



# SIX FLAGS GREAT ADVENTURE NEW JERSEY

Jackson Township, N.J.

## LIFEGUARD

### Host information

Working at Six Flags Great Adventure comes with many perks including exclusive employee events, **free tickets** into the park, Discounts, and unlimited entrance to ALL Six Flags parks!

Six Flags Great Adventure is an amusement park located in Jackson, New Jersey. It is the home of many record breaking roller coasters like El Toro and Kingda Ka! Not only do we have rollercoasters, but we also have a separate waterpark **and** safari park!

The park is conveniently located near three major cities: Washington D.C., Philadelphia, PA and New York City. The nearby airports are Philadelphia International, JFK International, Atlantic City International, LaGuardia International, and Newark International Airport. Seasonal activities include visiting a nearby beach, such as Seaside Heights or Belmar during the summer months (June-August)..

**Host Website:** <https://www.sixflags.com/greatadventure>

**Site of Activity:** Six Flags Great Adventure New Jersey

**Parent Account Name:** Six Flags Entertainment Corporation

**Host Address:** 1 Six Flags Blvd Jackson Township, New Jersey, 08527

**Nearest Major City:** Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Less than 50 miles away

### Placement information

Lifeguards may be working at a pool, water slide, or beach area. Duties and Responsibilities include the following:

- Constantly monitor and regulate the behavior of patrons and co-workers in the swimming area to prevent unsafe activities and accidents.
- Warn patrons of safety hazards and enforce pool and water slide rules and regulations in a positive and courteous manner.
- Effectively respond to emergencies, rescue swimmers, administer first aid (including spinal injury management), and perform all other duties to meet lifeguard training requirements, including cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR).
- Assist guests in and out of water attractions.
- Prepare pool area for opening and closing each day.

- Keep all aquatic facilities clean including deck, toilet areas, changing facilities, tiles, skimmers, windows, break room and trash receptacles. This may include sweeping, cleaning areas around the pool or attraction, scrubbing, mopping, dusting, polishing, power washing, vacuuming, waxing, skimming pool water, and picking up trash on the beach areas.
- Supervise all facility activities and control entry to the facility by monitoring use of pool and guest passes.
- Monitor and maintain appropriate water chemical levels. This includes testing and recording hourly chlorine content and PH levels and operation of the pool filtration system.
- Demonstrate a high level of customer service. Respond to and take appropriate action to resolve concerns and complaints of guests.
- Keep supervisor and manager informed of situations relating to facility operation, patron complaints or concerns, accidents, emergency situations, damages, and potential safety hazards.
- Attend departmental and team meetings as well as participate in all additional training courses.
- Participate in or conduct swim lesson sessions, as needed.
- Order and restock supplies for pool area and restrooms
- Perform all duties in a safe manner.
- Employees may be asked to move to different locations or job assignments within the property, as needed. Other duties may be assigned.

**Typical Schedule:** Students may ONLY receive about 32 hours/week in May and Beginning of June depending on operating hours. Hours will pick up in July and August so that your summer weekly average exceeds 32 hours.

**Seasonal changes to job duties or available hours:** Yes

The water park is scheduled to open daily the weekend of Memorial Day, May 23. The water park may close after Labor Day, September 7th. Additional hours may be available in other departments.

**Drug Test required:** No

### Compensation

**Hourly Wage:** \$17

**Eligible for Tips:** No

**Estimated weekly wages including tips:** \$512



**Bonus:** No

\* All figures above are pre-tax

**Estimated average number of hours per week:** 32

**Estimated minimum number of hours per week:** 32

**Estimated maximum number of hours per week:** 50

**Potential fluctuation in hours per week:** The water park may close early or not open at all due to weather. On expected high attendance days/weeks, the hours scheduled could increase.

**Average number of hours per week reached by last year's seasonal employees:** 35

**Overtime Policy:** No, exempt from paying overtime by law

**Job-Specific Benefits:** Employees may use their 35% discount on the days they are not scheduled to work. They also receive free admission into the park on their days off.

## Job requirements

**English Level required:** Upper-Intermediate

**Required to be 21+:** No

**Previous Experience required:** No

### Qualifications & Conditions:

Swimming

**Description:** Swim a distances of 50 yards, retrieve 10lb brick from a depth of 5ft, and swim a distance of 10 feet underwater for Shallow Water License. Swim a distance of 200 yards, retrieve 10lb brick from a depth of 8ft, and tread water without use of hands for 2 minutes for Special Facilities License. In addition to a swim test, employees must also past CPR Certification and other first aid training.

Lifting

Lifting requirement: 25lbs/11kgs

**Description:** Employees will be required to lift, push, pull, or carry objects up to 25 lbs frequently and occasionally lift and/or move more than 100 pounds.

