

FACETS Film Camp Teaching Opportunities – Summer 2026

FACETS is hiring Teaching Artists and Camp Staff for our Summer Film Camps, which offer young people hands-on experience in filmmaking and animation. Camps are collaborative, creative, and process-driven, and take place in person in Chicago. We are seeking educators, filmmakers, artists, and youth workers who enjoy working with young people and are comfortable wearing multiple hats in a camp environment.

What Is Taught at Film Camp:

Teaching Artists guide students through the full filmmaking process, including:

- Creating a short film collaboratively
- Developing story ideas into simple screenplays and storyboards
- Film production fundamentals (shot types, on-set roles, camera, sound, and basic editing through demonstrations and hands-on practice)
- Writing short film reviews and learning film vocabulary
- An introduction to film history and film appreciation

Instruction is age-appropriate, flexible, and emphasizes creativity, teamwork, and media literacy.

Desirable Skills & Qualifications:

- A Bachelor degree (BA, BS, etc.) in a related field is preferred, but not required.
- Minimum of 1 year or more working in a similar role.
- Cultural competency to work with individuals from diverse backgrounds.
- Open to communication and feedback.
- Work in a team environment and are flexible to changes.
- Experience or interests in film, animation, and/or youth arts education is a plus.

Compensation:

- **\$30/hour** – Teacher
- **\$17/hour** – Assistant

Planning Stipends (outside teaching hours):

- **\$300** – Teacher
- **\$150** – Assistant

Staffing Model:

- **15 students or fewer:** 1 Lead Teacher + 1 Assistant

- **20 students or more:** 2 Lead Teachers + 1 Assistant

Camp Information:

Camps run weekdays during business hours. Staff must be available for the full duration of their assigned camp week(s).

View camp descriptions here:

<https://facets.org/family/film-camps/>

Apply Today!

- Send your resume, cover letter, and links to samples of your work (if available) through [this Google Form](#).

No phone calls for hiring inquiries.

Accepting materials until March 13th at 11:59PM.