Texas State University – San Marcos
Outdoor Recreation
Department of Campus Recreation
G.O.A.L. Program Facilitator

Supervisor: Outdoor Recreation Graduate Assistant and/or GOAL Outreach Coordinator

Qualifications

- Strong desire to help participants and colleagues seek and learn from a variety of challenges.
- Current CPR and First-Aid Certifications.
- Knowledge of and experience with leading participants in outdoor recreation activities.
- Must be registered for a minimum of six credit hours and maintain a 2.25 GPA.
- Must possess a valid driver’s license.
- Must be comfortable at height of up to 30 feet and able to lift and carry a minimum of 35 pounds.
- Daily exposure to dust, dirt, weather and temperature changes. Position works outdoors.

Specific Duties and Responsibilities

- Insuring the physical and psychological safety of each client participating in the program.
- Ensure and follow program policies and procedures.
- Properly setting up the portable, low, and high elements at the course.
- Inspecting the course and equipment and properly instructing the use of elements to the clients.
- Guides multiple participants through a series of programmed elements to achieve their desired outcomes by way of experiential learning in a professional manner.
- Tie specific knots, belay (rope technique) clients, move from element to element and climb structures as needed.
- Attend pre program meetings with supervisors and co-facilitators.
- Establish and maintain clear communication with co-leaders and supervisors.
- Supervise all activities connected with the course elements; including directing activities and debriefing participants.
- Develop the appropriate combination of elements to achieve the group’s goals; tailor the experience to the goals and capabilities of the clients.
- Promptly complete and file paperwork associated with each trip course.
- Understand emergency procedures and is comfortable responding to situations in a professional and calm demeanor.
- Use good judgment while making independent decisions regarding all facets of safe and effective use of the course.
- Perform non-routine tasks as assigned by supervisor.

Application: Campus Recreation Application will be received in person in the Outdoor Center and Student Rec. Center. For more information contact Andrew Lyburn Graduate Assistant for Outdoor Recreation at al1368@txstate.edu