Standing for entire shift

Handling cleaning chemicals

Working outdoors

Working under direct sunlight

Other qualifications or conditions

### Description:

- Lifeguards working in an indoor environment that may or may not have air conditioning. Employees will be exposed to humid conditions as well as fumes or airborne chemical particles.
- Lifeguards working in an outdoor environment will have exposure to a variety of weather conditions such as rain,

cold temperatures, direct sunlight or high heat and humidity. Umbrellas may be provided in some areas for shade.

- Lifeguards are frequently exposed to high places such as slide towers and pool chemicals. Training/instruction will be given on proper procedures.
- Employees are occasionally exposed to moving mechanical parts and vibration.
- The noise level in the work environment is usually loud.
- Lifeguards will be required to stand for long periods of time and may be required to sit for extended periods of time on an elevated chair.
- Lifeguards may be moved between various departments as needed.
- Lifeguards are expected to constantly scan water.

**Job Training required:** Yes

**Length of job training:** 3 days

**Hours per week during training period:** 30

**Different wage during training period:** No

**Start on specific day of the week:** Yes, monday

**Training requirements:** Will receive one or both of the following licenses: Shallow Water and/or Special Facilities license.

**Need to wear uniform:** Yes

**Uniform Policy:** Students will receive red shorts and white/red Lifeguard t-shirts. Students must wear a bathing suit under the uniform.

\*Bathing suit is not provided.

\* Hat/Visor, Sunglasses and whistle are also part of uniform and required.

**Cost of uniform:** \$0

**Uniform laundry:** Participant responsibility

**Dress Code:** Yes

**Description:** Must remain in provided uniform and maintain a neat and clean appearance. Long hair may be required to be pulled back for health or safety reasons.

## Cultural opportunities

**Types of Cultural Opportunities:** Shopping Trips, Holiday Events, Will provide information about Events, Local Resources, Attractions/Sites, Local Community, Potlucks or Dinners, Company Parties, Movie or Game Nights, Sporting Events, Trips to Major City, Exclusive Rides Parties.

**Additional Details about Cultural Offerings:** Six Flags Great Adventure offers its international students a cultural experience they won't soon forget. These experiences include unlimited admission, Holiday events & BBQ's, and may include trips to major local cities like NYC, Philadelphia or Washington DC.



**Local Cultural Offering:** We will provide transportation into town for shopping, events, etc. There are also opportunities for discounted or free activities at other local businesses when you are a Six Flags employee!

### Housing and transportation

**Housing Provided:** Yes. Employer Guarantees employer - owned or employer - arranged housing to all hired participants. Required to stay.

**Employer-owned or employer-arranged housing description:** The housing on premises is a trailer- like housing unit which includes: 2 bedrooms with 2 beds per room. Each bedroom has one closet for the residents of the room to share. One full bathroom and a kitchen. The kitchen includes a microwave, stovetop, & pots/pans for cooking, as well as dinnerware for the residents. The Welcome Center includes WiFi and laundry machines. All resident placements will be at the discretion of the housing supervisor. All housing units are within walking distance to the theme park and located on property.

**Lease Agreement:** Yes

#### ONSITE AMENITIES:

**WiFi:** Yes. Internet access is available in the Welcome Center.

**Phone Service:** Yes

**Kitchen facilities:** Yes. The kitchen includes a microwave, stovetop, & pots/pans for cooking, as well as dinnerware for the residents.

**Laundry facilities:** Yes. Card or digital payment operated laundry machines are available in our welcome center located on the housing campus.

#### OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS FOR PROVIDED HOUSING:

**Minimum Occupancy Per Room:** 1

**Maximum Occupancy Per Room:** 2

**Suggested Occupancy Per Room:** 1-2

**Rooming Arrangement Description:** Housing units are not co-ed. We do accept roommate requests and will do our best to accommodate, however we cannot guarantee requests.

#### PROVIDED HOUSING COST:

**Required to Pay for Provided Housing:** Yes

**Cost per week:** \$95

**Housing Cost Deducted from Paychecks:** Yes

**Utilities Costs:** No

**Housing Deposit:** Yes

**Cost:** \$200

**Description:** Your housing deposit is required upon arrival. The deposit must be in \$200 US dollars.

**Housing Deposit Refundable:** Yes

**Conditions for Deposit Refund:** You will receive your housing deposit if the following conditions are met:

- You complete your program from start date to scheduled end date.
- You return your housing key.
- All uniform items issued from our wardrobe department are returned in good condition.
- Unit is in same condition as move-in.

**Details About Deposit Refund:** Prior to departing, you will be scheduled a checkout and your housing unit will be inspected. After the inspection is complete and all conditions are met, your housing deposit will be immediately returned to you.

#### TRANSPORTATION TO WORKSITE:

##### Walking Commute Time

**Estimated commute time:** Under 15 minutes

**Description:** The housing units are located on-site and there is a walkway directly to where the employees enter for work.

