

	Title: Senior Leader (Playground)	<i>Date:</i> March, 2003
	<i>Department:</i> Recreation, Culture and Community Services	
	<i>Classification:</i> Inside	<i>Pay Grade:</i>
	<i>Date Signed Off by the Union</i>	

Nature and Scope of Work

Reporting to the Recreation Programmer, the Senior Leader will perform a variety of tasks. The incumbent will be primarily responsible for planning, developing, promoting, implementing, executing, and evaluating week-long, theme related activities. The project objectives and activities are to build upon an ongoing summer program for the children of the community that will encourage participation and challenge children to develop a lifestyle that is socially, culturally, physically and mentally balanced.

Illustrative Examples of Work

1. Implements a variety of activities based on theme related camps.
2. Provides and leads activities for children such as arts and crafts, drama, special events, recreational sports, games, cooking, story time and swimming.
3. Encourages development in cooperation, environmental awareness, communication, creativity, imagination and motor/physical skills.
4. Demonstrates initiative.
5. Performs other related duties as assigned.

Required Knowledge, Abilities and Skills

1. Ability to tactfully and effectively deal with the public and practice good public relations
2. Pleasant cheerful personality and disposition
3. Ability to maintain attendance, program and expense records

Desirable Training and Experience

1. At least 19 years of age;
2. Currently enrolled in post-secondary child related program or have completed a similar type of program (preferably a degree or even a diploma);
3. Previous experience in the recreation field; or
4. Equivalent combination of training and experience.

Required Licences, Certificates, and Registrations

1. Valid Standard First Aid Certificate