



Greenheart

Work and Travel Program - Employer Information W_T-Summer 2025

W&O Associates, LLC TA Gateway 26 Arcade, North Wildwood, NJ
November 12, 2024

Employer Information

Company Name: W&O Associates, LLC TA Gateway 26 Arcade	Website: www.gateway26.com
# of Employees: 90	Phone Number: 609-523-2600
Industry Name: Resort/Country Club/Casino/Ranch	Fax Number: 609-523-1909
Primary Address: 2512 BOARDWALK North Wildwood, NJ 08260	Email Address: briansharpe@sisna.com
Site of Activity: Gateway 26 Arcade Casino 2512 BOARDWALK North Wildwood, NJ 08260	Status: Awaiting Approval
	Contact Name: Brian Sharpe
	Contact Title: Owner
	Alternate Contact: Jake Tricomy
	Alternate Title: Operations Manager
	Alternate Phone: 609-523-9420
	Hiring Manager Email: operations@gateway26.com
	Participant Supervisor
	Email: operations@gateway26.com
	FEIN: 22-3624760
Workers Comp	Policy #: PWC1090436
	Carrier: ARI Insurance Company

Available Jobs: Descriptions and Wages

Will you accept participants with all start and end dates? Yes: No:

Earliest Start Date:	Latest Start Date:	Earliest End Date:	Latest End Date:	#Students:
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5/15/2025

6/30/2025

9/1/2025

10/1/2025

8

Hours: Average hours/week: 32

Average number of 5 days/week:

Pay Range:

High: \$15.50/per hour

Low: \$15.50/per hour

Overtime:

Overtime available: Sometimes

Overtime hourly rate:

Not always available, however possible in our food service.

Meals:

Are Meals Provided?: Yes

Explain:

A free shift meal is provided to employees working in our food service. All other employees are offered discounts on food.

English:

Level requirement: Excellent

In what month(s) can participants expect to receive the most hours?

July, August

In what month(s) can participants expect to receive the least hours?

May, June, September

Please Explain:

Employer is open to all start and end dates during the dates listed. Business gets busy throughout the summer, Memorial Day weekend through mid-September.

Students arriving early or staying late may have less hours the first two or last few weeks. Pre and post season hours do not reflect the hours provided during the busy season. Employer expects participants to work through their DS-2019 Form dates.

How often do you pay employees?

Weekly

Is job training required?

Yes

No

If yes, how long is it?

2 days (3-4 hrs/day)

Are participants paid for training?

Yes

No

Are you willing to hire couples?

Yes

No

Are you willing to hire groups of friends?

Yes

No

If yes, how many are allowed in the group?

3-4

Can participants work a second job?

Yes

No

Do participants complete an additional application form upon arrival?

Yes

No

This position will provide you the opportunity to interact with American co-workers, customers, or members of your local community. Remember, it's up to you to make the most of your program!

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Job Type: Attendant

Job Description: Language Level required for this position: Excellent

Job responsibilities: Assisting customers, giving out change, filling machines with tokens and tickets, keeping the work area clean, sweeping the floor, collecting trash at the end of day, doing slight mechanical work (no experience required), and other related duties.

Criteria: Participants must be able to speak English really well, since constant communication with the customers is a must. Participants need not apply for this position if their English level is not excellent. In addition, outgoing personality is super important. Participants must be familiar with US currency and be able to count change. Participants might be using chemicals to clean.

Internal Job Type: Floor Attendant

No Students being hired: 4

Age requirement: None

Wage: 15.50/per hour

Details:

Dress Code: Uniform

Employer provides company logo T-shirts, FREE of charge.

Participants must provide comfortable pants and sneakers themselves. CLOSED SHOES ARE A MUST, no sandals are allowed. Pants should not have any rips.

Requirements:

Non-smoker:
Ski:
Swimmer:

Lifeguard Certified:
CPR Certified:

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Job Type: Counter Attendants

Job Description: Language Level required for this position: Excellent

Job responsibilities: Assisting customers, counting token and tickets, retrieving merchandise from stock and redeeming it for customers points, keeping the work area clean, working with company software (no previous computer experience required), and other related duties.

Sometimes participants have to grab items in the storage area when customers are present, so they have to move fast. Participants will be on their feet the whole time. Participants might be using chemicals to clean.

