

# **Steveston Community Society**

Serving the Community of Steveston Since 1946

# 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; organize and lead preschool activities, special events, fundraising and fieldtrips; develop preschool curriculum

# **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 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 years 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 and immunization records

# **DESIRED QUALIFICATIONS**

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

#### **HOURS OF WORK AND WAGES**

Monday-Friday. 27.5 hours/week

Wages: \$19.94 per hour. Benefits after 3 months

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

Laura Kump – Preschool Coordinator Steveston Community Centre 4111 Moncton Street Richmond BC V7E 3A8 Email: lkump@richmond.ca

The deadline for receiving applications is **July 12, 11:59pm**. The Steveston Community Society thanks all applicants in advance for their interest. Only those candidates under further consideration will be contacted.

