

Position Description

**RIVER GUIDE
TETON HIGH ADVENTURE BASE****Job Qualifications:**

- ❑ Be at least 16 years old; preference given to those who are at least 18 years old.
- ❑ Strong swimming ability required; experience with canoeing and boating encouraged.
- ❑ Pass swim test, canoe maneuver test.
- ❑ Have or obtain training in American Red Cross CPR. (Training will be provided.)
- ❑ Pass water rescue training.
- ❑ Be (or become) a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America.

The river guide must be able to function in a rugged environment. This may include hiking, working at high altitude, bending, exposure to cold water, carrying canoes and rafts, and the ability to work in bad weather.

Desired Characteristics:

- ❑ Mature judgment
- ❑ Ability to work under pressure
- ❑ Detail oriented
- ❑ Good interpersonal skills, especially in dealing with teenagers.
- ❑ Safety conscious
- ❑ Enthusiastic

Job Duties:

- ❑ Guide canoe and raft trips on the Snake River.
- ❑ Maintain canoes, rafts, paddles and PFDs in working condition.
- ❑ Perform water rescues as needed.
- ❑ Orient river groups prior to trip.
- ❑ Maintain good customer relations.
- ❑ Other duties as assigned.

Other Duties: (River Guides with additional skills may also perform these jobs as needed)

- ❑ Serve as a guide for mountain biking trips in the Bridger-Teton National Forest.
- ❑ Serve as canoe guide for week-long trips to Yellowstone National Park.
- ❑ Serve as backpacking guide for trips to Bridger-Teton National Forest.
- ❑ Assist with kitchen duties and camp maintenance projects.
- ❑ Serve as a whitewater rafting guide for Teton Whitewater LLC, a subsidiary of the Great Salt Lake Council.
- ❑ Drive vans with trailers to transport equipment and participants (21+ years old only)

Salary Range: \$150 - \$250 per week plus room and board