



THE AQUARIUM OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

AQWA VOLUNTEER INFORMATION SHEET

It's fun, it's rewarding and it's getting involved with AQWA in a very special way.

AQWA volunteers play a major role in helping our visitors better understand and appreciate the importance of our Western Australian oceans.

Volunteers are involved in an exciting range of activities from leading touch pool interactions and providing marine interpretation to visitors, to working behind the scenes and diving.

No experience is necessary, just a love of the ocean, a minimum age of 16 years, a commitment of one day per week, the desire to learn more and the enthusiasm to share your marine knowledge with others.

How do I become a volunteer?

1. AQWA has two volunteer intakes per year, usually in autumn and spring. To register your interest for the next intake you need to complete an application form and return it to:
Community Education Manager
AQWA
PO Box 424
Hillarys
Western Australia 6923
2. Once we have received your application we will send you a confirmation letter and add your name to our data base.
3. When our next recruitment begins you will receive an invite to our AQWA Open Night. At our Open Night you have the opportunity to meet with existing volunteers and staff, as well as gain more information on what is involved in volunteering at AQWA.
4. Applicants are interviewed.
5. Successful applicants are invited to participate in our 4 part training course. Once you have completed your training course you become an AQWA volunteer.

If you would like more information about our volunteer program, or would like information on our work experience program please call AQWA on 9447 7500 or email education@aqwa.com.au