

Project Associate (Distance Schools, Position 1)

The Food Trust is seeking an energetic and committed individual for a full-time, 10-month position (September-June) to implement our school-based nutrition education program. This is a unique opportunity to positively impact children's health by providing nutrition education and increased access to nutritious and affordable food in lower income communities.

Responsibilities, include:

- Establish and foster relationships at schools with teachers and school staff
- Train teachers to successfully implement a school nutrition education program in their classrooms
- Provide nutrition education to teachers, parents, and students to improve the overall health of the school community
- Document teachers' participation in the programs
- Deliver educational materials to sites

This Project Associate position involves frequent travel throughout the Reading and West Reading region and requires a valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle. Travel to the Philadelphia region will be required on a weekly basis as needed.

Qualifications: Bachelors Degree with course work in dietetics and/or nutrition. Ability to work independently and as a team player, handle multiple priorities, and organize time effectively. Strong oral and written communication skills.

Salary: Competitive, based on education and experience.

Job Open Date: This position is available starting October 1, 2006.

To apply: E-mail your résumé and cover letter to contact@thefoodtrust.org or fax to 215-568-0882. Please reference "Project Associate, Distance School Position 1" in the subject line. Please do not call.

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