

CALL FOR APPLICANTS TEACHING ARTIST, 3D ART FOR DUTCHESS ARTS CAMP, SUMMER 2025 POUGHKEEPSIE, NEW YORK

The Art Effect empowers youth to develop their artistic voice to shape their futures and bring about positive social change. We help youth in the Hudson Valley explore, experience, and excel in the arts, introducing them to visual arts and media, allowing them to develop real skills in these fields, and guiding them toward achieving their academic and career goals.

The Art Effect seeks a dynamic, professional, and creative 3D teaching artist for our summer program Dutchess Arts Camp in Poughkeepsie, NY. Dutchess Arts Camps provides weekly, themed summer sessions for ages 5 – 11 where children can explore their artistic abilities and express themselves through creative group and individual activities. For more information about our summer programs, <u>CLICK HERE</u>.

Dutchess Arts Camp takes place at Oakwood Friends School in Poughkeepsie, NY, from June 30th to July 25th, and runs from 8:30am-4:30pm, Monday through Friday.

Teaching Artist duties include but are not limited to:

- Collaborate with the Director of Artistic Advancement to develop a cohesive, age-appropriate curriculum;
- Plan and conduct coursework for a balance of instruction, demonstration, and practice that provides students with opportunities to observe, investigate, and practice skills;
- Teach lessons using a variety of equipment, tools, principles, materials, and techniques;
- Supervise and successfully manage students to move through multi-step arts projects;
- Engage with students and use appropriate strategies to encourage positive interactions;
- Oversee completion and the timely submission of all program documents related to this position, including but not limited to supply requests, course outlines, and time sheets;
- Set up and clean up of classroom studio space including move-in and move-out of the space, ensuring the proper care of all areas, equipment, and materials;
- Attend all required trainings and promptly respond to direct communications and meeting scheduling requests;
- Initiate and facilitate the regular documentation of student work and classroom activities;
- Other tasks as needed.

An ideal candidate will have:

- BFA in the visual arts, arts education, or a related field
- Experience working with youth and/or teaching
- High energy and ability to inspire excitement in others
- Portfolio exhibiting a strong understanding of drawing and 3D art techniques and principles

Candidates specializing in these disciplines are especially welcome:

• Sculpture

- Clay
- Paper Mache
- Mixed-Media Sculpture

Compensation: The rate for new teachers is \$25-35/hr, negotiated upon final hire, considering years of experience, degrees earned, etc. To Apply: Please send a cover letter, résumé, and 5-10 work samples to hannarose@thearteffect.org.