

Sparking wonder and curiosity about our world through hands-on science experiences

Come join our Exhibits team! McWane Science Center counts on the 40 hour per week **Exhibit Fabricator** to produce, install and maintain exhibits and environments to ensure our visitors have a safe and fun learning experience.

Accountabilities and Major Duties

- 1. Fabricate, install, repair and maintain exhibits from blueprints, plans, sketches, models and/or concepts.
- 2. Set-up, and operate shop machinery and tools, including metalworking, woodworking, and miscellaneous specialty equipment.
- 3. Move, install, maintain, de-install and load-out traveling exhibits and related projects.
- 4. Install lighting in public spaces for optimum and/or desired effect.
- 5. Perform all job duties in a manner that meets or exceeds safety regulations.
- 6. Organize and maintain shop equipment, tools, materials and supplies.

Minimum Qualifications

- 1. High School diploma or equivalent.
- 2. One (1) year of related work experience.
- 3. Ability to work occasional weekends.
- 4. Ability to maintain and produce products that are safe and of high-quality craftsmanship.
- 5. Ability to apply and finish products of a high quality.
- 6. Ability to work independently and demonstrate a high level of initiative.
- 7. Ability to work with a variety of techniques and materials such as wood, metal, plastics and numerous finishes.
- 8. Knowledge of basic electrical/electronic wiring and plumbing.
- 9. Literate in reading blueprints, plans and sketches.
- 10. Skilled in the use of shop equipment, power and hand tools.
- 11. Ability to work well in a creative team approach and maintain positive, effective communications with educators, public relations personnel, exhibit staff, volunteers, vendors and/or other staff.
- 12. Ability to maintain effective organizational skills.
- 13. Must possess a valid Alabama driver's license.
- 14. Must provide proof of minimum liability insurance as required by state law.

Minimum Physical Qualifications

- 1. Perform work utilizing stationary and portable equipment (saws, drills, sander, grinder, welder, staple and nail guns, finishing equipment, etc.) as well as computers.
- 2. Ability to operate a vehicle.
- 3. Stand for extended periods of time without being able to leave the work area.

- 4. Climb ladders and stairs in performing the work.
- 5. Walk for considerable distances in performing the work.
- 6. Lift objects frequently in performing the work (100 lbs.).
- 7. Pull or push objects on a regular basis (1000 lbs.).
- 8. Carry objects on a regular basis in the arms or on the shoulders (50+ lbs.).
- 9. Grasp objects utilizing the fingers.
- 10. Reach for objects above the head or below the waist.
- 11. Stoop or crouch by bending at the waist or by bending legs.
- 12. Crawl in confined spaces on the hands and knees to perform work.
- 13. Color determination.
- 14. Clarity of vision at 20 feet or more with or without corrective lenses.
- 15. Exposure to constant or intermittent high noise levels.
- 16. Exposure to high/low temperature levels that result in significant body discomfort.
- 17. Exposure to dust, fumes or vapors that could potentially affect the health of the employee.

Benefits include health, dental, vision and life insurance; 403(b) retirement savings plan including company match; paid time off; free membership and free movie screenings; discounts in our gift shop, camp program, IMAX theater and food service; and on-site parking.

We look forward to hearing from you! Please forward letter of interest, resume & salary requirements to McWane Science Center Human Resources at HR@mcwane.org. EOE