



## Internship Description

### Program Summary

Aim High's 6-week Internship is a unique opportunity to develop professional skills and experience by supporting middle school youth under the supervision of professional teachers and educational leaders. Interns receive immersive training and assist Lead Teachers in teaching core academic classes (Math, Science, Humanities, Issues & Choices). Interns also support afternoon activities and 3 evening events. Interns provide a valuable link between teachers and students, and help ensure the CORE values of Community, Opportunity, Respect, and High Expectations are brought to life for students and fellow staff members. At Aim High, the opinions and viewpoints of Interns are valued in the teaching community.

### Training and Professional Development

- Interns receive in-depth training and support during the first week, known as faculty training week. During this time Interns will learn about classroom management, fostering positive relationships with students, being a strong role model, and creating an engaging learning environment.
- Throughout the 6-week program, Interns work closely with Lead Teachers to support the daily planning and implementation of lesson plans in morning academic classes. This may involve assisting small groups of students, correcting homework, leading small sections, and other teaching related duties.
- Interns also work closely with Lead and Assistant Teachers to support the non-academic features of the program such as advising and afternoon activities. These features of the Aim High program are critical to students' social-emotional development and sense of belonging.

### Qualifications

We seek applicants who are interested in teaching or working with you, and are committed to developing their professional skills. An ideal candidate will be responsible, eager to learn, and possess strong communication skills.

### Living Stipend, Dates, and Hours

- This is a volunteer position, and interns receive a \$250/week living stipend, for 6 weeks.
- Interns are expected to participate fully during the program hours of 7:30am to 3:30pm (exact hours may vary by site), and attend evening events such as Family Orientation, Futures Night, and Celebration Night.
- Please visit [aimhigh.org](http://aimhigh.org) to view summer dates which vary by region.

### How to Apply

Visit [www.aimhigh.org/teach](http://www.aimhigh.org/teach) to complete an online application.