Mount Pisgah Arboretum seeks student interns to teach environmental education to elementary school students this spring (April 23-June 13.) This is a fantastic opportunity to explore the field of outdoor education and gain valuable skills working with kids.

Mount Pisgah Arboretum is a 209 acre site, seven miles from UO, along the South Fork of the Willamette River. Seven miles of groomed trails that meander through mixed forest, oak savannah, meadows, and riparian areas, make it an ideal location for teaching kids about nature. Each year, more than 3,000 students in Lane County take field trips to the Arboretum to learn about the plants, animals, and ecology of the southern Willamette Valley.

**Positions Open:**

**Nature Guide (Volunteer or Credit)**  
Lead 2-hour interactive hikes through the Arboretum with K-5 grade students. Explore the plants, animals, and ecology of the area. Grade-level topics include: Habitats, Life Cycles, Trees of the Willamette Valley, and Water Ecology. Guides use stories, EE games, and creative teaching methods to engage the students, develop their observation skills, and foster their respect for the natural world.

**Training**  
Training is held during April and covers natural history, teaching techniques, storytelling, and working with kids in an outdoor environment.

**Qualifications:**  
- Sincere interest in exploring nature with children.  
- Some experience working with children.  
- Basic course work in the natural sciences.  
- Able to work a minimum of two mornings or afternoons per week.  
  (Non-credit and non-paid interns may volunteer one morning per week.)

**INTERESTED? ATTEND AN ORIENTATION SESSION:**

**Thursday, March 15 OR Tuesday, April 3, 6:30-8pm**  
at Wayne Morse Family Farm, 595 Crest Drive, Eugene.

**Have questions?** Contact the Arboretum Education Manager, Fran Rosenthal, at 541-747-1504, mtpisqfr@efn.org, www.mountpisgaharboretu.org