City of New York/Parks & Recreation

Seasonal Job Vacancy Notice

Civil Service Title: Playground Associate

Salary: \$14.90 per hour

Duration: This is a 6 month seasonal position. Work Location: Crown Heights, Brooklyn, NY

Number of Positions: 2

NYC Parks is seeking energetic individuals to provide academic, athletic, civic and cultural programming to children ages 6-13 in its Turn 2 funded Afterschool Programs.

Major Responsibilities:

- Provide dynamic afterschool programming in various fields including education (tutoring), sports, fitness, arts and culture, and civic engagement during critical afterschool hours (2:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.)
- Create lesson plans to engage participants in educational activities, arts and sports.
- Develop activities that complement NYC Parks' Recreation mission and Derek Jeter's 10 life lessons.
- Work closely with the site coordinator to execute all program goals.
- Supervise and escort children on trips and provide supervision during outdoor programming (must be willing to travel).
- Organize special events for parents, children, and funders including Turn 2 Holiday Event and Instructional Baseball Clinics as well as other sporting events.
- Ensure proper health and safety standards in areas that children will occupy including recreation centers, parks and playgrounds.
- Uphold discipline and prevent disturbances
- Accurately record and track enrollments, attendance and student progress.
- Organize holiday and vacation camp events.

Minimum Qualifications:

- 1. A four year high school diploma or its educational equivalent, and either:
 - a) Two summer seasons, or six months, of experience as an instructor, counselor, or coach in an organized recreational program; or
 - b) Completion of sixty credits toward a baccalaureate degree in an accredited colleges; or
- 2. Education and/or experience equivalent to "1" above.

Preferred Qualifications:

- 1. BA/BS degree in Math, English, Science, Child Psychology, Social Work or other related fields
- 2. Experience in providing tutorial services in Math, ELA, ESL, Science and general tutoring.
- 3. Excellent communication and organizational skills.
- 4. Experience coaching, sports and fitness.
- 5. Valid New York State driver license.

To apply, please submit cover letter & resume to:

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