



Title: Spring 2026 Environmental Education Internship

Organization: Located in Austin, Texas, **Shoal Creek Conservancy (SCC)** is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 2013 with the mission of championing the 13-square-mile Shoal Creek watershed and the creek and trail running through it. We engage in thoughtful public and private partnerships, lead fun and meaningful programming and advocate for improvements that make Shoal Creek and the Shoal Creek Trail safer, more accessible and more inspiring for all Austinites. For more information, please visit www.shoalcreekconservancy.org.

Job Description:

Seeking an intern to aid our team in expanding our educational outreach efforts by creating TEKs-aligned lesson plans and educational outreach materials. Additionally, the intern will support SCC's creek and trail monitoring efforts, volunteer workday assistance, and program promotion. This internship will involve at least 50% of time spent outdoors. Occasional events will take place on weekends. Educational opportunities included: interviewing and resume writing assistance, riparian management training, and community engagement training.

The Environmental Education Program Intern will be responsible for the following:

- Create TEKs-aligned lesson plans for K-12 students discussing watersheds, water quality, and/or riparian restoration
- Assist SCC staff in teaching environmental conservation-based lessons and giving presentations to schools and student volunteer groups
- Cleanup efforts
 - Assist with leading volunteers
- Expand Shoal Creek's riparian buffer
 - Riparian restoration workday support
- Assist SCC staff with rain garden maintenance
 - Planting/seeding/weeding
- Tour/event assistance
- Assist in the creation of educational outreach materials
- Photography
- Attend workshops, relevant training opportunities, and networking opportunities

This internship has a stipend of \$1500 for the semester.

Starting date: February 4, 2026

Ending date: May 8th, 2026

Time commitment: ~10 hrs per week



Environmental Education Program Internship Application Process

Applicants are to send a one page statement that describes why they are interested in Shoal Creek Conservancy's internship, how it fits in with their long term goals, and what skills they hope to gain. Applicants are to also send a resume or a list of their relevant experiences to info@shoalcreekconservancy.org no later than January 15th. The subject of the email should read, "2026 Environmental Education Internship Application."

Interviews will be conducted between January 20th - 23rd with an expected start date on February 4th.