



## Employment Opportunity

### Canada SCORES After School Program Leader (P/T)

#### **About Us:**

[Canada SCORES](#) (CS) is a registered youth development charity that is part of a [North American wide affiliate network](#) that has been positively impacting the lives of children and youth for thirty years. By providing a social and emotional focused learning environment, we play an important role in helping children **find their voice, achieve their goals, and reach their full potential**. Our [free after-school programs](#) combine the game of soccer, the art of poetry, and community service experiences, as well as provide ongoing mentorships, to inspire “Poet-Athletes” to **lead healthy lives, be engaged students, and have the confidence and character to make a difference in the world**.

\*View Canada SCORES Intro Video [here](#).

#### **Job Summary:**

Canada SCORES is seeking reliable, dynamic, and team-oriented Program Leaders to join our team. Our Program Leaders are responsible for leading and implementing the proven curriculum within our FREE after-school programs for elementary school children (grades 3-5). Program curriculum includes instruction in; soccer (basic skills & drills and free play), poetry and the foundational elements of community service learning.

We are currently seeking two (2) Co-Lead staff for a DDSB elementary school located in downtown Oshawa, Ontario.

#### **Main Responsibilities:**

- Support the recruitment and registration of program participants in partnership with school representatives
- Implement the SCORES curriculum (soccer, poetry, and community projects) and supporting ancillary activities as and where appropriate. Program run time is 60 minutes with fifteen minutes of prep time and wrap up time possible each session.
- Maintain daily attendance records of participants
- Distribute, collect, and maintain inventory of all equipment and classroom supplies issued by CS
- Complete season and year-end evaluations (fitness /soccer/poetry assessments, and surveys)
- Chaperone participants to program events as and where appropriate such as; Fall Frenzy, Poetry Slams, Spring Jamboree, and other special events
- Connect with and support parents/guardians as may be required to ensure the success of their children
- Participate in staff meetings and training sessions related to onboarding as well as regular check in meetings with the organization



### **Qualifications and Requirements:**

- Must be at least 19 years of age
- Knowledge of or experience in working with children, social and emotional learning, physical literacy, group management, behavior management, and counseling
- Experience in planning and leading activities for groups of children in a recreational setting
- Cultural and social sensitivity that embraces multiculturalism, inclusivity and diversity
- Exceptional interpersonal, communication, and organizational skills
- Hold a valid Driver's License (preferred)
- Access to a vehicle (preferred)
- Current criminal record and vulnerable sector record check (or willing to consent)
- Current first aid certification (or willing to certify)

### **Hours of Work and Compensation:**

This is a part-time contract position working weekday afternoon shifts at a Downtown Oshawa elementary public school (must be available on Monday & Wednesday between 3:05 pm and 4:35 pm with flexibility around additional days – likely Friday - due to unforeseen schedule changes and periodic Holiday Monday closures). The hourly wage starts at \$21 per hour. This position will run from October (2024) to early June (2025) with appropriate breaks in observance of school holiday closures.

Canada SCORES welcomes diversity and encourages all qualified individuals to apply by submitting their cover letter and resume to [toronto@canadascores.org](mailto:toronto@canadascores.org). We thank all applicants for their interest and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted. This position is only open to those legally entitled to work in Canada.

For more detailed information on Canada SCORES and the expansion of Canada SCORES Toronto into the Greater Toronto Area, please contact Executive Director, Nick Taylor at [nick@canadascores.org](mailto:nick@canadascores.org) or by telephone at 416-400-1510.