

# SALTZ INTERNSHIP

## SUMMER 2019 INFORMATION SHEET

**APPLICATION OPENS: DEC 14TH**  
**DEADLINE: 11:59PM, SUNDAY,**  
**MARCH 18TH**

### What is Saltz?

The Saltz program is an internship program for High School students that provide them with an opportunity to impact thousands of visitors to the American Museum of Natural History. Interns learn a variety of sciences (Geology, Anthropology, Biology, Astronomy/Astrophysics, Paleontology) as well as communication and science teaching skills to inspire and encourage visitors to explore the numerous scientific fields presented in the exhibitions at the museum.

### Eligibility & Requirements

New York City high school students who are 14 years old or older are eligible to apply. Applicants must live or attend school within the five boroughs of New York City. Students must also have valid Working Papers. Some preference will be given to students who have taken at least two AMNH high school After School Program courses but all students are encouraged to apply and will be considered.

### Application Requirements

Submission of Online Application and Short Answer responses via application link located on website.

Each Answer should be 1 paragraph of 4 – 5 sentences.

1. What are you most looking forward to as an intern in the Saltz Internship Program?
2. Outside of school, what science topic(s) have captured your attention most recently? Why?
3. How will this internship benefit your school and/or career pathway?



# Summer Program Schedule

The Summer 2019 Session will be July 1st – August 16th 2019.

**Training:** Training takes place July 1st – July 12th. There will be No Training on Thursday July 4th and Friday July 5th

**\*\*Training is MANDATORY.\*\*** The program provides on-the-job training in scientific content and informal science education that is required for working at the AMNH. Interns are expected to attend ALL Training sessions.

**Internship hours:** After completing training, Interns are expected to work 20 hours per week for the remaining 5 weeks of the internship. Interns will work on educational touch carts located throughout the halls of the museum and lead tours through museum exhibitions.

**Advisories and Workshops:** Attendance at Friday advisory sessions and workshops are required. All workshops will be counted as one of your weekly shifts and occur from 9:30-1:30pm

## WHAT DO I GET?

- Interns receive Metrocards during the program.
- A Stipend of \$500
- Opportunities to go behind the scenes and visit labs, collections, and meet scientists
- Tickets to visit special exhibitions at the museum
- An AMNH badge
- Opportunities to attend career and college workshops at AMNH
- Opportunities to take free Kaplan SAT Prep workshops
- Chance to meet like-minded students from across the city

Visit our official website at

<http://amnh.org/education/saltz>

For more information, including our application.

If you would like to be emailed when the application is available please email [saltzprogram@amnh.org](mailto:saltzprogram@amnh.org)

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