

Summer Writing Program

Rhetoric Assistant Job Description

Qualifications: Applicants for the position must be current juniors or seniors, be enthusiastic students of literature and excellent writers, and have the ability to work with high school juniors in an informal academic setting. Good computer skills preferred.

Job Description: Rhetoric Assistants will work closely with faculty in a classroom setting. They will be responsible for leading/teaching a daily discussion section on a variety of literature, and will work closely with students in a writing workshop setting on academic papers. Rhetoric Assistants will also provide written responses to student papers. Some evening responsibilities are required.

Additional Skills: The program seeks some candidates with a strong computer background; however, this skill is not mandatory. Previous teaching and tutoring experience is desirable.

No additional employment or off-campus commitments are permitted for the duration of the program. Hours are varied and may exceed 40 hours/week. The position pays a stipend of \$1,450 for the three-week period, plus room and partial board.