# PARKWAY-ROCKWOOD COMMUNITY EDUCATION JOB DESCRIPTION ADVENTURE CLUB ASSISTANT FACILITATOR

POSITION TITLE: Adventure Club Assistant Facilitator

STATUS: 12 Month – Full Time/School Term/Part Time/Summer-Part Time

REPORTS TO: Site Facilitator

POSITION SUMMARY: Assists site Facilitator in coordinating and supervising the

activities of children and staff.

### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

- 1. Ability to establish an encouraging, caring, and safe environment for children within program guidelines and procedures.
- 2. Ability to assume the responsibilities of the Facilitator when the Facilitator is absent.
- 3. Ability to communicate clearly and effectively.
- 4. Ability to work collaboratively with children, families, department staff, other district personnel, and the community.
- 5. Ability to demonstrate respect and sensitivity to the individual needs of families.
- 6. Ability to supervise, train and support program staff.
- 7. Ability to judge when situations and/or information should be called to the attention of the supervisor.
- 8. Ability to work a flexible schedule which at times includes, early, late, and weekend hours.
- 9. Ability to interact with children on their level bending, stooping, lifting, and sitting on the floor.
- 10. Ability to mentor within established parameters.

# JOB RESPONSIBILTIES:

- 1. Follows established guidelines to assure safety and accountability.
- 2. Manage site operations as needed, including accountability of all children in attendance.
- 3. Creates an encouraging and safe environment for children.
- 4. Models for staff and/or communicates with staff in order to train in appropriate safety measures and interactions with children.
- 5. Assists Facilitators to maintain submit records as required.
- 6. Directs staff to carry out all essential drills as required.
- 7. Maintains a clean orderly site.
- 8. Assures that parents and families are greeted daily and appropriate information is communicated.
- 9. Directs staff in maintenance of Adventure Club areas and supplies.
- 10. Obtains 12 hours of inservice:
  - a. Completes modules as required.
  - b. Attends appropriate workshops and conferences.
  - c. Presents at conferences.
- 11. Implements activity plans developed by the Facilitator.
- 12. Participates in assigned committee work.
- 13. Attends staff meetings, trainings, and site events as required.

- 14. Assist Facilitator to observe and evaluate Activity Assistants and Activity Aides under their supervision..
- 15. Directs and supervises volunteers.
- 16. Works Early Dismissal, Late Start, Holidays and non-school days as required.
- 17. Other duties as assigned.

# **BASIC REQUIREMENTS**:

### ASSISTANT FACILITATOR:

- 1. College degree preferred, but not mandatory.
- 2. 2 years' experience working with children in a similar setting required.
- 3. Demonstrate ability to plan and implement developmentally appropriate activities.
- 4. Demonstrate ability to supervise staff and implement policies and procedures at the site.
- 5. Demonstrate ability to assume responsibility, respect confidentiality and demonstrates patience and compassion with school-age children.

### ASSISTANT FACILITATOR TIER 1

- 1. H.S. Diploma or GED
- 2. 18 months experience with children in a similar setting required.
- 3. 6 credit hours: Child and Youth Development (3) and other areas related to SAC programming (3)
- 4. Demonstrate ability to plan and implement developmentally appropriate activities.
- 5. Demonstrate ability to supervise staff and implement policies and procedures at site.
- 6. Demonstrate ability to assume responsibility, respect confidentiality and demonstrate patience and compassion with school-age children.

# **ASSISTANT FACILITATOR TIER 2**

- 1. AA Degree or two years of college or equivalent.
- 2. 9 months experience working with children in a similar setting required.
- 3. 3 credit hours: child and youth development (3)
- 4. Demonstrate ability to plan and implement developmentally appropriate activities.
- 5. Demonstrate ability to supervise staff and implement policies and procedures at site.
- 6. Demonstrate ability to assume responsibility, respect confidentiality and demonstrate patience and compassion with school-age children.