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JOB DESCRIPTION

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Employer Information

Employer name: Steel's Fudge Inc.
Type of business: Candy Store
Job location: Steels Fudge - Ocean City
City: OCEAN CITY
State: NJ
Zip: 08226
Website: www.steelsfudge.com

Why choose us?

Steel's Fudge started in 1919 and has remained a staple in the candy industry for almost 100 years. They started in Atlantic City, NJ and grew with the town along with the boardwalk, casinos and entertainment. We are famous for fudge and freshly pulled salt water taffy. We are said to be the oldest existing original, family owned candy and fudge business in the United States.

Cultural exchange activities

Steel's has locations in Atlantic City and Ocean City, NJ.

Atlantic City has an excellent transportation system and Work & Travel participants from all over the world. Atlantic City is only 2.5 hours from NYC, 1 hour from Philadelphia, and 3 hours from Washington D.C.. Spend your summer living near the beach and working on the ocean. Enjoy world class shopping, casinos, nightlife, and free citywide weekly events.

Ocean City, NJ is known as America's Greatest Family Resort and with nearly eight miles of pristine beachfront available on the world famous Jersey Shore. Ocean City is a safe, family beach resort. You'll find no shortage of fun places and activities, like miniature golf courses, antique auto shows, sand sculpting contest, fireworks, concerts, an annual boat parade, considered one of the largest in the world (Night in Venice), art shows, hermit crab races, amusement and water parks. Ocean City, NJ is in close proximity to Philadelphia, New York City, & Washington D.C., and the perfect location for a great Work & Travel experience. Good housing and bicycle friendly.

Position

Job title: Cashier - Ocean City - Early

Job description and required skills: We are looking for friendly, energetic individuals to join our fabulous staff in our fun and busy shop. Work in a fun, fast-paced environment. You will be working directly with customers and standing the entire shift. Must be able to think quickly, creatively and provide accommodating, timely, and friendly customer service. You will be expected to, welcome customers by greeting them and provide courteous service. Help customers make selections by providing information on products, build customer confidence and offer suggestions. Process payments, processing cash and credit cards. Perform regular cleaning activities. Advanced English.

English level required: advanced

Hourly wage (before taxes): \$8.44

Position ID: 34161



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Tips:	no
Bonus:	no
Estimated hours per day:	32 Hours Per Week
Number of days per week:	Will Vary
Possibility of students getting more than estimated hours:	slight
If so, is overtime paid at the rate of 1.5 hourly, after 40 hours of work per week?	yes
Earliest start date:	05/08/2017
Latest start date:	05/18/2017
Earliest end date:	09/05/2017
Latest end date:	09/30/2017
Is the employer willing to hire couples?	no
Is the employer willing to hire group of friends?	yes
Are meals included?	no
Meals details (discount, cost, # of meals):	no
Is a drug test required?	yes
Is Skype interview required?	yes
Do students complete an additional application upon arrival?	no
Possibility to find a second job in the area	yes

Second jobs require you to contact CHI at chiwt@chinet.org or 1-800-432-4643 to receive the required form. The new potential employer will need to complete it. Both you and the employer will need to sign and return it to CHI for approval.

You can work with a new secondary employer ONLY AFTER you have received written authorization from CHI.

Additional comments regarding second job:	Second jobs must NOT conflict with primary job schedule! Work & Travel participants are not permitted to begin work before their Sponsor has approved any secondary employer. Working without authorization may jeopardize your Work & Travel program. A second job offer and instructions will be provided in your Welcome Letter. Your CHI program coordinator is always available to help you with this process.
How soon after arrival will participants begin working?	Your official start date will be scheduled once you arrive to the employer.
Specific instructions for arrival to employer:	Students will be given a date to start training as soon as they arrive. Start dates may vary several days from your DS date. Please be patient and allow the employer to integrate you into the schedule. Students will receive a date to begin paid training as soon as they arrive. Start dates may vary several days from your DS date. Please be patient and allow the employer to integrate you into the schedule. Training will begin on weekday mornings only (Monday through Thursday). Arriving students will not start on Monday, May 30, 2017 (US Holiday).
Is training required?	yes
Conditions of training:	Training paid at the hourly rate. Students will be trained in several different positions. Training may take up to two weeks. Students may not receive full hours until training period is complete. No job, or hours at a job, can be 100% guaranteed. Regardless of what your work contract states, there is always a possibility that you will work more or less hours. Participants should expect to have less hours during the first two weeks of training. Students will be required to work on peak business days, Friday, Saturday, and Sundays. AM & PM shifts required.
Is there possibility to change positions?	no



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Do students need to purchase specific clothes or footwear?

yes

If so, details for clothing:

Must wear close-toed sport shoes and khaki (tan) or white trousers. As the weather gets warm, khaki or white short trousers are allowed, they must come to the knee, no short shorts. Employer will provide company shirt. Employees with long hair must have it up and off their shoulders. No visible tattoos. Nails must be kept short and well groomed. Natural colored or natural looking hair color. UNIFORMS MUST BE CLEAN as you are a representative of Steel's Fudge. Cleanliness is very important! Body odor will not be tolerated.

