



**ORGANIZATION: Disabled Sports Eastern Sierra**  
**POSITION TITLE: Adaptive Ski/Snowboard Instructor**  
**REPORTS TO: Ski School Director**

**GENERAL DESCRIPTION:** Disabled Sports Eastern Sierra (DSES) is an organization dedicated to sharing the fun of the Eastern Sierra mountain environment to those with disabilities. Our Vision is:

**“We believe the freedom and exhilaration of outdoor challenges changes lives. No one should be left behind simply because of a disability!”**

Based at Mammoth Mountain Ski Area’s Main Lodge, DSES runs one of the largest adaptive ski and snowboard schools in the state of California!

**JOB DESCRIPTION:**

DSES is seeking a full time Instructor to join its growing and dynamic team. This is a 35 - 40 hour/5 day per week winter seasonal position. A DSES Adaptive Instructor teaches both cognitively and physically disabled students using a variety of adaptive equipment at Mammoth Mountain’s Main Lodge. Due to the nature of DSES clientele, ability/desire to teach alpine skiing is required.

**QUALIFICATIONS/ABILITIES/EXPERIENCE:**

- PSIA Level 1 or 2 Adaptive or Alpine Certifications mandatory.
- Experience teaching beginning levels of snowboarding a plus.
- Ability to adapt communication style to student’s learning abilities.
- Ability to work in a close-knit environment with others.
- Compassion and patience.
- Ability to be a role model for other instructors.
- Physical ability to lift a minimum 50 lbs while in full winter gear.
- Must be able to work in a physically demanding environment in extreme weather conditions.
- Must meet Mammoth Mountain Grooming/Drug Free Workplace Requirements.

**TIME FRAME:**

Nov 1, 2021 – April 31, 2022

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**BENEFITS:**

- Skiing privileges at Mammoth Mountain.
- Top level training for PSIA/AASI certifications.
- 50% food discounts while working.

**PAY:**

Dependent upon experience and certifications. Ex: A PSIA Level 2 Certified Instructor with at least two seasons experience will start at approximately \$18/hr. 5 days per week (35 – 40 hours) from Nov 4 through April 31.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TO APPLY PLEASE CONTACT:**

**MARK SPIELER**

**Ski School Director**

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