### Arrival information

#### Arrival Instructions

Once your flight information is confirmed, please be sure to send the confirmation and when you anticipate arriving to Six Flags to Human Resources. Email is preferred however the contact number for him is 732-928-2000 extension 7072562. There is no required arrival days of the week, however, all arrivals must occur between 9am and 8pm each day in order to be checked into your housing unit.

\*It is recommended that if you are a lifeguard, you arrive prior to a Monday as training will always begin on a Monday.

Once you've arrived safely, the best source of transportation to the theme park from the airport is likely to be public transportation / Uber / Lyft. Public transportation schedules can be found here: (<http://www.njtransit.com>). If you choose to take a Lyft or an Uber, they must be requested through their app, which can be downloaded on a smartphone from the AppStore. The charge for an Uber / Lyft varies depending on time of day, and all nearby airports are about 60 miles away. The travel time from the airport to the theme park would be around one and a half hours.

Upon your arrival at the theme park, you enter through the employee entrance and are greeted by a security guard, who will direct you to the Employment Center where you will meet the housing supervisor or a member of Human Resources to be checked in to your housing unit.

**Suggested Arrival Airport:**

Newark International Airport, EWR, Over 50 miles.  
Philadelphia International Airport, PHL, Over 50 miles.  
Atlantic City International Airport, ACY, Over 50 miles.

**Estimated cost of transportation to worksite from suggested airports:** \$100 to \$150

**If arriving after regular hours:****Suggested After-Hours Accommodation:****Holiday Inn East Windsor**

399 Monmouth St  
East Windsor, New Jersey 08520  
\$50 to \$75

**Days Inn Hotel**

460 Route 33 East  
East Windsor , New Jersey 08520  
<https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/days-inn/east-windsor-new-jersey/days-inn-east-windsor-hightstown/overview?CID=LC:-DI:20160927:RIO:Local:SM-dimatI&iata=00093796>  
\$50 to \$75

**Radisson Hotel Freehold**

50 Gibson Place  
Freehold , New Jersey 07728  
<https://www.radissonhotelsamericas.com/en-us/hotels/radisson-freehold>  
7327803400  
\$100 to \$150

**Training and onboarding**

**Pre-Arrival Onboarding:** No

**SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:**

**Require participants to apply for SSN before arrival at worksite:** No

**Details about how to apply for Social Security Number:** After the students have arrived, we will provide information on-site regarding how to apply/obtain a social security number. We provide transportation when we have the resources to do so, however is not guaranteed.

**Nearest SSA Office:** Toms River, New Jersey, Less than 25 miles

**OTHER:**

**Wage Payment Schedule:** All employees are paid every Friday via direct deposit or check. Direct deposit is highly encouraged.

**Meal Plan:** Not available

**Provide Certificates/Performance Evaluations:** Yes

**Hire in Groups:** Yes

**Maximum Group Size:**

**Grooming Requirements:** Tattoos are permitted as long as they are not offensive and do not contain inappropriate content. Earrings are permitted for males and females. One (1) Nose ring is permitted as long as it is a stud or hoop in one (1) nostril. Uniforms must be clean and worn at all times.

Uniforms are issued by themepark. Hair may be asked to be secured or pulled back in certain positions due to safety or sanitary reasons. Hair may be dyed.

**Second Job Availability:** No, unlikely

**Applicable Company Policies:** Schedules are not set and will vary each week. Must be available and able to work holidays, weekdays, and weekends (Saturday and Sunday) as scheduled. Must meet Six Flags grooming guidelines in order to report for and begin your assigned shift.

All positions are outdoors, team members required to work in all weather conditions, including but not limited to: heat, rain, sun, cold, wind, fog. You must be able to stand for the duration of your shift (8-10+ hours). Often requires walking, pushing, pulling, lifting. Must understand seasonal tourism industry. Hours will be average over the course of the program, some weeks may be more than 32, some weeks may be less. Shifts may be cut short if park attendance is low, this is the discretion of park management and affects international and domestic employees alike. Must have basic knowledge of US currency and comfort in dealing with the dollar.

You must pass Discovery (Orientation) and Department Training to be offered a position. You are not guaranteed to pick your department or work the same schedule as your friends. All positions involve cleaning. Housing is automatically deducted each week from your paycheck. The first 3 weeks will be a training period where the hours may be reduced until you are fully trained and immersed in your full time schedule. All employer regulations detailed upon arrival in Processing and Discovery are to be understood and followed in order to maintain your employment. Must be honest, may not consume/take food, give unauthorized discounts, or accept tips.

**Community amenities**

**In Town, Requires Transportation:** Food Market, Shopping Mall, Post Office, Bank, Restaurants, Fitness Center, Public Library.