



**PORTRAIT (SCHOOL DAY) PHOTOGRAPHER – FLEXIBLE HOURS, PAID TRAINING,
EQUIPMENT PROVIDED**

****PLEASE READ ALL INFORMATION, INCLUDING THE IMPORTANT COVID-19 UPDATE AT END OF THIS AD.**

YOUR OPPORTUNITY:

Do you love to take photos and work with school-age children? Are you an early riser? Then we have a job for you! Come work as a portrait (school day) photographer at a fast-growing company offering opportunities for both advancement and career development.

THE COMPANY:

Victor O'Neill Studios (VOS) is a family-owned business that, for over 45 years, has served the school portrait industry throughout the DC metro area (VA, MD, and DC), constantly providing high-quality photography to all its customers. Currently, with over 80 personnel, VOS is dedicated to growing its workforce to match its expansion in the industry. The company prides itself on taking care of its family of employees, and offers a competitive training and advancement program. Some seasonal photographers have been with the company for over 15 years, with the majority of our seasonal staff returning each year.

THE POSITION:

We are looking for photographers that love what they do and take pride in taking great quality pictures; capturing memories that parents will cherish forever is the key to this position. Equipment and comprehensive training will be provided by VOS. Hourly rate is \$14-\$25/hour, depending on experience. Photographers can expect to work approximately 20-25 hours per week with the potential for more. This is a seasonal job, with work lasting approximately through November.

THE LOCATION:

The VOS business office is located in McLean, VA, but the majority of the work will be in the field at our customer schools (Washington Metropolitan Area). Travel over 60 miles round trip will be reimbursed at the federal mileage rate.

PRIMARY PORTRAIT DAY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Be professional, energetic, and creative to ensure students/parents/faculty have a positive school picture day experience
- Punctual arrival on location to allow time for correct equipment set up
- Maintain a good workflow to stay on schedule
- Consistently capture memory making high-quality images
- Attention to detail when entering student information into the software
- Represent VOS in a professional manner and follow all company guidelines and directives
- Assist in other duties, as required, to be part of the school portrait team

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

MUST BE AVAILABLE THROUGH NOVEMBER 2020

- Prior portrait experience (online portfolio is mandatory)
- Strong interpersonal and team skills
- Comfortable working around kids (prior experience preferred, but not mandatory)
- Reliable transportation/driver’s license (Uber-type transportation not appropriate)
- Must pass a background check
- Willingness to travel to customer schools (travel over 60 miles round trip will be reimbursed at the federal mileage rate)

****IMPORTANT COVID-19 UPDATE (PLEASE READ CAREFULLY):**

Interviews will be conducted virtually via Zoom May 12th and May 13th. If hired, mandatory paid training will be conducted at the VOS studio starting June 1st. Attendance at a specific training session will be managed to limit the number of attendees. All CDC guidelines will be followed, including social distancing, masks, and sanitization procedures.

Due to the uncertainty of Fall 2020 school status, upon completion of training photographers will be placed in an unpaid “hold” status awaiting school approval to take school day portraits.

Job Type: Part-time/Seasonal (some opportunities for additional work in the off-season)

Salary: \$14-25/hour (based on training and experience)

TO APPLY: Submit cover letter, resume, two references and link to your portrait portfolio to janet@vosphoto.com. Applications will not be considered without all requested information.

