

Nassau County Museum of Art Summer Art Lab Internship, July-August 2025

The Nassau County Museum of Art is seeking an enthusiastic and motivated intern to work closely with the Lead Educator during the Summer Art Lab program at the Manes Art and Education Center. Over the course of four weeks, the intern will assist in facilitating art-making experiences for children ages 5-12, both indoors and outdoors. This is a unique opportunity to gain behind-the-scenes experience in museum operations, with a focus on education.

Preference will be given to candidates pursuing a degree in art or a related field. The position is open to current high school students (entering junior or senior year), undergraduate students, and recent graduates.

Responsibilities include:

- Assisting the School and Family Program Educator in managing a group of children (ages 5-12)
- Helping to prepare, present, and document art-making activities
- Being actively engaged with children during all art-making activities and explorations

Requirements:

- Prior experience working with children, in either a school or alternative setting
- Reliable, punctual, and enthusiastic
- Ability to work independently, as part of a team, and confidently with young children
- Knowledge of various art materials and processes is preferred
- Ability and/or experience in hanging and presenting art is a plus
- Must be fully engaged and present during all scheduled dates for the Art Lab

Availability:

- One pre-program meeting before July 7th to discuss expectations and curriculum with the School and Family Program Educator (date to be mutually agreed upon)
- Program duration: July 7th-August 1st, Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Compensation: This is an unpaid internship for the 4-week duration. We can provide credit towards required volunteer hours for high school programs. College credit must be arranged in advance with your university. Please speak with your academic advisor ahead of the interview to confirm all necessary steps. Note: we do not cover the cost of college credits.

To Apply: Please send your resume and a letter of interest to Einav Dembin at **edembin@nassaumuseum.org**. In your letter, please indicate if you would like this internship to count towards volunteer hours or college credits.