



<b>Position Title:</b>	4-H AmeriCorps Member	<b>Category:</b>	AmeriCorps Service Member
<b>Host Site:</b>	Clare and Gladwin MSU Extension Offices	<b>Site Supervisors:</b>	Alex Schunk & Melissa Preston, 4-H Program Coordinators
<b>Stipend:</b>	\$13,992 (pre-tax)	<b>Education Award:</b>	\$5,920 (pre-tax)
<b>Position Type:</b>	Full-time, 1700 hours	<b>Dates of Service:</b>	October 2019-August 2020

**ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITY**

The 4-H AmeriCorps Member will be responsible for delivering SPIN club programming, family engagements, and/or day camp programs to area schools and/or community partners in both Clare and Gladwin counties.

Tasks will include:

- Planning and organizing 20 4-H SPIN (special interest) clubs with volunteers that focus on science, technology, engineering, arts, and math (STEAM) topics and utilize the 4-H SPIN Club guide, planning worksheet, and record of finances
- Engaging between 90 and 100 new youth in 4-H SPIN club programming
- Recruiting, screening, and training 20 volunteers to serve as club leaders, to provide guest programming, or to otherwise support 4-H SPIN Clubs and associated activities
- Hosting quarterly family engagement nights
- Collecting data and submitting reports to the Site Supervisor(s) and to the 4-H STEAM Corps Program Manager

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

- At least 21 years of age
- U.S. citizen, U.S. national or lawful permanent resident of the U.S.
- Possess a high school diploma or GED equivalent
- Pass the following checks: ICHAT, National Sex Offender Public Website, HireRight, FBI Fingerprinting, and any additional checks based upon State of Residence

**PREFERRED SKILLS**

- Experience working with diverse (multiple ages, ethnicities, religions, etc.) populations
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Passion for science, technology, engineering, art, and/or math (STEAM)
- Knowledge of youth development, volunteer recruitment and management
- Outgoing, confident and able to work in a fast pace environment

**WORK ENVIRONMENT**

This position requires driving as a regular part of the position; carrying educational materials, equipment, etc. up to 25 lbs

**COMPENSATION**

Members will receive a living allowance of \$13,992 to be distributed bi-weekly throughout their service term as well as student loan forbearance for qualified loans. Upon successful completion of service, an education award in the amount of \$5,920 will be issued. Members will serve 40 hours/week.

All interested candidates should submit a resume and cover letter to Alex Schunk at [schunkal@msu.edu](mailto:schunkal@msu.edu) or Melissa Preston at [prest142@msu.edu](mailto:prest142@msu.edu) by **Friday, August 30, 2019**.

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