested applicants should email a cover letter, resume, and three references to maryellen@thearteffect.org and should indicate whether they are interested in being considered for DAC Poughkeepsie (July 4th - 29th), DAC Red Hook (July 18th-29th), or UAC New Paltz (August 1st - 12th).