



Steveston Community Society

Serving the Community of Steveston Since 1946

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Preschool Instructor I

Reporting to the Preschool Coordinator, the Preschool Instructor I assists with the development, planning and implementation of a comprehensive community based preschool program for 3-4 year olds.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Plan, develop, implement, organize and lead preschool activities; assist in developing preschool curriculum
- Assist volunteers and practicum students in the classroom setting
- Attend to children's physical needs, which may include toileting and eating
- Provide information to visitors wanting to hear about the program and/or see the classroom
- Communicate problems or concerns with children, families, staff and external agencies
- Recommend referrals or additional services for children with professionals such as behavioural therapists, occupational therapists and speech language pathologists
- Monitor children in indoor and outdoor activities and during rest periods; conduct activities with children on an individual and group basis
- Ensure classroom safety as outlined by Health Medical Safety regulations; follow proper Centre protocol
- Administer medications as required in accordance with established policy
- Keep program facilities and equipment safe and clean, reporting any repairs and concerns to senior staff
- Plan and organize classroom layout
- Provide input into budget; order supplies and equipment
- Work with agencies to acquire resources for children
- Attend regular meetings with preschool instructors, Supervisor and where appropriate
- Responsible to document and report child abuse to supervisors and the Ministry
- Responsible to fill out accident report forms
- Other related duties as assigned and may vary according to facility

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Grade 12 plus an Early Childhood Education Certificate and one year experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience
- BCRPA High Five – Principles of Healthy Child Development Certification

LICENSING REQUIREMENTS prior to start date:

- Standard, ChildSafe or Emergency First Aid including CPR C
- 19+yrs of age
- criminal record check
- immunization records

DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Post basis ECE training
- 2nd language
- Food Safe certificate

HOURS OF WORK AND WAGES

- Seasonal (Spring Break) approximately 15.75 to 26.25 hrs/week
- March 13 to 24, 2023 (Monday to Friday, 2 weeks)
- Wages: \$21.79/hour with \$4 per hour Wage Enhancement for ECE certificate holders

Interested candidates may apply for this position by sending a cover letter and resume to:

Catherine Nevada – Preschool Coordinator

Email: cnevada@richmond.ca

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The deadline for receiving applications is **January 20, 2023 @ 5:00pm.**

The Steveston Community Society thanks all applicants in advance for their interest.
Only those candidates under further consideration will be contacted.