



## 2021 DAE Summer Learning Programs Children's Defense Fund (CDF) Freedom Schools®

### Now Hiring: Servant Leader Intern Positions Job # 1011059

The CDF Freedom Schools® program has its origins in the Mississippi Freedom Summer Project of 1964, which brought college students from around the country to Mississippi to secure justice and voting rights for Black citizens. CDF opened the first two CDF Freedom Schools sites in 1995 to address the needs of children who lacked access to affordable, high-quality literacy and enriching applied academic programs during the summer.

The Saint Paul Public Schools partners with the historically successful CDF Freedom Schools® program that features a research-based, multicultural, and national core academic standards infused **Integrated Reading Curriculum (IRC)** model that supports K-12 scholars and their families through seven essential components: high quality literacy, S.T.E.M., and Arts instruction; social-emotional enrichment; parent and family involvement; positive civic engagement and social action; intergenerational servant leadership development; college and career readiness; and nutrition, health, and wellness.

Saint Paul Public Schools are offering paid internships for our *CDF Freedom Schools* Servant Leader Intern positions (SLI) to teach the **IRC** to a class of ten primarily African Americans and foster an environment that support our children and young adults (known as "scholars" in the *CDF Freedom Schools* program) to excel and believe in their ability to make a difference in themselves and in their families, schools, communities, country, and world with hope, education, and action.

Training and certification through the virtual national CDF Ella Baker Child Policy Institute will help prepare interested interns to build the next generation of primarily African American scholars and leaders. We invite you to join in the experience of the transformative effects of working in a CDF Freedom Schools® program site, and to learn more about why participating in a *CDF Freedom Schools* program can lead to a summer of service, and a lifetime of commitment.

- **Job Details:** Currently enrolled in a college program with a G.P.A. of 2.0; completed at least 1 year of college; experience working with culturally diverse children for 2 years; and former CDF Freedom Schools scholars are preferred. Required Virtual National Training with pay 5/21-5/27 from 12:30-5pm EST: Ella Baker Child Policy Training Institute. Work 8.0 hours/day; work 8.0 hours per set-up day (June 15 -18); and there are opportunities for promotions. Initial Hourly Pay Rate= \$15, M-F, 8:30am – 4:30pm June 21 – July 30, 2021: Interested candidates apply to [www.spps.org/hr](http://www.spps.org/hr). | [NON-DISCRIMINATION NOTICE](#) | [ADA COMPLIANCE](#)

2021 Summer CDF Freedom Schools students will attend from June 21 – July 30 Monday-Friday from 8:30am – 3:45pm at two school sites. There is no programming on July 5, 2021.

- Capitol Hill Gifted and Talented Magnet School (Rondo Site) 560 Concordia Ave Saint Paul, MN 55103
- Hazel Park Preparatory Academy, IB World School (Eastside Site) 1140 White Bear Ave. Saint Paul, MN 55106

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