Internal Job Type: Counter Attendant

No Students being hired: 4

Age requirement: None

Wage: 15.50/per hour

Details:

Dress Code: Uniform

Employer provides company logo T-shirts, FREE of charge. Participants provide comfortable pants and sneakers themselves. CLOSED SHOES ARE A MUST, no sandals are allowed. Pants should not have any rips.

Requirements:

<i>Non-smoker:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>Lifeguard Certified:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Ski:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<i>CPR Certified:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Swimmer:</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

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Job Benefits (bonuses, incentives):

End of the season bonus is available, based on performance and fulfilling the contract in the amounts between \$300.00 TO \$1300.00.

Bonuses will be paid out if participants work through Labor Day and comply with the terms of employment.

Bonus will also take into consideration if participants are engaged with guests; if participants are late to work and overall work performance. Bonuses are awarded at the discretion of the manager for a job well done.

Details will be provided at orientation. Participants are always encouraged to bring questions to their manager.

Is there a Social Security Admin office near you: Yes

Are you willing to take student to the SSA office?: No

SSA office details:

Social Security
1046 Route 47 South
Rio Grande, NJ 08242

Office Hours:
Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Saturday and Sunday: Closed

When participants arrive at Gateway 26, they will be given instructions on how to get to the Social Security office. A 15-minute bus ride is required.
Employer will coordinate the necessary time off needed for participant to travel attend an appointment at the Social Security Office.

Participant Requirements

What are the 3 most important qualities you look for in an employee:

Excellent language skills, outgoing personality, fast/high energy worker

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Please list any special instructions or hiring restrictions by your company (if any):

Participants should be neat, clean and presentable for the work environment.
Hair must be clean and styled.

Personal cleanliness is very important.
Maintain good hygiene, preventing unpleasant breath and body odor.
Clothing should be clean, pressed and properly fitted.
Tattoos must be covered and no excessive piercings or hair color.

Participants are Ambassadors of their home country and should make every effort to represent their country well.

Please Note: Friends and couples are welcome to apply, however, they should not expect to be assigned the same shift or be granted the same days off.

Are you interested in being a Greenheart Employer? Yes No

This business has elected to be a member of CCI's Greenheart Club. We encourage all participants placed here to join the Greenheart Club, as well. This can be done via the CCI online application system. You may be expected to participate in an environmental initiative or event, while employed by this business. Don't worry, it will be fun! [Login](#)

Housing Options

You DO provide housing

Sex:

Is the participant required to sign a separate housing contract? Yes No

Is housing provided for the students? Yes

What type of housing is available? Dormitory Shared Apartments Other

Brief description of housing:

A deposit of \$150.00 is required.
Rent is \$195.00 per week paid in cash.
Refunded at a rate of \$50.00 per week if the participant stays till Labor Day and fulfilling their contract bringing the final cost to \$145.00/per week.
Participants are provided dormitory style housing.

Participants will share 1 room, 2 participants are assigned per room each with own bed.

Participants will be sharing bathrooms for each floor. No more than 6 participants per bathroom.

Facilities are fully furnished with full kitchen and shared sitting room; laundry facilities are onsite.

Address: 412 E 25TH AVE

City, State, Zip: North Wildwood, NJ 08260

Please check amenities/services provided with the housing, if applicable include additional costs:

Linens Telephone Furniture Cooking Kitchenware Microwave AC / Heat

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Bed Air Mattress Computer Internet WiFi Private Bathroom

Rent of this housing (per participant)? \$195 per week

Are housing costs automatically deducted from participants' paychecks? Yes No

Are utilities included? Yes No Approx. cost of utilities (per participant)? Not applicable.

Is a housing deposit required upon arrival? Yes (upon arrival) Housing deposit is \$150. At the end of the participant's stay, if their room is clean and there is no damage, the full amount of the deposit will be returned to them in cash.

Participants also receive \$50.00 per week back if they work the entire contract and stay till after Labor Day [9/1/2025].

An inspection is to be scheduled before departure.

Deposit may be forfeited if participants leave without the notice listed in the Housing Contract. Participants are required to vacate the housing within 72 hours of employment termination or ending employment early (quitting).

How will the deposit be refunded to the participant (final paycheck, etc.)? Cash

Transportation To and From Work

How far is this housing from the job site? Onsite Not applicable.

How will the student get to and from work? Walk

What is the approximate ONE WAY travel time to work? Approximately 1 minute

What is the approximate ONE WAY travel cost to work? Not applicable.

