

Internship Job Profile

Short job description:

Help on all fronts: e.g. taking tourists of all levels on rides (1 up to 6 hours), leading ponies with small children, occasional help with beginners lessons, stable management (cleaning, feeding, grooming, tacking up)- there are not too many stables to muck out as most of our horses live in a herd in the field. Depending on your qualifications, you might also get involved with training young horses, work 6 days a week for food, accommodation and pocket money. It is a job that is mostly outdoors so you need to be able to tolerate a bit of Irish rain! Minimum stay is 8 weeks.

We expect: flexibility, good sense of humour, team spirit, dedication and excellence in customer care, good manners, ability to take responsibility and a love of horses, ability to see and do the work that needs doing without constant supervision, a certain amount of independence and minimal housekeeping skills as team of helpers do their own cooking and laundry.

We offer: you will be part of a friendly and enthusiastic team, lots of fun, some hard work, good working atmosphere, food, accommodation. The accommodation is basic, not a Hotel! Students are responsible for their own rooms and keeping the shared kitchen and bathroom clean .. There is no cleaning lady to tidy up after you . There is WIFI in the student accommodation so you can keep in touch with friends and family at home. We will help with your English but we wont be "mothering" you.... last but not least ... loads of lovely horses, fantastic scenery, a great introduction to the Irish way of life.

if you are interested, please fill in the job interview and send it to us

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