

Outdoor Recreation Instructor

Role

To plan and implement various outdoor programs and activities for the summer outdoor program. Outdoor Recreation Instructor duties include: developing program content for outdoor recreation and environmental/ecological programming; developing lesson plans with learning progressions; providing direct leadership and instruction for group programs; advising on safety and emergency measures; ensuring proper use, transport, storage and maintenance of equipment; providing opportunities for participants to develop leadership and team building skills; and completing various reports.

Qualifications

- Royal Newfoundland Constabulary (RNC) Certificate of Conduct – Dated 2018
- Royal Newfoundland Constabulary (RNC) Vulnerable Sector Check – Dated 2018
- Minimum of one (1) year post-secondary education
- Experience teaching, or certification in, some or all of the following activities: Canoeing, Kayaking, Stand up paddle boarding, Map & Compass, Hut Construction, Wilderness Survival, Archery, Hiking.
- Excellent communication skills and a strong knowledge of group dynamics and team building
- Leadership training (i.e. Completion of City of St. John's Youth Leadership Programs or equivalent) would be an asset
- Excellent leadership and organizational skills
- Must be comfortable in an aquatic setting as these positions involve water sport activities such as kayaking, canoeing and stand up paddle boarding.
- Candidates possessing an equivalent combination of education and experience that is deemed acceptable by the City may be considered

Additional Qualifications (provided free for successful candidates)

- Basic Cardiac Life Support (CPR Level C)
- Standard First Aid
- HIGH FIVE[®] Principles of Healthy Child Development Certification
- Paddle Canada: Lake Canoe Skill Intermediate Tandem Certification would be an asset
- Paddle Canada Introduction to Kayaking Certification would be an asset

Period of employment

- Must be available to attend mandatory training. First possible training date beginning June 4 and continuing throughout the month of June.
- Program start and end dates: July 3 – August 31, 2018
- **Dates may vary according to placement.**

Rate of Pay

\$14.67 per hour (up to 40 hours per week)

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