

Centre Educator

Date Posted: May 30th, 2022

Hourly Rate: \$22.50/hour

Location: Viola Desmond Early Learning Centre

Hours: 40 hours/week

Reports To: VDELC, Supervisor

Position Type: 12-month Contract

Number of Vacancies: 1

Why work for Milton Community Resource Centre?

MCRC goes beyond the traditional 'check in the box' approach to employee development by recognizing creativity, innovation and the work contributions of each employee that aligns with MCRC's strategic objectives. We have a wide variety of programs and services that allow our staff to explore various career opportunities within the organization. All employees are provided with a free membership to The Halton Resource Connection that allows Educators to access resources, materials and professional learning opportunities to enhance your classroom. We believe in the importance of providing wellness opportunities that support employee's mental, physical and emotional health.

We're looking for someone with the following qualifications:

**A degree or diploma in Early Childhood Education is required.
Standard First aid/CPR level C is required.**

Experience working with children of differing abilities will be considered an asset. The successful candidate should have experience with a variety of teaching techniques including modeling, active listening, and observing, questioning, demonstrating and supporting children. The preferred candidate should observe children for the purpose of creating learning opportunities that promote development within social, emotional, cognitive, language, sensory and physical domains.

Every day, you will encourage purposeful play and build upon the interests of children by:

- Creating warm, welcoming interactions that protect the health, security and well-being of children.
- Being culturally sensitive and endeavoring to remove all barriers which prevent acceptance and accessibility for children in the classroom
- Being committed to raising quality care indicators through participating in the Quality First model.
- Using your experience to support inclusion of children with behavioral challenges and differing abilities to foster their development, growth and success in the program and working collaboratively with their parents/caregivers and early childhood specialists.
- Developing and implementing an emergent curriculum applying core concepts of a Reggio inspired philosophy.
- Creating an atmosphere which builds upon individual learning styles, interests, and celebrates the cultural and ethnic diversity of the children and their families
- Maintain accurate daily record keeping of attendance sheets, daily log books, accident reports and illness reports, medical forms, administration of medication forms, emergency procedures and actions and display in classroom as appropriate.
- Setting up program space and supporting children within the program may require lifting, pushing and pulling up to 35lbs

MCRC is committed to diversity and accessibility. To this end, MCRC endeavors to reflect the cultures, languages and abilities of the families we serve, in our programs, services and employment practices. Please identify if you require any accommodation during the recruitment process in your application email.