



**Puentes Hacia el Futuro**  
**After-School Tutoring and Mentoring Program**  
**Academic Year Team Leader Internship**

Application deadline: 1st week of April & 1st week of September. [Click Here](#) for dates and deadlines.  
Internship positions are limited and competitive, please apply early.

**Description**

The purpose of the Team Leader internship is to take an active role in preparing for, leading, and following up on academic support sessions and educational activities for children K-8. The Team Leader will work closely with educators and leaders in the Puentes organization, have the opportunity to contribute directly to program facilitation, develop an understanding of the social determinants of health impacting our community, and receive valuable mentorship. Team Leaders must possess interpersonal skills to join an enthusiastic group that is passionate about supporting the education, health, and wellness of Latino children in South Philadelphia.

Puentes Hacia el Futuro, Puentes de Salud's education and wellness program, is predicated upon the well-evidenced fact that education is inextricably tied to the health of individuals and communities. The mission of Puentes Hacia el Futuro is to improve the educational achievement of children in the South Philadelphia Latino immigrant community in order to improve long-term health outcomes, as well as to provide support in the context of extremely limited educational resources.

**Responsibilities include:**

- Facilitate after-school sessions at least 2 days weekly. Schedule must remain constant for the entire semester.
- Supervise tutor interns and Puentes students (approximately 4 adult tutors and 15 students).
- Engage students in their homework and lead daily literacy and curricular activities.
- Preparation, facilitation, and follow-up tasks for assigned tutoring sessions.
- Take an active role in the guidance, and training of volunteers.
- Build relationships and work with parents and family members to enhance children's educational experience.

**Eligibility & Requirements**

This internship is available to a highly accomplished and responsible college or graduate student. Proficiency in Spanish not required. Preference given to those who can participate year long.

**Sessions:** Fall - September week 2 - May week 1 (Orientation select one day in first week) [Dates here](#)

**Schedule:** 3:15-5:30p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays. (select one day minimum)

**Hours:** Specific schedules and total semester hours are arranged individually prior to beginning.

Non-credit university based internships/Independent study hours are approximately 12 hours per week.

**Location:** Southwark School, 1835 South 9th Street

**Application:** [Puentes de Salud Team Leader Internship Application](#)

Contact us with any questions at [education@puentesdesalud.org](mailto:education@puentesdesalud.org)