Additional information:

Accept assignments willingly, be committed to your work. Very busy shop, must be able to handle stressful peak times. Must be flexible and available to your employer. You must study the US currency guide prior to arrival. Advanced English.

Housing Information

Housing name:

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Housing address:

City:

OCEAN CITY, NJ 08226

Phone:

Fax:

Contact:

Email:

Website:

www.shoresummerrentals.com/specials-underageof25/

Housing assisted by:

Must Arrange Own

Is student required to sign a separate housing contract?

no

If so, contract details:

Participants should sign a lease or agreement for their protection.

Type of housing:

Apartment

Number of people to a room:

3 +

Bedrooms:

1+

Bath:

1+

Estimated cost of housing per week:

\$115-\$125

Is housing cost deducted from paycheck?

no

Is housing deposit required?

yes

Deposit amount:

\$400 to \$500

Housing deposit due date:

On Arrival

Instructions for deposit payment:

We recommend you reserve a hotel room for the first night or two. Look at the available housing options before paying a security deposit. The return of a security deposit is subject to the terms and conditions of the landlord/tenant agreement. If a tenant leaves their housing prior to the end of the negotiated term, the security deposit may be kept by the landlord. Program Coordinators cannot negotiate the return of a security deposit if the landlord/tenant agreement has been broken.

Is housing deposit refundable?

no

Conditions for deposit refund:

A security deposit, also called a damage deposit, is security for the landlord. Each tenant is



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responsible for all of the conditions of the landlord/tenant agreement. If one tenant damages the premises, the landlord may deduct the damages from the tenant who caused the damage, or the landlord may choose to deduct money from all of the tenants' deposits. Participants should understand the return of this deposit is conditional and may not be returned. This deposit may be retained by the landlord for the following: any unpaid rent or utility bills; payment for damages to the premises; any cleaning; failure to remove any collected trash and food waste from the premises at least once a week; failure to remove trash from the premises which requires pest control professionals; failure to remove ALL collected trash and food waste from the premises before departure; failure to remove collected trash in the yard or street area around or near to the premises, including trash disturbed by birds or animals; disturbances to neighboring premises from parties or loud noise; leaving the premises prior to the end of the negotiated term. Program Coordinators cannot negotiate the return of a security deposit if the landlord/tenant agreement has been broken.

Utilities included:

no



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If so, utilities details:	Most housing includes some utilities.
Utilities estimated cost per month:	Arrange Own
Is the housing mandatory?	no
Can students find alternative housing during their stay?	yes
Method of transportation from housing to work site:	Walking
Transportation details:	Walking, Bicycle (Always wear a helmet), www.njtransit.com
Additional housing features:	Most housing is furnished with a kitchen. Coin operated laundry services are available throughout the city. Internet is provided at the public library, several McDonalds locations.
Location of work site best described as:	Ocean
Location details:	Ocean City, NJ is known as America's Greatest Family Resort and with nearly eight miles of pristine beachfront available on the world famous Jersey Shore. Ocean City is a safe, family beach resort. You'll find no shortage of fun places and activities, like miniature golf courses, amusement and water parks. Ocean City, NJ is in close proximity to Philadelphia, New York City, & Washington D.C., and the perfect location for a great Work & Travel experience.
Average daily temperature:	18 - 37 C (summer)
Community or regional website:	www.njoceancity.com
Nearest cities:	NYC and Philadelphia
Distance to nearest cities:	2.5 hours (NYC) and 1.5 hour (PHL)
What to wear:	The summer is cool to very hot and humid. Sweatshirts & Jeans for May and early June. Short Pants, T-Shirts & don't forget a bathing suit for the remainder of the summer.
Available public transportation:	
Public transportation access:	www.njtransit.org
Accessible amenities (by walking or public transportation):	Good
Food market:	
Shopping mall:	yes
Post office:	yes
Bank:	yes
Movie theater:	yes
Restaurants:	yes
Fitness center:	yes
Laundry:	yes
Internet café:	yes
Public library:	yes
Comments:	

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Suggested Travel Information

