

Canoe Kayak BC – CanoeKids/Learn to Paddle Instructors (2)



Application Deadline: Until Filled **Employment Term:** May 14th – August 31st, 2018

CanoeKayak BC is the Provincial Sport Governing Body that encourages and provides opportunities to enjoy, participate and excel in paddle sports. We are seeking mature and experienced individuals to fill field positions who will lead CanoeKids Day Camps and Learn to Paddle programs in various communities across the province with the following objectives:

- Introduce and promote water safety in an organized environment of FUN while challenging skill development and learning for all
- Treat all participants with equal opportunity and respect
- Promote team building and fair play while encouraging continued involvement in canoe/kayak activities

Duties:

- Work in collaboration with local delivery partners mentoring their support staff
- Ensure safety (aligned with the CanoeKayak Canada Code of Safety) and learning for all participants
- Instruct participants in paddling skills in a variety of boats
- Foster leadership development with participants
- Maintain daily record of participants, activities and accomplishments
- Ensure a positive presence in the host community

Prerequisites:

- Funding for this position is dependent on receipt of a Canada Summer Jobs grant. As such applicants must:
 - Be enrolled in a post-secondary education program with a focus on Business or Public Administration and returning to full-time studies in the fall. Supporting documentation is to be provided with your application;
 - Be between the ages of 15 years and 30 years and legally entitled to work in Canada;
 - Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act

Qualifications:

- CanoeKayak Canada NCCP Community Coach (CanoeKids), Aboriginal Coaching Manual, Canucks Autism Training are minimum qualifications (courses are offered in May and June)
- Leadership, organization and effective communication skills are essential
- Mature, innovative and able to work independently in multiple environments
- Acceptable Criminal Record Check required
- CPR and First Aid certificates

Beneficial

- 10 years driving experience
- Trailer towing experience
- Pleasure Craft Operator Certification
- Event management experience
- Experience in remote regions
- Extensive experience delivering entry level instruction to all ages
- Multidiscipline experience

Salary

- This is a salaried contract position requiring evening and weekend work.
- Salary commensurate with experience.
- Accommodation in the lower mainland and transportation will be required.

Submit your resume, cover letter and references to CanoeKayak BC – gill@canoeKayakbc.ca
We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those being considered will be contacted.