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JOB POSTING:
**OSC Supported Childcare
Worker**

of available positions: 1

Posting date: 25 Jan 2019

The Fairfield Gonzales Community Association is a non-profit society that enhances quality of life in our neighbourhood by providing various services to over 20,000 users annually. As an organization we work collaboratively to create a positive space from a basis of supporting families and community. Specifically, our Child Care Programs are based on the strong philosophy that each child is a capable and unique individual. Our programs are child led, nature and explorations based and offer a unique environment for children to learn and grow at their own pace.

Hours of Work: Shifts are Monday, Tuesday & Friday 2:30pm-5:30pm. Additionally hours may be available.

Wage: \$17.50-\$18.50, dependent on experience

Start Date: As soon as possible

End date: June 27th, 2019 with the potential for recall for the 2019/2020 school year.

Responsible/Reports to: The onsite manager

Work setting: Fairfield Gonzales Community Association

JOB DESCRIPTION

The successful candidate will provide support to the OSC program in the following ways:

- Provide one-to-one support to a child in our program who requires extra support by fostering an inclusive environment while maintaining a strong group dynamic
- Assist staff in implementing the individual and/or group activities which will facilitate successful inclusion
- Develop a positive environment which provides children with opportunities for success
- Follow guidelines on a Care plan that is created by the guardians and support staff in order to ensure successful participation in program
- Attend team meetings, staff meetings and training sessions as required

REQUIREMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Experience working with and relating to children aged 5-12 years, specifically children who require extra support
- Ability to communicate skillfully and sensitively with the child, parents, co-workers and community professionals
- Ability to observe the child's behaviour and to objectively report on these observations
- Ability and willingness to work in a teaching and team work environment
- Ability to understand and apply current recreation, child development, and child care philosophy
- Standard First Aid and CPR (C) & Criminal record check
- Completion of a minimum of 20 hours accredited child care related course work
- Minimum 19 years of age

Interested individuals are requested to forward their resume and cover letter to Kristina Wilcox via e-mail (kwilcox@fairfieldcommunity.ca) or in person at Fairfield Community Place (1330 Fairfield Road) during our administrative hours.

Application is ongoing until a suitable candidate is found.

We thank all applicants; however, only those shortlisted will be contacted for an interview.