



# LOVE WORKING WITH CHILDREN? JOIN THE SIU CARBONDALE HEAD START TEAM

Head Start is a federally-funded early childhood education program that promotes school readiness for three to five-year-old children and wrap around services for families. SIU Carbondale Head Start centers are located in Carbondale, Carterville, Marion, and Murphysboro.

## CURRENT OPENINGS

### Assistant Teacher (9-month position)

- Bachelors degree in Early Childhood Education or related field.
- One year of experience working with children ages 3 to 5.
- 12 credit hours of ECE-related coursework preferred.

### Community Outreach Worker (10-month position)

- One year of job-related experience (paid or unpaid).
- Familiarity with Jackson and Williamson County communities.
- Effective communication skills and ability to work with target population.
- Valid Illinois driver's license (held for three consecutive years) and reliable transportation are required.
- Bachelor's degree or an associate degree with equivalent work experience is preferred.

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These positions are eligible for University benefits, including health, paid sick time, and tuition.

*Head Start employees are required to clear both University and Department of Children and Family Services background checks.*

### Culinary Worker II (9-month position)

- High School diploma or equivalent.
- Six (6) months of work experience in food preparation in a commercial setting.
- As required by the position to be filled, possession of the Illinois Department of Public Health, Food Handler Training Certification\* (from an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited trainer).

### Culinary Worker III (9-month position)

- High School diploma or equivalent.
- One (1) year of work experience in food preparation in a commercial setting.
- As required by the position to be filled, possession of the Illinois Department of Public Health, Food Handler Training Certification\* (from an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited trainer).

\* We will provide training if you do not currently have this certification.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT APPLYING,  
CALL 618-453-6448.



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