



# Junior Kindergarten Early Childhood Educator, Frog Hollow Neighbourhood Neighbourhood House (Internal/External)

## Frog Hollow Neighbourhood House & ANHBC

Frog Hollow Neighbourhood House is a volunteer-driven, community-service organization. Our mission is to make neighbourhoods better places to live. Our goal is to enable people to enhance their lives and strengthen their communities. Our challenge is to work with communities to develop innovative programs and services that meet the changing needs of a diverse population.

The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC (ANHBC) builds healthy and engaged neighbourhoods by connecting people and strengthening their capacity to create change.

ANHBC is the legal entity and umbrella organization made up of eight neighbourhood houses, an outdoor camp and central services. We operate more than 300 community-based programs and services for a diversity of participants. At ANHBC, we are committed to Reconciliation, Decolonization and Anti-racism. Together with community, we build strong and supportive relationships at welcoming and inclusive sites throughout Metro Vancouver. To learn more about ANHBC, visit <a href="https://www.anhbc.org">www.anhbc.org</a>.

ANHBC is currently seeking an experienced Junior Kindergarten ECE who shares <u>ANHBC's values</u> to join our Frog Hollow Neighbourhood House team <u>www.froghollow.bc.ca</u>. Neighbourhood houses are highly collaborative with a strong team framework. The right person for this position is passionate about community development, social justice and is values-aligned with our organization.

#### **About You**

We are seeking a highly motivated, passionate, flexible, and compassionate individual to join our dynamic child care team as an Early Childhood Educator in our Junior Kindergarten Program for 3-5 year olds at The Village @ Lord Nelson.

#### **About the Position**

The Junior K Early Childhood Educator is responsible for the provision of an early childhood education program that fosters a positive, and emergent learning environment with a focus on the social and emotional well being of all children. We are an inclusive, multicultural, dynamic and collaborative child care setting which includes working with other educators to plan and implement a progressive and innovative program inspired by the Reggio Emilia approach, BC Early Learning Framework in concert with the values of FHNH. Other responsibilities include developing strong and collaborative relationships and communication with children, families and colleagues. Being part of The Village @ Lord Nelson will also mean that from time to time in the day to day operations, educators may move around to other Village programs to offer support. We are a Learning Centre (<a href="https://www.reggiolearning.ca">www.reggiolearning.ca</a>) with amazing opportunities for professional development and for collaborative efforts with other educators and with the community as a whole.

## **Skills & Qualifications:**

- ECE Certificate
- Ability to provide programming based on the principles of the Reggio Emilia approach and BC's ELF
- Strength in building and maintaining supportive and collaborative partnerships with children of all abilities families, and colleagues .
- Creativity, initiative, flexibility, compassion, sense of joy, and enthusiasm
- Passion for ongoing professional development and growth
- Strong planning, organizational, leadership and communication skills

**Hours:** This is a regular part time position at 32 hours/week, Monday to Friday 8:45 to 2:45 plus weekly meeting and curriculum time.

**Salary & Benefits:** Competitive benefits package including group medical and pension; 3 weeks vacation, sick time, and exceptional professional development opportunities.

Hourly Salary: \$22.88 (Salary Band C2), or Infant Toddler qualifications \$23.21 (Salary Band C3) depending on skills and experience level. This position qualifies for the additional \$6.00 WE.

**Start Date:** As soon as position is filled.

The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC is an equal opportunity employer. Our work is centered on inclusion and equity, to build social connection and to break down discrimination through community building. We strongly encourage applications from people who identify as Black, Indigenous, and People of Colour (BIPOC), individuals with disabilities, and members of the LGBTQIA2S+ communities.

How to Apply: All qualified individuals who share our values are encouraged to apply by Friday June 28 or until position is filled to:

### Anna Cuomo, Director of Children's Centes at annac@froghollow.bc.ca

To help us track our recruitment effort, please indicate in your cover letter where you found this posting. We thank and acknowledge all applicants and will contact those selected for interviews. No phone calls please.

We acknowledge that our houses, camp and central services office are situated on the stolen, traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the Coast Salish people including the Musqueam, Squamish, Semiahmoo, Kwantlen, Tsleil-Waututh, Kwikwetlem, Tsawwassen and Sto:lo Nations.