

New York Aquarium Education Department
Teens in Conservation Program:
Careers in Aquatic Research and Education (CARE)

Please print or type

Date _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____

Address _____ Apt. # _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone _____ Work phone _____

Cell/Pager _____ Email _____

Shirt Size _____

EDUCATION

School Name _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School phone _____ School Fax _____

Grade _____

INTEREST ESSAY

*You **must** answer these questions in order to be considered for the Careers in Aquatic Research and Education (CARE) program. On a separate sheet of paper that you will attach to this application, please write an essay of up to 300 words explaining your answers. The essay must be typed (using a typewriter or computer program) and the paragraph double-spaced. No handwritten essays will be accepted.*

Please tell us in your own words: 1) Why you are interested in participating in the New York Aquarium's Careers in Aquatic Research and Education internship? 2) What do you hope to gain from the experience? 3) How will this experience help you to pursue a career or program of study in aquatic science, wildlife conservation or related fields?

**For NY Aquarium
Office Use Only**

Date Received _____

Date Confirmed _____

Interview Date _____

VC _____

CB _____

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Recognizing that this program is open only to high school students in the 9th, 10th, and 11th grades, all applicants must acknowledge the requirements listed below:

- If selected to participate in the CARE internship program, you agree to complete this 10- day (50-hour) program to attain your certificate of completion.
- All applicants in the CARE internship program acknowledge that they will be required to work on and complete a group power point presentation by the end of the program.
- All participants are aware and agree to attend al program sessions, which start at 10am and end at 4pm on the following dates:

Saturday, January 8, 2011	Saturday, January 22, 2011	Saturday, January 29, 2011
Saturday, February 5, 2011	Saturday, February 12, 2011	Tuesday, February 22, 2011
Wednesday, February 23, 2011	Thursday, February 24, 2011	Saturday, February 26, 2011
Saturday, March 5, 2011		
- Dates are not negotiable and only one absence will be excused during the duration of the program.

Please consider all the information above before submitting your application.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT & SIGNATURES

APPLICANT:

I have considered all the requirements and essential functions and would like to submit my application for the New York Aquarium Careers in Aquatic Research and Education (CARE) Program. ***I certify that I am currently a high school student in the 9th, 10th, or 11th grade.***

Printed name of Applicant _____

Signature _____ Date _____

PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN:

I attest that I am _____ parent or legal guardian. I understand and
(Applicant's Name)
agree that, if selected, he/she will participate in the CARE program on the specified days and times described above. The New York Aquarium is not liable for him/her prior to arrival at 10am and following dismissal at 4pm. I confirm that all information included in this application package is correct.

Parent/Guardian name (print) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Submit completed application, along with your 300-word essay, no later than 4pm on Friday, November 19, 2010:

- By e-mail to NYAregistrar@wcs.org **OR** by fax to 718-265-3451.