Participant Travel to Business

Participant should contact you: Upon boarding: Upon arrival:

Employer's Emergency phone number: 609-529-5838

Casino is open from 9 AM - 2 AM everyday

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PLANE

(Participants should book tickets directly through an airline or travel agent.)

Arrival to (city, airport): New York City, New York (JFK)

Preferred Arrival Time: No Preference

Will participant be picked up from the airport? Yes No

If so, by who? Not applicable.

How far from the airport is your place of business? 200 miles

Special instructions/comments regarding participant's arrival:

Participants should fly to John F. Kennedy Airport in New York (JFK).

Participants can take a taxi to the train at Port Authority Bus Terminal; the taxi will cost approximately \$45.00 USD plus the cost of tolls and any tips.

Participants can also take public transportation to the Port Authority Bus Terminal: Upon arrival at the JFK airport, participants should take the Air Train to the Jamaica Station (cost \$5.00). For schedules visit: web.mta.info.

From the Jamaica station, participants can take the New York City Transit to the Port Authority Bus Terminal. Participants will connect to the subway system (MTA; fare \$2.90) to the "E" subway line to the Port Authority stop called: 42ND ST - PORT AUTHORITY, where they can catch the bus. This trip is about 1.5 hours. For more information, please see: <https://new2.mta.info/>

Participants will then take a bus directly to Wildwood, NJ (see details in the Bus section).

Participants must contact the employer with their travel plans 2 weeks prior to arrival to be placed on the work schedule.

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BUS

(Participants should obtain tickets directly through an airline or travel agent.)

Arrival to (city, station): Wildwood, New Jersey

Preferred Arrival Time: No Preference

Will participant be picked up from the station? Yes No

If so, by who? Not Applicable

How far from the station is your place of business? 1 miles

Special instructions/comments regarding participant's arrival:

Once participants arrive at the Port Authority Bus Terminal in NY, they must take public transportation directly to Wildwood, NJ, to the Wildwood Bus Terminal.

Starting at the Port Authority Bus Terminal, participants can take NJ Transit Bus Number319 (toward ATLANTIC CITY VIA TOMS RVR). They can stay on Bus Number319 until they arrive at the Atlantic City Bus Terminal. From the Atlantic City Bus Terminal, they can take NJ Transit Bus Number552 (toward CAPE MAY VIA CREST HAVEN CAPE MAY). They can stay on Bus Number552 until they arrive at the Wildwood Bus Terminal.

Please check the www.njtransit.com website for bus schedules and fares- NJ Transit. The total oneway bus fare from the Port Authority Bus Terminal to the Wildwood Bus Terminal is approximately\$50.00.

From the Wildwood Bus Terminal, participants should call a taxi or use a rideshare service to travel to their housing. Participants should contact the employer to arrange training and confirm when to report to work. Below are some local taxi companies in Wildwood, NJ:

Yellow Cab Company-609-522-055

G Taxi Transportation and Amazing Limousine:

Website: <https://www.ggaribalditaxi.com/>

Phone: 609-972-1315

Email: o1llleg@yahoo.com

The cost is approximately \$10.00-\$15.00

Participants can also use rideshare apps such as Uber and Lyft if they wish.

Uber and or Lyft rideshares are available in the area. Participants must have the Uber or Lyft app downloaded on their phone in order to use the service, nonetheless, this service is strongly recommended in this area due to the frequency of cars. The cost is approximately \$10.00-\$15.00

Community Profile

This information will help students to know what to expect upon their arrival and help them prepare for their Work and Travel experience.

How would you describe your area? Tourist Area Not Applicable

Please provide a brief description of your community:

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Wildwood, NJ, is located along the New Jersey coastline. The area is known for its many beaches, which stretch for five miles across the shores of North Wildwood, Wildwood, and Wildwood Crest. Wildwood features an unmatched array of attractions, shopping venues, restaurants, historic sights, and outdoor fun. Sports enthusiasts can enjoy Beach Soccer and Beach Lacrosse Tournaments, the Classic Cup Hobie Cat Regatta, the Wildwoods Hydrofest Powerboat Races, and a live World Wrestling Entertainment show.

There are also block parties, music festivals, craft shows, motorcycle rallies, and classic car shows. Music lovers can find free concerts almost every night of the week throughout the summer season, which also has free fireworks every Friday night. Wildwood offers a little something for everyone!

