

We Are Recruiting For
Summer 2023 Work & Travel!

Adventure to California's Family-Style Amusement Park

Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk



Join in the fun with other international students and live, work, and play in West Coast's Treasure Now!

The Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk is located on a mile-long beach between Monterey and San Francisco. It is California's oldest amusement park and home to two National Historic Landmarks – the 1911 Loeffl Carousel and the 1924 Giant Dipper Roller Coaster. Owned and operated by Santa Cruz Seaside Company since 1915, the Boardwalk remains a family-style amusement park creating memories that last a lifetime.

This 114-year-old Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk is a true West Coast treasure. Every summer people from all over the world come together to work in Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk on a Work & Travel program. Opportunities are now offered to students who are studying in Singapore to join in the fun, excitement, and most of all the challenges of living, working, and playing in the USA. This is going to be a refreshing but ultimate challenge and experience for students in Singapore!

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Presently, Santa Cruz is recruiting students with positive attitudes and cheerful personalities to join them as part of their **Summer Crew** for their amusement park operations.

All participants will be hired as **Guest Service**. We will confirm your position when you are in the USA. Placements are available in **Ride Operations, Food Services, Ticket Sales, Games and Arcade, Retail, Guest Services, and Housekeeping**.

You can expect to spend most of your time working outdoors under the California sun, so remember to protect yourself and slap on ample sunscreen/sunblock. Second jobs are allowed but please keep in mind that your primary job is the Boardwalk. We expect that in 2023 there may be limited opportunities to get another job in the area.

WORK HOURS/WAGES

Your job will be assigned when you arrive. Please be flexible, as jobs are assigned according to company needs. The base wage for entry-level jobs is **US\$15.50 - \$17.00 per hour** (Training will be paid). Wages will be paid every two weeks. Employees are guaranteed an average of 32 hours per week throughout the summer. Those hired will be expected to work Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays. Overtime is also paid after 8 hours (per day) or over 40 hours in a week.

WORK DATES

Earliest Start Date: May 14, 2023 (refer below arrival date and start date)

Latest Start Date: May 21, 2023 (refer below arrival date and start date)

Earliest End Date: August 31, 2023

NOTE: Participants **MUST** be able to commit to working until **August 31, 2023**.

Participants who are unable to work until **August 31, 2023**, need not apply.

* Please plan your travel after August 31, 2023.

LIVING ENVIRONMENT

Accommodation is apartment-style residences; most include a full kitchen with cooking and eating utensils, bathroom/showers, beds and linens, dining room tables and chairs, etc. but no microwave. Units without a full kitchen are provided with a microwave and hot plate in place of the oven/stove. The couple units have a shared bathroom. **There is no Wi-Fi.** Participants will share an apartment with one to five roommates depending upon room size. Co-ed housing is allowed upon request. Housing is located within 10 minutes walking of the Boardwalk, or the farthest location is 30 minutes walking. Housing rental is **US\$58.22 per week**. A refundable cash deposit of US\$150.00 is required.

UNIFORMS/GROOMING STANDARDS

UNIFORM

All employees may wear blue denim jeans, khakis, colored jeans, or slacks. No leggings or athleisure wear. All shorts or pants must be clean with no holes, fraying, tears, or rips. Shorts are acceptable if they are no shorter than 2 inches from the bottom of your fingers. Uniform shirts will be issued by Wardrobe for uniformed positions. You may request a uniform jacket and hat. Uniform pants may also be provided upon request.

HAIR

If hair color is your style, it's welcome. Please keep it tidy – clean, brushed, and kept back from the face. Hair color must be permanent or semi-permanent, with no sprays, glitter, chalks, or temporary products. Tie long hair back with plain clips or hairbands to let guests see your beautiful face (especially important in Food Service).

FACIAL HAIR

Sideburns should be straight, neatly trimmed, and may extend to the end of the earlobe. Beards, mustaches, and goatees are allowed; however, they must be neatly trimmed and not excessively long. An established beard is an intentionally grown beard, not several days of not shaving. Other than established beards, mustaches, and goatees, you are expected to be clean-shaven every workday. *Special note:* Employees required to wear respirators must meet fit-test requirements that may require a clean-shaven face.

JEWELRY

Please select tasteful and appropriate jewelry to wear at work. Jewelry should be both safe and appropriate for your work environment. Food Service employees must comply with Department of Health regulations. You may wear up to three earrings per ear. Earrings may not exceed two inches in length or diameter. Stud earrings can be no larger than ¼ inch in diameter.

You may wear one small nose stud no bigger than 2mm. No other visible pierced jewelry or body adornment is allowed. You may wear plugs, no tunnels, or tapers, that are a plain, solid color, and do not exceed ¼ inch in diameter.

TATTOOS

We want you to share your individuality while ensuring our guests and coworkers feel safe and respected. Tattoos that are located on the face, head, neck, or upper chest are NOT allowed to be visible while wearing a company uniform or office attire. Tattoos that contain obscene, profane, racist, gang-related, sexual, violent, or other objectionable words or imagery are NOT allowed to be visible while wearing company uniform or office attire. Tattoos located behind the ear must be smaller than 1.5 inches and not extend past the bottom of the earlobe. Tattoos may not be covered by makeup or bandages.

WHAT TO DO IN SANTA CRUZ

The accommodation will be centrally located in Santa Cruz, which is a 10 to 30-minute walk to downtown, movie theatres, cafés, dance clubs, grocery stores, and laundry facilities. By car, San Francisco is about 90 minutes away.

Participants will also receive a 20% to 40% food discount at the Boardwalk restaurants, free Boardwalk ride passes, and lots of exciting employee activities being planned by the Employer.

***Important:**

You will be living right beside the ocean and Santa Cruz has foggy, cold mornings and nights with the sun in the afternoons. Please be prepared for varying temperatures by bringing a warm sweatshirt and pants along with your shorts and tank tops. Many students find the early morning and evening temperatures to be much colder than expected, so please consider this carefully.

For more information on employment at Santa Cruz, please visit their website – <https://beachboardwalk.com>.



Important Note from Employer

Students need to pick an arrival date (arrive at Santa Cruz). It is on a first-come, first-serve and there is not any guarantee you will get your first selection, but we will do our best.

The employer would like to stagger the arrival so not too many on one day. Please keep in mind, some of the dates may get filled before and the employer has the right to change the date accordingly.

If you are not flexible on dates, please choose another employer!

Arrival Date	Start Date
14 May 2023	15 – 16 May 2023
21 May 2023	22 – 23 May 2023

