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JOB TITLE:

Lead Teacher Early Childhood Preschool Full Time @ The Collaborative in Ypsilanti

POSITION SUMMARY:

The **Lead Early Preschool Teacher** is responsible for supervising early childhood participants and implementation of the program designed for **toddler** (18 months to 2 ½ years), **early preschool** (2 ½ -3 ½ years) or **preschool** (3 ½ to 5 years). The Lead Teacher will work directly with the Child Care Director to develop programs that are in accordance with the Department of Human Services licensing requirements, NAEYC Standards, YMCA core principles, HEPA (Healthy Eating and Physical Activity) standard and Global Learning objectives. The Lead Teacher is responsible for direct leadership of a classroom, including but not limited to implementation of the curriculum; adaptations to curriculum to meet student needs; student observations, developmental assessments and reports; supervision of assigned teachers and/or aides; and parent communication. They must ensure a warm, nurturing, safe and loving environment, where self-concepts are enhanced, independence encouraged, and individuality respected. He/she is also responsible for providing a program that fosters children's social, physical, spiritual and mental growth.

PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES:

1. Provide program supervision using positive guidance techniques.
2. Provide supervision of assistant teachers.
3. Promote Early Childhood Programs and maintain enrollment.
4. Develop and implement program activities that provide youth with experiences in the developmental areas of physical, social, emotional, and intellectual.
5. Read and respond to all YMCA communications including but not limited to email on a daily basis.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A bachelor's degree in early childhood education, child development-family studies, early childhood special education, or elementary education with a concentration in early childhood education is required.
- At least one-year experience working with preschool-age youth is required.
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills, flexibility, and an ability to work in a team-setting are required.
- Must have a physical examination, including satisfactory TB test, six months prior to beginning work or 30 days after.
- Must have certification in infant, child and adult CPR and First Aid or ability to obtain within 60 days of hire.
- Multi-lingual ability is preferred.

Full job description is available upon request.

FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY



APPLICATION DEADLINE:
Ongoing

APPLICATIONS TO:

Becca Schnetzer

BSchnetzer@AnnArborYMCA.org

Please submit Ann Arbor YMCA Employment Application, Resume, and three (3) references.

HIRING RANGE:

\$15.00-\$17.50 per hour

BENEFITS:

You will eligible to receive:

- **Vacation time**
- **Sick time**
- **Medical Benefits**
- **YMCA retirement**
- **Membership**
- **Program**
- **Go!Pass**

POSITION HOURS:

Has a flexible schedule between the working hours of:

6:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.,

Monday through Friday.