



June 2026

Title: Museum Educator

Reports to: Director of Public Programs

Hourly Rate: \$24 per hour; 20 hours per week

Position Overview:

The Museum Educator will conduct educational programs in support of the Museum's mission to a range of audiences including general public visitors, school groups, adult group tours, and others. He/She will assist with scheduling programs, maintaining and preparing materials, and developing new educational opportunities that improve access to the Museum's resources and create more engaging ways for visitors to experience the Museum.

Responsibility and Duties:

- Present educational programming on and offsite to pre-k through high school aged students including
 - Work with Bennington Free Library personnel to manage the popular Museum ABCs program, designed to promote early literacy while introducing the Museum to families with pre-school learners.
 - Lead school programs at the Museum and in classrooms.
 - Partner with local schools to support afterschool and summer programs.
- Lead guided tours of the Museum and Old Bennington for general public and adult group tour participants.
- Staff additional programs as needed.
- Manage scheduling and staffing of school groups and group tours.
- Develop and present children's activities both within and offsite of the Museum including
 - Managing craft and other activities during the Concert in the Courtyard series.
 - Preparing and presenting art and craft activities at community events.
- Prepare and maintain program materials.
- Assist in the development of educational initiatives including new opportunities for visitor engagement in the Museum galleries.
- Assist in the development and execution of a week-long pilot summer camp program in 2027.

Skills and Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in education, museum studies, or another related field.
- Experience presenting information in a museum or other educational setting to a range of audiences.
- Enjoy working with children and understand the stages of educational development.
- Ability to interact with visitors in a welcoming and engaging manner while maintaining professional standards.

- Enthusiasm for developing creative, educational, and engaging experiences for learners of all ages.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously while meeting deadlines.
- Some evening and weekend hours required.
- Valid driver's license and reliable transportation.
- Able to provide appropriate employment eligibility verification.

Bennington Museum considers for employment and hires qualified candidates without regard to age, religion, sexual orientation, protected veteran or disability status, or any other factor prohibited by law. Bennington Museum fully endorses equal opportunity for all.

How to Apply: Please email letter of interest and resume to administration@benningtonmuseum.org