



Williamston Theatre 2023-2024 Apprenticeship Opportunities

The Williamston Theatre is seeking applicants for its Apprenticeship Program. There are two positions available: the first runs August of 2023 through August of 2024, and the second runs from January of 2024 through January of 2025.

This program is designed for a highly motivated and hard-working individual who is interested in launching their career in the theatre industry. The Apprenticeship Position seeks to provide a bridge between the classroom and the professional realm.

Through the course of the program, the apprentice will gain hands-on experience by fulfilling a variety of roles and duties, including production assistant to the stage manager, house manager, general building cleaning and maintenance, scenery and prop construction, assistant to designers, support staff for the Managing Director, Executive Director, and Artistic Director.

The Williamston Theatre works with professionals in a myriad of fields from the Michigan theatre community and abroad, and provides the apprentice with invaluable contacts, as well as professional resume credits. The position pays \$355 per week for 35 hours of work per week and does not include housing. If additional hours per week are required apprentice will be compensated accordingly.

Ideal candidates will have:

- Good written and interpersonal communication skills
- Backstage/Tech experience (including scenic construction, lighting, costume maintenance)
- An eagerness to learn
- The dedication to work closely with the small group of tight-knit Williamston Theatre staff
- A patron-focused attitude
- The ability to work under pressure
- Good problem-solving skills
- An interest in Arts Management, Production/Design, Stage Management or Technical Direction

Interested Applicants should send a cover letter and resume, along with two letters of recommendation to: Williamston Theatre, Attn: Tony Caselli, 122 S. Putnam St., Williamston, MI 48895. Applicants can also email their application as a single .pdf document to: tony@williamstontheatre.org. More information about Williamston Theatre can be found on our website, www.williamstontheatre.org.

Applications will be accepted now through April 30, 2023. Interviews will be conducted in May, with offers following shortly thereafter.

Williamston Theatre is an equal-opportunity employer, committed to building an inclusive and welcoming workforce. Humans of all kinds are encouraged to apply, and applicants will not be discriminated against because of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, religion, national origin, citizenship status, disability, ancestry, marital status, veteran status, medical condition, or any protected category prohibited by local, state, or federal law.