



Working for Surf Academy

There are not too many jobs more fun and rewarding than a summer job on the beaches of So Cal. Surf Academy strives to be one of the best-run surf schools and welcomes you to join our team. There are three Surf Academy locations, Santa Monica, El Segundo/Manhattan Beach and Huntington Beach. If you are responsible, like working with people, enjoy physical challenges and wouldn't mind working outdoors at the beach, then consider a job with Surf Academy.

Jobs available:

Surf Camp Crew:

Surf Academy surf camps welcome children from age 8 to 17 years old. The crew is responsible for their safety and providing a positive fun environment for their week at surf camp. Duties include:

- Set up and dismantle camp each day
- Sign campers in and out of camp each day
- Lead beach games
- Supervise water activities
- Teach water skills, ocean awareness and surf skills
- Maintain camp equipment
- Communicate with parents
- Maintain professional and responsible behavior at all times

Skills and personality needed:

Energetic and positive outlook is a must. Ability to surf, swim and run. You must be a self-starter having an eye for what could be done to make the environment safer, more fun and cleaner

Pay Range: \$8 - \$13 based on experience.

Hours:

- 8:45am – 12 noon
- 11:45 am to 2:45 pm
- 8:45 am to 2:45 pm

Beach Kids Crew

Beach kids is similar to Surf Camp only for younger kids ranging from ages 5 – 7. This position is a little less physical but a lot more creative. Enjoying working with young children is a must for this fun and rewarding position. Duties include:

- Set up and dismantle camp each day
- Sign campers in and out of camp each day
- Lead beach games
- Lead arts & crafts
- Supervise water activities
- Teach water skills, ocean awareness and surf skills
- Maintain camp equipment
- Communicate with parents
- Maintain professional and responsible behavior at all times

Skills and personality needed:

Energetic and positive outlook is a must. Patience and creativity to keep young minds engaged is extremely important. Ability to surf, swim and run. You must be a self-starter having an eye for what could be done to make the environment safer, more fun and cleaner

Pay Range: \$8 - \$13 based on experience.

Hours:

- 8:30am – 1pm
- 8:45 am to 2:45 pm

Weekend Group Lesson Instructor

From Spring to Fall Surf Academy provides group lessons for all ages and all levels. These two-hour lessons attract first time surfers and intermediate surfers looking to progress in a short period of time. Instructors need to be knowledgeable and encouraging to develop the students confidence and skill. Duties include:

- Set up and dismantle camp each day
- Be aware of and willing to help students check in
- Help students select the proper equipment
- Working directly with small groups in teaching them to surf.
- Keeping the camp schedule on time
- Maintain professional and responsible behavior at all times.

Skills and personality needed:

Surfing and ocean swim skills along with a professional and upbeat outlook. Rescue training.

Pay Range:

\$10 and up.

Hours:

8:30 am – 11.30 am

Private Surf Instructor

Private Surf Instructors travel to meet and teach surfing to all ages and levels. This is a one on one experience where you are teaching all aspects of surfing. All private instructor are schooled in the Professional Surf Academy Style Private lessons are booked through the Surf Academy office and website. All scheduling and payment processing is done in advance. Lesson are by appointment only. Private instructors are responsible for selecting the appropriate equipment for the lesson and in communicating any changes necessary to lesson schedule.

Skills and personality needed:

Excellent surfing and people skills are required. One season of teaching Surf Academy group lessons and advanced rescue certification: CPR, WSI or lifeguard training. The ability to teach the sport in a patient and inspiring style. An outgoing but not overbearing personality.

Pay Range:

Flat fee per lesson. Increased with number of people taught.

Hours:

Scheduled by appointment only. Private lessons are 1-1/4 hours.

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