



## Summer Camp Leader – Child Care Programs

**Location:**

Penticton  
Queen's Park YMCA Child Care

**Compensation:**

\$ 14.00/hr. .

**Full Time Contract 35hrs/week**

**Placement Date:**

As early as June 3 – Aug 23,  
2019

Application Deadline: May 24<sup>th</sup>

We are seeking a Child Care Leader who is energetic, personable, and resourceful, has strong interpersonal skills and enjoys children of all ages. If that sounds like you, then this is your ideal job!

The YMCA at Queen's Park operates a 60-space childcare center for the ages of 0 -12, which includes space for weekly licensed Summer camp. Our school aged camp programs include a variety of activities that will foster optimal developmental growth and cultivate the Y values that we encourage in ourselves and our participants of Caring, Respect, Honesty, and Responsibility. The children will be actively engaged in sports, outdoor play, swimming, science, arts and crafts and community out trips.

Reporting directly to the Child Care Manager this position will be responsible for the leadership of our Summer Child Care, you will provide supervision, safety and adhere to the licensing regulations for children in the Grade 1 to 6 Program.

### Major Responsibilities and Abilities:

- Plan and implement safe and fun YMCA programs
- Ensure safety and supervision are maintained at all times.
- Build meaningful relationships with children, parents, partner organizations and other Y colleagues.
- Create and maintain a positive atmosphere and build positive self-esteem and confidence in children
- Assist with high quality program plans incorporating the Y values of Caring, Responsibility, Honesty and Respect.
- Implement the play based educational curriculum; including interactive play, literacy, science, building, drama, games, team building, arts and crafts, daily physical activity, sports etc.
- Be a play partner, interact directly with children and encourage interaction between children

### Qualifications:

- Must be between the ages of 19 years (licensing standards) and 30 years of age (student grant requirement)
- Experience working with children and families in a recreational or childcare setting
- Current Standard First Aid and CPR-C
- Have completed a course or combination of courses of a min of 20 hours in the area of child development, guidance, health and safety or nutrition etc.

### Competencies:

*Commitment to Mission, Vision and Values:* Demonstrates and promotes a personal understanding of and appreciation for the mission, vision and values of YMCA of Okanagan.

*Service Attitude:* Identifies needs and wants of members/participants as priority and responds in an effective and timely manner to enhance every person's Y experience.



- *Upon request provide three references. A minimum of two will be professional in nature (e.g. teacher, coach, employer, supervisor or colleague)*
- *Successful candidates will be required to provide a current and satisfactory Criminal Reference Check/Vulnerable Sector Search issued no later than six months preceding your start date. The YMCA will provide applicable instructions and paperwork.*

**Application Process:**

Please email cover letter, resume with the subject line **CHILD CARE SUMMER LEADER** to:

Danielle Miranda, General Manager – Child Care

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