

Job Specification – Short Season Instructor at Zipit Forest Adventures

Locations:	Tibradden Wood, Dublin, 16 Farran Park, Co. Cork. Lough Key Forest Park, Co. Roscommon
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Main Responsibilities

- Instruction, safety and supervision of participants in high wire forest adventure course.

Responsibilities to Customer

- To welcome customers and provide excellent customer service.
- Fitting and removal of harnesses.
- Demonstration and supervision of Initiation Course.
- To instruct participants in safe use of course.
- To supervise and motivate participants.
- To provide rescue when required in a calm and safe manner.
- To apply Basic First Aid when required.

Company Safety Responsibilities

- Opening /closing duties of the course and Daily Inspections.
- To ensure that the relevant paperwork is filled out correctly.
- To carry out safety checks on equipment.
- To read and comply with the company policies and procedures.
- Daily inspections of course and harnesses.
- Constant patrolling / supervision of all levels of course.

Desirable Attributes

- Outdoor Activity / Sport Recreation Course.
- Previous instructional or Climbing/high ropes experience.
- First Aid.
- Fluent English.
- Own Transport.

N.B. Successful applicants will be provided with Ropes Course Training and Occupation First Aid & Manual handling.

Personal Competencies required

- Be safety conscious and able to work under your own initiation without supervision.
- Excellent interpersonal skills and an ability to communicate with children and adults.
- Enthusiasm for the outdoors, with a cheerful disposition.
- High Level of fitness and good head for heights.
- Excellent multi-tasking skills and the ability to work in a pressured environment.
- Must have excellent attention to detail and be able to follow company procedures.

Special conditions e.g. working with hazardous substances, equipment, animals:	This is a high wire outdoor activity. To avoid serious injury, rules and regulations in health and safety must be strictly adhered to always.
Holidays	8% of the total hours worked in the leave year. Short Season Instructors are not entitled to holidays during peak season (June, July, August and school holidays).
Seasonal Work Requirements	Short Season Instructor June, July, August. Outside of these months, weekend work may be available.
Weekend Work	Weekend work is compulsory during June, July and August.