



Title: Support Worker

Job Status: Summer Contract (July 5 to August 18, 2021)

Hours: 8:45am – 3:15pm, Monday – Friday

Locations: Ladner and/or Tsawwassen, and North Delta

Support Workers assist the Site Leader and Assistant Leader in supporting children with special needs in a life skills based day camp setting. You will implement the program and ensuring the safety and well-being of the children. You will participate in all the programming areas, assisting the participants with their goals and ensuring that the equipment used is safe, clean and hazard-free at all times. We believe in hiring a small proportion of our workers who would like a career in the social services sector and part of your responsibility is to act in a mentoring capacity to recreation staff to help them learn strategies in working with special needs children. Specific duties include:

- Implement the program in life-skills based activities consistent with our Summer Fun Goals
- Assist participants in their goals and assist the Leader and Assistant Leader in tracking these goals.
- Assist the children with their daily living and recreational activities, including but not limited to: eating, toileting, swimming, walking, communicating, mentoring and being a role model
- Ensure the safety of participants at all times
- Mentor recreation workers to encourage their interest in the social services sector
- Assist the Leader/Assistant Leader when needed with items such as daily communication with parents
- Assorted other duties as required

The Support Worker reports directly to the Site Leader and is responsible for actively assisting in the delivery of the program as set out in the program handbook.

Requirements:

- Working as an Education Assistant in a school district or equivalent experience
- Current Emergency First Aid with CPR certificate
- CPI training is an asset
- Foodsafe certificate is an asset
- Completion of a criminal record check (required only if you are a successful applicant)
- Effective and clear verbal and written communication skills
- High energy, enthusiastic, flexible
- Enjoy being part of a team that values leadership and organizational talents

We offer a competitive salary, starting at \$18/hour for this role.

Please indicate SUPPORT WORKER in the subject, emailed to programdirector@deltalifeskills.net

Closing date is April 16th, 2021 or until position is filled