

Anderson Valley Education Foundation Volunteer Internship Description 2011

Position/Project Title: Creek Restoration Intern

This is offered as a 40 hour internship.

Supervisor / Sponsor: Ken Montgomery, **Anderson Valley Nursery**
Linda MacElwee, **Navarro River Resource Center**

Location of Internship: Anderson Valley High School, Anderson/Robinson Creek
Restoration Project Site, Boonville

Dates & Hours: The 40 hour internship will begin May 1 and end by early
September.

If you are interested in this internship please apply early so that you can interview early. Please contact Ms. Emal and let her know you are applying for this internship so that we can arrange for a special interview.

Activities and Tasks:

The intern will work with nursery and River Center staff under the direction of student manager, Elio Gonzales, at the demonstration restoration site bordering the high school campus. Duties will include: mechanical removal and control of invasive weeds, mulching around young trees, irrigation system repairs, creek trail maintenance, clean up of site, and surveying plant growth and survival.

Desirable Qualities and Skills:

- interest in plants and nature
- physically fit to do strenuous field work
- able to lift 40 lbs.
- honest, responsible and able to follow directions
- appreciation and aptitude for environmental stewardship