WHO WE ARE

**SFU Childcare Society** is an internationally recognized childcare centre, nestled on the campus of Simon Fraser University, where our physical environments and the experiences shared with children reflect the beauty and nature of our mountain location. We believe that children, educators, and families bring unique perspectives, skills, and knowledge to our Society which should be fostered through individual representation and shared understandings. We engage in intentional observation, reflection, long-term inquiry, and research as a way for children and educators to understand the process of learning and to fully immerse themselves in this experience.

We believe that it is important to create an environment where educators feel supported and that they are given the space to grow in their practice. Our educators connect with each other and their work through pedagogical dialogue, communities of practice, present at workshops and conferences, and have also published articles detailing their work with children and families. To support this work, our Society is committed to providing ongoing learning and leadership opportunities that connect with our mission, vision and core values. Join us in ‘Leading excellence in Early Care and Learning in a sustainable way.’

HOW YOU FIT IN

We are seeking an Early Childhood Educator/Responsible Adult who:

- Has their ECE License to Practice or meet qualifications of Responsible Adult: be at least 19 years of age; able to provide care and mature guidance to children; have completed a course or a combination of courses of at least 20 hours duration in child development, guidance, health and safety or nutrition; have relevant work experience
- Holds or is working towards a degree in Early Childhood Care & Education
- Is passionate, creative, intentional & reflective in their work with children
- Is welcoming of the multiple perspectives of children, families, and other professionals
- Is an advocate for children, families & the ECE profession
- Is committed to professional development and growth

This position is 6 hours/day (split shift: 8:00am-10:00am & 2:00pm-6:00pm), Monday – Friday, with full-time hours during non-instructional days and school breaks (winter, spring & summer). Working additional hours up to full time (maximum 37.5 hours) is possible through additional on-call shifts in one of our 15 programs. This position has an immediate start date.

COMPENSATION

- Salary: $19.57 (plus an additional $1/hour for licensed ECE’s as per the ECE Wage Enhancement Initiative*)
- 100% family medical/single dental health coverage
- Pro-rated vacation entitlement of 4 weeks annually
- Sick leave benefits
- Transportation allowance
- Outstanding professional development opportunities

HOW TO APPLY

Please email a cover letter and resume outlining your experience and education (including two references), as well as copies of your BC License to Practice (or academic transcripts) and current first aid certificate, addressed to Program Director, SFU Childcare Society.

Email: ccsadmin@sfu.ca.

We will contact only those applicants selected for an interview. SFU Childcare Society is an equal opportunity employer, pursuing diversity and valuing what diversity brings to the workplace. This position is open to applicants of any gender.

The deadline for applications is November 11th, 2019.

SFU Childcare staff are members of the BCGEU (Current Collective Agreement expired March 31, 2019).

For more information: www.sfu.ca/childcare

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