



Friends of Sausal Creek  
PROMOTING WATERSHED AWARENESS

## 2014 Summer High School Internship Program

Friends of Sausal Creek (FOSC), a non-profit 501(c)(3) located in Oakland, is a volunteer-based community group founded in 1996 to promote awareness and enhancement of Sausal Creek and its watershed. Our mission is to educate, inspire, and take action to restore and preserve Sausal Creek and its 2,656-acre watershed as a unique natural community resource. We involve students, residents, and volunteers in protection, monitoring, and revegetation activities to restore the native plant ecosystem and increase the diversity of wildlife in the watershed.

This summer FOSC will be hosting a team of local high school student volunteers to participate in restoration and nursery projects on Wednesdays (9 a.m.-4 p.m.), Fridays (9 a.m.-4 p.m.), and optional Saturday afternoons at the nursery (times TBD) from July 2-August 1 (no program on July 4).

Activities will include:

- Environmental education activities and lessons
- Hands-on restoration projects throughout Dimond Canyon and Joaquin Miller Parks
- Nursery propagation and maintenance projects
- Assisting with leading nursery and restoration volunteer events

Interns will start each day at either Dimond Park (3860 Hanly Rd., Oakland), or the Joaquin Miller Native Plant Nursery (3594 Sanborn Rd., Oakland). Public transit is available to both sites.

To apply for this program, or for more information, please send a letter of interest to Restoration and Nursery Manager Michelle Krieg at [field@sausalcreek.org](mailto:field@sausalcreek.org) explaining why you are interested in participating. Applicants will be contacted to set up a brief phone interview.