



**Wild Earth**  
Farm & Sanctuary

## Internship Application

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Desired Start and End Dates (one month minimum required):

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*At Wild Earth, we take interns April 1–October 31 and value them as integral members of the farm community. As an intern, you will have the opportunity to participate in all aspects of farm life, from working in the organic gardens, caring for rescued animals, increasing our sustainability measures, developing a permaculture design for the land, building and construction projects, maintenance, and education and outreach in the community. We look for interns who care deeply about animals and the earth and who are reliable, responsible, dedicated, and who are hard workers. Our internships are volunteer-based, and we supply free room and board in exchange for an agreed upon number of volunteer hours. After farm work, there is plenty opportunity for hiking, exploring, foraging, swimming, caving, and other fun on the farm!*

Why are you interested in interning with Wild Earth?

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Have you been involved in farming, organics, permaculture, or worked with farmed animals before?

Please explain:

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Are you vegan?  yes  no

*You do not need to be a vegan to intern, however, Wild Earth is a vegan space so we ask that you do not consume animal products on the farm.*

What would you like to gain from this experience?

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Do you have special skills that you'd like to put to work while on the farm?

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How would you describe your work ethic? Please give an example of when you have done more than required in a course/extracurricular activity/or job.

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Are you able to lift 50 lbs?  yes  no

During your internship, the Wild Earth staff may give you advice on a project or certain feedback. How do you typically handle constructive feedback?

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We offer free housing for all interns and are open to them bringing their own camper/RV/ trailer/yurt. Free housing includes a private bedroom in our guest house, an old rustic one-room church. We live simply, utilizing resources such as rainwater cisterns for drinking water, composting toilets or outdoor outhouses, and currently have limited internet access. We are ten miles from stores and other resources in downtown Irvine, KY. How do you feel about these things?

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Do you have a car and/or driver's license?

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**Please return this application along with your resume and two (2) references to [WildEarthFarm@gmail.com](mailto:WildEarthFarm@gmail.com).**

If you have questions, feel free to call or email us. After we receive your application we will be in touch to set up a phone or Skype interview.

We look forward to talking to you!

Heather and Joe

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