

## **Early Childhood Educator Assistant**

Gonzales Co-operative Preschool is an established preschool located in Oak Bay, Victoria, BC. Our preschool is for three and four year old children and is inspired by the Reggio Emilia approach. Gonzales Preschool is part of a network of co-op preschools on Vancouver Island that follows a play-based curriculum and in which parents are involved with the school and classroom duties.

We are looking for an energetic, experienced and nurturing assistant ECE to work under the direction of our ECE, collaborating to implement a quality program that honours children and their learning through nature, imagination and invitations to play.

The required hours will be between 7 to 20 hours per week, Monday to Thursday (with the possibility of attending job-related meetings). The hours will be firm and decided at the time of hiring, based on fit. Start time is September 2017.

The applicant must have the following skills and qualifications:

ECE or ECEA certification (or willing to work towards or education background)

Experience with and enthusiasm for working with young children

Excellent communication skills and willingness to work as part of a team (with ECE and parents)

First Aid Certificate

Criminal Record Check

Knowledge of current research in early childhood education

If you are interested in joining our fun, creative and community based preschool please submit a resume including cover letter

By email to: Aly Shorthouse [vp1.gonzalescooppreschool@gmail.com](mailto:vp1.gonzalescooppreschool@gmail.com) or

By mail to: Attention: Isadora Lienard-Boisjoli, Gonzales Preschool, 2928 Eastdowne Road, Victoria, BC, V8R 5R8

Please have references available.

**Closing Date: Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

Pay scale: \$17.00-18.50 /hour depending on experience