Playworker



JOB DESCRIPTION

- Part Time Extended School Playworker
- Flexible hours /maximum 21 hours per week, dependent on candidate (days TBC)
- Permanent/Fixed term Contract

Hours of work: Afternoons: 3.00pm – 6.00pm

Mornings (approx.): 7.30am – 8.45am

Salary: £15,308 pro rata

Approx. £8.27 - £9.13 per hour depending on candidates experience and

qualifications.

Job Role

To actively work and participate under the direction of the Club Manager to provide safe high-quality play for children aged 4 – 11 years of age.

To build links and work in partnership with parents, carers and professionals to promote the wellbeing of the children.

Camp Glide is seeking an enthusiastic and committed team player with a passion for working with children in an exciting and dynamic environment.

Camp Glide is a childcare provider that operates before and after school clubs as well as a holiday club in the Redhill and Reigate area. Please visit our website at campglide.co.uk for more information.

Applications must be completed and returned by the deadline listed on our website

Interviews to be held on TBC

Person Specification – Please see attached.

Closing Date – As stated on website

Company Contact – Andy Setters

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Person Specification:

Responsible to Manager of Extended School.

I Interview

R Reference

A Application Form

Essential	Evidence	Desirable	Evidence
A commitment to safeguarding	Α	Demonstrate levels of numeracy	А
and promoting the welfare of	R	and literacy equivalent to GCSE	1
all our children		A-C	
		Have an understanding of	
		relevant national regulations	
		and guidance	
An understanding of the	Α	Understanding of first aid	Α
importance of Behaviour	I	procedures	R
management strategies.		Current First Aid Certificate held	
Have a knowledge of policies	Α	Minimum of NVQ Level 2	
and procedures relating to child	I	qualification in Playwork or	
protection, health, safety,		childcare or be studying towards	
security, equal opportunities		obtaining relevant qualification.	
and confidentiality			
Can provide and facilitate	Α	Understanding of how to apply	А
inclusive, safe and creative play	I	school policies	R
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Possess good interpersonal and	Α	Have experience of working	Α
communication skills and the	I	with children aged 4 – 11 years	R
ability to work effectively as a			1
team member			
Ability to develop effective	I	Basic Food Hygiene Certificate	
professional relationships	R		
Have a basic understanding of	А	Have an understanding of multi-	А
food hygiene	1	agency and partnership working	R
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Ability to use initiative	Α	
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Demonstrate consistently high	А	
standards of personal and	I	
professional conduct, and		
uphold the ethos, policies and		
practices of the school		
Carry out all responsibilities	А	
within an equal opportunities	I	
framework		

KEY Accountabilities:

A. Promoting Pupil Wellbeing

KEY Tasks:

- A. Under the guidance of the Extended Schools Club Manager:
 - To support the Manager and Deputy in the directed planning, preparation and implementation of the daily activities of the Club to ensure children's needs are met.
 - To work with staff to maintain the Club to an agreed standard of cleanliness and hygiene.
 - Advise the Club Manager of any concerns e.g. regarding children, parents or the safety of equipment, preserving confidentiality as necessary without compromising safeguarding procedure.
 - To support the Club Manager in ensuring that all relevant records are maintained.
 - To undertake other duties and responsibilities of an equivalent nature as determined by the Club Manager.
 - Set high expectations of pupils in regard to behaviour and development. Implementing behaviour procedures as required.
 - To be aware of and to implement national and local guidelines in order to safeguard and promote the wellbeing of children

- To work with staff to prepare food to an agreed standard and ensuring hygiene standards are met.
- To work with staff to ensure children are always appropriately supervised, guaranteeing their safety and wellbeing.
- Actively engage with and involve all children e.g. playing games, initiating conversation. Meeting individual children's needs.
- To support the Club Manager to promote the club, it's values and message in an inclusive and positive manner.
- B. Supporting the School
- C. Commitment to continuous professional development
- To actively participate in the operational delivery of good quality play and care.
- To be reliable and punctual.

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- The post holder will act as a role model and be able to effectively communicate with children, parents, etc in order to maintain appropriate standards of behaviour and provide feedback to parents, professionals.
- Attend half termly meetings with the Club Manager
- Attend training as designated by the Club Manager.

Camp Glide is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. An enhanced DBS disclosure and other pre-employment checks will be carried out in line with our safer recruitment policy.

Responsibility Honesty Respect Caring