With free events, free beaches, free fireworks, and free live music throughout the summer.

Is there anything special that students should bring? For days off, casual clothes, comfortable shoes, bathing suit.

For Work:

Participants must provide comfortable pants and sneakers themselves. CLOSED SHOES ARE A MUST, no sandals are allowed. Pants should not have any rips.

What are the seasonal temperatures?

Spring: 40 - 75 Degrees F

Summer: 70 - 90 Degrees F

Fall: 50-70 Degrees F

Winter: 0 - 30 Degrees F

What is near work?

Transportation Depot:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Food/Super Market:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Shopping Mall:	✓	On foot	✓	In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Post Office:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Bank:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Public Library:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Movie Theater:		On foot	✓	In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Restaurants:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Fitness Center/Gym:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Sports/Recreation Facility:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Nightlife:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Laundromat:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A
Internet Access:	✓	On foot		In town / by public transport		Requires a car	N/A

Indicate other nearby activities:

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Wildwood is a perfect spot for swimming, soaking up the sun, and relaxing on a hot summer day. For those looking for some adventure, Wildwood's beaches also serve as an ideal location for surfing, boogie boarding, power boating, jet skiing, sailing, kayaking and whale watching.

Overlooking the pristine beaches is the Wildwood Boardwalk, offering a unique experience for anyone vacationing in New Jersey. It is famous for being one of the liveliest stretches of fun and excitement on the East Coast.

Wildwood, NJ, is approximately 2.5 hours from New York and 2 hours from Philadelphia by car.

Public transportation is available in Wildwood including bus, train and trolley. Base fares start at \$1.60 one way, however please look online for schedules and fares as they may vary dependent on final destination:<https://www.njtransit.com/>

List of interesting area websites:

www.wildwoodnj.org

www.wildwoodsny.com

<https://gateway26.com/>

Chamber of Commerce: <http://www.gwcoc.com/>

Is there wireless internet available?

Wireless internet is available at local cafes, restaurants, and the library. It is customary to purchase a menu item to use this service for free.

Library Wildwood Crest Public Library

6300 Atlantic Avenue

Wildwood Crest, NJ 08260

Phone: 1-609-522-0564

Website: <https://cmclibrary.org/about-the-library/locations/wildwoodcrest>

Additional Comments:

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Housing: Please be advised that the cost of living in this location may account for more than the 33% average of an individual's monthly salary. Please see additional benefits provided by the host organization to help offset this cost. By signing this Placement Agreement, you confirm that you understand the costs involved and maintain adequate financial resource to support yourself and supplement any extra costs while on the program.

Participants will be meeting new people and interacting with Americans and other international participants at work and on their time off. This area receives many tourists so participants will be able to interact with local Americans and visitors to this resort town on a daily basis. Experiencing American culture will be part of participants' lives while living in this seasonal area.

For additional cultural opportunities participants are recommended to join the Greenheart Club: <https://greenheartclub.org>. Through the Greenheart Club participants can connect with each other, ask questions, find volunteer opportunities, take courses, and access various resources.

Participants can access the Greenheart Club through their Greenheart Exchange Online account:

<https://geo.greenheart.org/> - find a link in the lower right corner of their home page. Additionally, participants can check-out Visit The USA website: <https://www.visittheusa.com>.

Participants whose employment is terminated (involuntary or voluntarily), will have 1 week from the time that they end their position to secure permanent housing that complies with Greenheart Exchange's Housing Guidelines and submit a Self-Arranged Job Offer (SAJO) to Greenheart Exchange for consideration. Participants who end employment are required to move out of employer housing within 48 hours. If participants are not able to secure permanent housing and acceptable SAJO within 1 week deadline in the area, they have the option to end their programs or continue search for a new job and housing in different location for another week. Participants cannot be unemployed for longer than 2 weeks. Participant's failure to submit a SAJO within a two-week timeframe will result in shortening the participant's program sponsorship.

If Greenheart Exchange rejects SAJO, the participant has 1 business day to resubmit SAJO in accordance with instructions received from Greenheart Exchange. Failure to resubmit SAJO within 1 business day may result in shortening the participant's sponsorship. Information about prohibited jobs for J-1 SWT program participants can be found here: <https://greenheartexchange.org/host/host-hire-seasonal-staff/#/tab/regulations>

Please feel free to attach any other additional information.