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Position Announcement

Rocky Mountain Preschool Center Teacher Assistant

Rocky Mountain Development Council's Rocky Mountain Preschool Center is seeking applicants for a part-time Teacher Assistant. This is a part-time position working 16 hours per week between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. The salary for this position is \$10.19.

The Teacher Assistant assists in carrying out goals, policies, and teaching strategies designed to implement educational objectives. This position helps facilitate effective classroom management by providing assistance to classroom staff when and where most needed.

Minimum Qualifications:

KNOWLEDGE OF: Appropriate expectations for young children, child development and developmentally appropriate practices in early childhood education. Demonstrate knowledge of and adhere to the state and federal policies and procedures pertaining to child abuse and neglect.

ABILITIES: Relate well to children; staff and families; is able to follow directions and take initiative; keeps all information on children, families and staff strictly confidential; communicates effectively with children, families and staff; communicates effectively in English, verbally and in writing.

The above knowledge, skills and abilities are typically acquired through a combination of education and experience equivalent to a high school diploma or GED and some experience with preschool children.

MMR and Td/TDap immunizations, and a criminal records check are required prior to hiring. Employee must submit to MT State Child Care Licensing Program requirements which include a criminal background check, Fingerprint check, and Protective Services check.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS: Able to lift a 20-60 pound child, using all safety precautions, able to conduct both indoor and outdoor activities, in both warm and cold temperatures.

<u>Application Process:</u> Applicants must submit a signed, completed Rocky application, resume, and letter of interest. Applications are available from Rocky, www.rmdc.net, and the Helena Job Service. Incomplete application materials will not be processed. Completed application packages **must be submitted to** the Rocky Human Resource Office, PO Box 1717, Helena, MT 59624-1717, (200 Cruse Avenue, Helena, MT 59601). This position is open until filled. EEO