

## **Job Opportunity**



### Join the Y Child & Youth Team!

Be the Spark! Join our passionate team and be the spark that ignites the potential in others. YMCA of Southwestern Ontario is one of the largest not-for-profit providers of licensed childcare in Canada, offers settlement services to newcomers to Canada, operates 2 overnight camps and 16 Health & Fitness branches across Southwestern Ontario, and we have been making a positive difference in the communities we serve for over 50 years!

### **Position: Child & Youth Instructor**

Location: StarTech.com Community Centre and YMCA (London, ON)

Start Date: October/November 2023

Salary: \$16.55/hour

Schedule: Monday to Thursday 4:30 to 8:30 pm, Weekends 8:30 am to 12:30 pm. Part time based on 8-12 hours per week.

#### As part of your total compensation:

- A YMCA personal membership at our health and fitness branches
- A discount on our Childcare and Camp programs
- Vacation entitlement in accordance with the employment standards regulations

#### In this position you will:

- YMCA of Southwestern Ontario policy and procedures.
- Act as a YMCA ambassador, demonstrating YMCA core values in your daily work.
- Learn how to effectively lead all child and youth programming.
- Create developmentally appropriate program plan.
- Deliver child and youth programs to assigned participant group.
- Lead games and activities in a variety of settings such as pool, gym, child minding or outdoors.
- Participate actively in all child and youth activities and special events.
- Incorporate inclusive programming allowing for children of all abilities to participate.
- Involve participants in choice of activity where appropriate.
- Encourage participants to set and achieve goals.



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#### **Education and Skills Qualifications:**

- Current Vulnerable Criminal Reference Check (less than 6 months old)
- Legally entitled to work in Canada
- Experience working with children
- Current standard First Aid and CPR
- Participation in YMCA Healthy Child Development (training provided)

#### Why The Y?

The YMCA of Southwestern Ontario is committed to the development of healthy communities and welcomes people of all backgrounds, beliefs, and abilities. We are committed to helping our employees reach their full potential and are recognized by Forbes as one of Canada's Top Employers. We offer meaningful employment and the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of individuals and families.



#### To Apply:

- Submit your cover letter, resume, and supporting documents via email to Heather Sutherland, Child & Youth Manager: <a href="heather.sutherland@swo.ymca.ca">heather.sutherland@swo.ymca.ca</a>. The job posting deadline closes at midnight on October 11th, 2023.
- Include in your submission your specialized experience, and why you are the best candidate for this role. Please include the name of the position and location in your application.
- We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

NOTE: The YMCA of Southwestern Ontario is committed to providing a barrier-free environment for all stakeholders including our members/participants, employees, job applicants, suppliers, and any visitors who may enter our premises, access our information, or use our services. As an organization, we respect and uphold the requirements set forth under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (2005), and its associated standards and regulations.