

**Department:** Exhibits

**Reports to:** Director of Exhibits

**Youth Innovator Program:** The Children's Museum and Theatre of Maine is looking for three volunteer *Play Innovators* to join our exhibits team. For real. This is an after-school opportunity to learn more about art and design, and help the Museum & Theatre create exciting new exhibits that YOU would want to see. The *Play Innovator's* responsibilities will include:

- attend meetings as an official staff member;
- help us understand what is interesting and fun for you and your friends;
- come up with ideas for new exhibits or improvements to the exhibits we have;
- assist with designing those exhibits or improvements;
- assist with the making and testing of samples;
- help us figure out how to tell people about what we've all made.

**Required Education:** Completion of 3<sup>rd</sup> grade

## We're Looking For Someone Who Is:

- *Resourceful*: who likes making things and solving problems.
- Curious: who often asks "why?"
- *Creative*: who likes to use their imagination and is not afraid of getting messy.
- Assertive: who is not afraid to speak-up and explain their point of view.

**Volunteer Schedule:** 1 day per week Tuesday after school (generally 3:30pm-5:00pm). Most likely for an entire school quarter or trimester.

**How To Apply:** If you're interested, you should send us a letter or an email as soon as possible explaining why you want to volunteer for this position and why you think you're the right person. Make sure you tell us a little about yourself, including what you like to do outside of school. We might then ask you to come in for a meeting so we can discuss becoming a *Play Innovator* in more detail.

## Mail Or Email Your Letter To:

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