



## EXTERNAL POSTING

### **Summer Camp Educator – Seasonal / Temporary**

Alexandra Neighbourhood House is looking for a caring, passionate, creative and flexible individual to join our dynamic childcare team in our summer day camp as a **Summer Camp Educator**. Our team is collaborative and inspired by the Reggio Emilia approach to learning alongside the BC Early Learning Framework. At Alexandra Neighbourhood House we look at coupling the principles from these approaches to learn through the delight in children, understand the value of play, their vision, knowledge, skills and have a strong commitment to families. As a member of the Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC (ANHBC) we are an equal opportunity employer. We place a high value on diversity and encourage qualified individuals from all backgrounds and identities to consider applying for the position. Our total compensation and benefits package reflect our commitment to our staff and their family.

#### **Purpose and Responsibilities:**

We are an inclusive, multicultural, dynamic and collaborative summer day camp and childcare centres. Our **Summer Camp Educator** will work collaborately with a team of Early Childhood Educators, School Age Educators and Summer Camp Educators to plan, develop and deliver daily activities that support and promote the health and development of school age children 5- 12 years of age, using the Reggio Emilia approach to learning alongside the BC Early Learning Framework. Other responsibilities include developing strong relationships and communication with children, families and colleagues, and implementing high standards of care and supervision that promote the well-being of all children. And other related duties as required.

School Age Programs are provided at a variety of locations such as childcare facilities, schools and community centres, generally after school hours (2:00 – 6:00 PM) but extended programming will be required for any school closure days. Additional hours may be available in child care programs.

\*Please note this position is funded through the Federal Canada Summer Jobs Program starting July 04 – Aug. 26 (8 weeks). This position is subject to funding. The right candidate with the required qualifications will have potential to move into an on-call casual role or a regular position in our childcare programs in the Fall.

#### **Qualifications Required:**

- Experience working in a camplike setting and/or childcare setting is an asset
- Ensures camp programs meet or exceed all BC Camping Association standards and regulations, and/or provincial childcare licensing standards.
- Successful completion of one or more courses, of at least 20 hours duration in child development, guidance, health and safety or nutrition or willing to obtain
- Experience working with children (5 – 12 years of age) including those with special needs and their parents/guardians
- Understanding and/or willingness to learn the Reggio Emilia approach to learning and the BC Early Learning Framework
- Creativity, flexibility, initiative, enthusiasm and sense of humor
- Appropriate personal and professional boundaries

- Proven sound judgement, ethical decision making, ability to stay calm under pressure
- Ability to work in a multicultural and inclusive environment
- Class IV driver's license, or willing to obtain.
- Use of personal vehicle, including some client transportation (AH mileage paid), business use insurance may be required.
- First Aid Certificate

**The successful candidate must have or ready to acquire:**

- Current and satisfactory police reference check – vulnerable sector
- Personal vehicle for business use, including some client transportation

**Canada Summer Jobs Program Requirements**

- Be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of employment.
- Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment.
- Possess a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations.

**Terms – temporary full time (35 hours/week) July 01-Aug 26 2022**

**Salary: -\$15.65**

**Application details**

**Deadline: Monday May 23 2022**

**MAY ONLY BE SENT MY E-MAIL**

**Send a resume and cover letter by e-mail to APPLICATIONS**

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*We regret that we can only contact those candidates invited to an interview.*

*No phone calls please.*