

YWCA IS ON A MISSION

JOB TITLE: Group Leader

SUPERVISOR: School-aged Childcare Coordinator

FLSA STATUS: Part-time, non-exempt

HOURS: Monday –Friday 2pm-6pm (monthly evening meetings and varying hours on non-school days)

Job Description

Group Leader

Do you have experience connecting with youth in a positive and impactful way? Are you looking for a position in which you will role model social skills to elementary aged children while developing your own abilities building skills that will support you in future career opportunities? This may be the opportunity for you...

As part of the team at the after-school program you will be responsible for the nurturing and development of each child, as well as implementing a developmentally appropriate, safe, and secure program. The after-school program is located at the FT Bresnahan Elementary School and offers youth a safe and fun place to decompress after a long day of learning. On a regular day you will support the secure check in and check out of children attending and departing the program, lead structured activities, engage in play, supervise the activities of groups of children ensuring their safety and participation throughout the afternoon, and communicate with supporting team members, as well as support parent communication upon dismissal. Staff are also responsible for set up and break down of shared program space.

To be successful in this role, you have strong decision making skills are able to judge appropriately in response to questions and behaviors exhibited by children in kindergarten through third grade. You understand the importance of a warm caring atmosphere and can confidently create careful balance between reliable security and stimulation that fosters exploration and growth. And, of course.....you LOVE kids!

Employer Description

For over 125 years, the YWCA Greater Newburyport has been transforming the lives of women and their families in the greater Newburyport community. Our programs promote wellness, support families, develop leaders and advocate for equality and social justice. Our services include affordable housing, childcare, youth programs, health and fitness programs, adult education and career enhancement, girl's leadership programs, and teen racial justice groups. We have strong collaborative relationships with individuals and groups in the community that enhance our ability to create, promote and implement our services. To find out more about our history as well as current program offerings, visit our web site at www.ywcanewburyport.org.

The YWCA Greater Newburyport is dedicated to eliminating racism, empowering women and promoting peace, justice, freedom, and dignity for all. In alignment with that mission, the YWCA's

youth programs give parents the freedom to pursue their professional goals by providing safe, affordable, quality programs for children. In our programs, children have the opportunity to explore, discover and expand their cognitive and social skills in a caring, supportive environment. Our curriculum is threaded with experiences that help children develop an appreciation for diversity, a sense of their leadership potential and a positive feeling of their value in our community.

Equal Opportunity Employer

The YWCA is committed to a policy of nondiscrimination and equal opportunity for all employees and qualified applicants without regard to race, color, religious creed, protected genetic information, national origin, ancestry, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, disability, or veteran's status.

Job Requirements

- At least 18 years of age
- Must meet Department of Early Education & Care Group Leader qualifications
- 6 months relevant experience preferred
- Citizenship, residency or work visa required

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