



**Location:** Horizons at The Ethel Walker School (in person)

**Job Title:** STEAM Specialist

**Job Type:** Seasonal/Summer

**Level/Grade:** Pre-K through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

**Reports to:** Executive Director

**Salary:** Compensation based on experience

**The mission of Horizons at The Ethel Walker School** *Horizons at The Ethel Walker School* is the nation's **first all-girls Horizons program**, and serves low-income students who attend Hartford public schools. *Horizons* creates the conditions, connections, and community that enable every girl who attends to gain the skills, confidence, and motivation to overcome the opportunity gap and realize her potential.

**Position Summary:**

This is a six-week assignment position that corresponds with our weekly program themes. You should be able to help create and nurture a lifelong love of knowledge in children. Horizons seeks a professional, caring individual who can help implement strategies to engage students in active learning through non-traditional ways. We expect you to work as a team player to help fulfill the Horizons mission.

**Responsibilities:**

- Work closely with 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade STEAM Specialist to build and create lesson plans and content.
- Aid in the classroom duties of teaching and caring for approximately 145 students (15 in each class), during a six-week summer academic enrichment program.
- Responsible for planning the daily classroom schedule and leading instruction.
- Work in partnership with approximately two to three volunteers in the classroom each day.
- Attend swim instruction lessons with students providing encouragement.
- Required to attend STEAM-related field trips, participate in daily meals with the students, attend Family Night, Staff Meetings as well as all other duties that their supervisor may require.
- Work with community partners to build in extracurricular activities such as LEGO (annual steam exhibition) and Children's museum (on-site field trips)

**Requirements:**

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in Education-discipline applicable to teaching assignment.
- Must have a genuine interest in teaching Science
- Experience in writing and designing curriculum
- Ability to demonstrate a growth mindset, optimism, and belief that all students can learn
- Self-starter with the ability to innovate and think creatively about education
- Ability to inspire students and encourage creative thinking

**Program Dates:**

Staff Orientation: Dates: TBA- **Attendance is required**

Program in session: Monday, June 26-Friday, August 4- Six-week program

