



## **Butter Beans Food & Garden Summer Camp Assistant Director**

Headquartered in New York, [Butter Beans Inc.](#) provides healthy meals and food education for bodies and minds through our tasty, nutritious Food Service program for school meals, Food & Garden Summer Camp, and After-School Cooking Classes. We aim to improve the health and welfare of children today by empowering youth with the skills and knowledge of seasonal, sustainable foods.

Butter Beans is seeking dynamic, engaging, and enthusiastic Camp Counselors for our 2017 Food & Garden Summer Camp. During the summer, campers ages 5-11 will explore a seed-to-table journey in food through gardening, field trips, tastings, cooking, and mindful eating.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Lead a wide range of lessons in healthy cooking, gardening, sustainable food systems, composting, nutrition, and more.
- Lead team of counselors to create a unique, hands-on learning experience.
- Foster a safe, fun, and nurturing environment for campers.
- Ensure that campers are prepared and ready for the day's activities.
- Attend and oversee all field trips and activities, making sure campers are accounted for at all times.
- Organize games and activities for students during down time or travel.
- Help with pick up/drop off of campers and assist with early + after care.
- Conduct daily inspections of the camp facility to ensure safety & cleanliness.
- Other responsibilities, as needed.

### **Qualifications:**

- Possess a love for working with children, with 1-2 years of demonstrated teaching experience.
- Passionate and knowledgeable about healthy eating, cooking, food, farming, and community wellness.
- Superb communication and classroom management skills.
- Highly organized, responsible, dependable, flexible, patient and detail-oriented.
- Team player and problem solver with strong work ethic, high energy, and good sense of humor.
- Desire to create positive change in our food systems and community health by inspiring youth to become responsible eaters and future change makers.
- CPR/First Aid Certification preferred.

**Time commitment + Location:** 35-40 hours per week July 3 - August 11, 2017 in our Brooklyn Camp Location. Camp operates between the hours of 8am and 5pm, Monday through Friday at both Brooklyn and Manhattan locations. The Assistant Camp Director is expected to attend a paid Staff Orientation and Training in June with opportunities to work on camp programming in the coming months prior to camp and a post-camp evaluation. The Assistant Director may have opportunity to grow with other facets of the Butter Beans food education program.

**To apply:** Please send a resume, cover letter, and three work references, expressing your experience working with youth and interest in food and gardening education to [camp@butterbeanskitchen.com](mailto:camp@butterbeanskitchen.com)