Nearest international airport:	Philadelphia International Airport (PHL)
Nearest airport:	Atlantic City International Airport ACY
Transportation from airport to employer and / or housing:	www.njtransit.com, us.megabus.com, www.greyhound.com
Nearest bus station (to the airport):	10th & Filbert Streets Philadelphia
Bus information (web site):	www.greyhound.com, www.megabus.com, www.njtransit.com
Nearest train information (to the airport):	30th Street Station Philadelphia
Train information (web site):	www.amtrak.com, www.njtransit.com
If participant arrives after hours suggested, overnight accomodation:	www.hihostels.com
Cost per night:	\$45 +
Transportation to overnight accomodation:	Taxi, Bus, Train www.rome2rio.com
Transportations cost:	\$30 +
Specific instructions:	Details in Welcome Letter. www.rome2rio.com

Social Security Information

Does the company require students to have Social Security number before arriving to the work place?	no
Does the company provide Social Security application assistance?	no
If so, details:	Students will have to take a bus to Social Security. Directions in Welcome Letter. The company does not require you to have a Social Security number before starting work. It is the student's obligation to "promptly" show the card to the employer upon receipt. Paychecks will not be issued until the employer receives a copy of the student's SS card. Be prepared to have enough spending and rent money for three weeks before receiving your first paycheck.
Where is the closest Social Security office?	Egg Harbor, NJ 08234
How far is the Social Security office from the work place?	1 Hour and 27 Minutes
Specific instructions:	Office Address: SOCIAL SECURITY 1350 DOUGHTY RD EGG HARBOR TWP, NJ 08234 Take the #319 bus to Atlantic City. The 508 NJ Transit bus runs to the Social Security Office from Atlantic City Main Bus Terminal (Atlantic & Ohio Avenue) or (South Carolina Avenue & Atlantic Avenue) 3 times daily. TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE ~ MAKE SURE TO PICK UP A BUS SCHEDULE AT THE MAIN TERMINAL Schedules can also be found of www.njj1.com or www.njtransit.com Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 9 am - 4pm Wednesday - 9 am - 12 pm



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Adaptation is not always easy, working is hard, but it is important to remember that you are temporarily in the United States for a new learning experience. The key to a successful program is to stay positive and be flexible.



Participants who accept the position, must smile and provide excellent customer service.



Participants should be prepared to stand for long periods of time.



Participants who accept the position, must be willing to remove trash.



Participants who accept this position, must be willing to work fast.



Participants who accept the position, must be willing to clean.



Participants who accept this position, must be flexible and willing to work all shifts requested.



The concept of time plays a great role in American culture. Being late consistently makes you unreliable. Come to work as scheduled and on time. Good attendance ensures your hours.



No job, or hours at a job, can be 100% guaranteed. Regardless of what your work contract states, there is always a possibility that you will work more or less hours. Expect lower hours during the first two weeks of training.



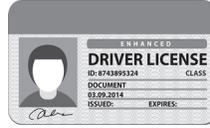
Second jobs must be approved by CHI prior to starting. Your CHI coordinator will help you with this process. Your employer will provide you with set am or pm schedules to help you obtain a second job.



Some work days will be slower than others. It is common practice for employees to be sent home early if business does not allow for a full staff.



Participants should use common sense, stay with a partner or friend, especially at night. It is recommended participants let a friend know where they are.



Open a bank account and get a debit card. Do not carry cash, valuables or your documents with you. Bring an alternative ID to carry. Keep your passport and documents stored safely at your housing.



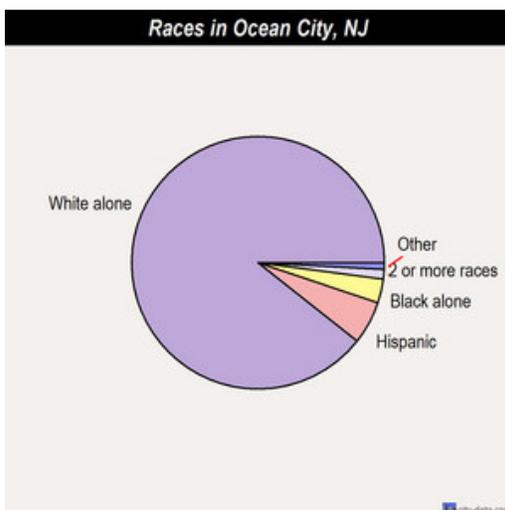
You must arrange your own housing. We recommend you search for your housing prior to arrival. Be prepared with an arrival plan. Do not arrive late at night.



Bicycle riders with helmets had an 85 percent reduction in their risk of head injury and an 88 percent reduction in their risk of brain injury. If you ride a bicycle in the US, wear a helmet.



A security deposit protects landlords from the cost associated with; parties, loud noise, damage, dirt, trash, unpaid rent, or utility bills. Participants who leave housing before the end of their program will *NOT* see any portion of their security deposit returned. Your refund is conditional, CHI coordinators can not negotiate a return.



Participants should be aware the United States is a melting pot. You will come into contact with all kinds of people and ways of life. All ages, shapes and sizes, levels of wealth, backgrounds, religions, sexual preferences, and ethnicities.