

# Childcare Educator – OSC After School Care (Internal/External)

## Kitsilano Neighborhood House & ANHBC

The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC (ANHBC) builds healthy and engaged neighbourhoods by connecting people and strengthening their capacity to create change.

ANHBC is the legal entity and umbrella organization made up of eight neighbourhood houses, an outdoor camp and central services. We operate more than 300 community-based programs and services for a diversity of participants. At ANHBC, we are committed to Reconciliation, Decolonization and Anti-racism. Together with community, we build strong and supportive relationships at welcoming and inclusive sites throughout Metro Vancouver. To learn more about ANHBC, visit <a href="https://www.anhbc.org">www.anhbc.org</a>

ANHBC is currently seeking an experienced childcare educator-osc who shares <u>ANHBC's values</u> to join our Kitsilano Neigbourhood House childcare team.) Kitsilano Neighbourhood houses are highly collaborative with a strong team framework. The right person for this position is passionate about community development, social justice and is values-aligned with our organization.

#### **About You**

Kitsilano Neighbourhood House is looking for enthusiastic, mature, dedicated, and effective team members to work in our Childcare Programs for children aged 5-12 years old. The successful candidate will have excellent guiding and caring skills and the ability to work in a diverse, multicultural, and energetic environment.

#### About the Position

Using a team approach Childcare Educator- OSC provides a developmentally appropriate Reggio inspired and inclusive quality Daycare Program for children. A Childcare Educator- OSC performs all of the following duties:

## · Curriculum Design

- o Ensure curriculum and developmentally appropriate practices are in place in the daycare
- o Co-create programming with the staff team and children
- Use innovative methods for documentation and curriculum design such as the use of anecdotal observations, finished products, photographs, and written dialogue
- Attend meetings and workshops to develop and discuss program curriculum and work competencies
- Interact with children and staff to encourage their involvement in activities
- Have an understanding of typical developmental pathways

## • Safety

- o Be informed of and follow all licensing regulations and requirements
- Use positive methods of discipline that is child-centered and respectful
- Classroom monitoring
- Ensure room is clean and toys are disinfected, furniture, equipment and toys are safe for children and cleaning products or medicines are kept where children cannot get to them



## Community Culture

- o Be available to connect families with community resources
- o Establish and maintain collaborative relationships with other community service providers
- Establish and maintain good communications with families
- Work collaboratively with volunteers and practicum students
- May be required to work in other Kits House childcare programs to ensure continuity of care & ensure licensing regulations are met
- Perform other duties (as needed)

#### Skills & Qualifications:

- Experience working with children aged 5 -12 years
- · 20 hours of Childcare Training (in development, guidance, health and safety or nutrition)
- Valid First Aid Certificate
- Minimum age 19 years (as per licensing regulations)
- · ECEA Certification an asset

#### Hours:

This is a regular part-time position (20 hours, 5 days/week) 2:00pm – 6:00pm plus additional hours for all VSB Pro D and early dismissals days and requires a consistent in-person presence at one of our childcare locations.

### **Kits House Childcare Locations:**

- Kitsilano Neighbourhood House, 2305 West 7<sup>th</sup> Ave.
- The Collective Childcare Centre, 2650 Maple St.

Start Date: August 2025

Salary & Benefits: Competitive benefits package including vacation, paid sick time, group medical, pension and professional development opportunities; \$21.74 - \$23.57 per hour plus \$6/ECE Wage Enhancement for those who qualify, Annual Salary from \$39,712 to \$43,058, band C1-C2, depending on skills and experience level

The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC is an equal opportunity employer. We place a high value on equity, diversity and inclusion. We encourage individuals who are Indigenous, Black, and People of Colour (IBPOC), individuals with disabilities, and members of the LGBTQIA2S+ communities to consider applying for the position.

How to Apply: All qualified individuals who share our values are encouraged to apply to: <a href="mailto:childcareadmin@kitshouse.org">childcareadmin@kitshouse.org</a> \*Please include the position you are applying for in the subject line of your email.\*

To help us track our recruitment effort, please indicate in your cover letter where you found this posting. We thank and acknowledge all applicants and will contact those selected for interviews. No phone calls please.

We acknowledge that our houses, camp and central services office are situated on the stolen, traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the Coast Salish people including the Musqueam, Squamish, Semiahmoo, Kwantlen, Tsleil-Waututh, Kwikwetlem, Tsawwassen and Sto:lo Nations.

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