

Position: Rock Climbing & Ropes Course Guide - Outdoor Adventure Programs

Duration: Seasonal (May - August/September)

About Adventure Bound:

Adventure Bound, in Caratunk, Maine, is a premier outdoor adventure center renowned for providing outdoor recreation experiences such as whitewater rafting, ropes courses, rock climbing, and hiking. Catering to schools, summer camps, scout troops, and youth organizations. Adventure Bound offered its first trips in 1998, becoming the only whitewater rafting company in Maine to focus specifically on the youth group market. Today, we remain a leader in providing outdoor wilderness experiences for youth groups in New England.

Job Overview:

We are in search of an energetic and experienced candidate to spearhead our land-based activities. This role entails overseeing the ropes course, outdoor rock climbing, indoor climbing wall, and hiking programs, ensuring a safe, engaging, and memorable adventure for all participants.

Responsibilities:

- Lead and instruct participants in ropes course activities, prioritizing safety and enjoyment.
- Facilitate outdoor rock climbing sessions, offering guidance to climbers of diverse skill levels.
- Manage the climbing wall, including equipment setup, safety checks, and participant assistance.
- Organize and lead hiking excursions.
- Conduct safety briefings and orientations for all land-based activities.
- Perform regular equipment maintenance and inspections, reporting any issues promptly.
- Foster a positive and inclusive environment for participants.

Requirements:

- Previous experience in ropes course management, rock climbing, and hiking leadership.
- Certification in ropes course operations and rock climbing instruction is preferred.
- First Aid and CPR certification. Training is available in May if needed.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to work collaboratively in a team and manage groups of varying sizes and ages.
- Enthusiastic, adaptable, and safety-conscious.
- Must have a valid driver's license.

Compensation:

- Hourly wage based on experience
- We provide on-site housing for guides in an 8x10 bunkhouse with use of a kitchen, bathrooms and laundry
- Rafting and camping discounts for you and immediate family

How to Apply:

If you're passionate about outdoor adventure and possess the skills to create positive and exciting experiences, we encourage you to apply. Please submit your resume, a brief cover letter, and any relevant certifications to [rafting@adv-bound.com](mailto:rafting@adv-bound.com). Or fill out an online application [Online Application HERE](#)

Adventure Bound is an equal opportunity employer, promoting diversity and welcoming candidates from all backgrounds to apply.