

Recreation Services Community Play Specialists – Team Lead

The **Municipality of the County of Kings** is a community of communities, both urban and rural, offering an exceptional lifestyle to residents. As a division of Community Development, Recreation Services staff are dedicated to improving and promoting park, leisure, and recreational opportunities for all and to support residents and communities in active living throughout the Region through Leisure Education, Recreation Programs, celebrating Volunteer, Advocacy, Leadership Development, Communication, Financial Assistance and Cooperative Efforts with other Stakeholders.

Our commitment is to be a diverse and inclusive workforce representative of the communities we serve at all job levels. If you think you are up for the challenge, we invite you to consider joining us in our mission of providing municipal services to residents, businesses, and organizations in a friendly, effective, and innovative manner.

We encourage applications from Indigenous People, Persons of African Descent, and other Racially Visible Persons, Persons Living with Disabilities, Gender Diverse Persons, and members of other historically underrepresented communities. While we recognize the inherent difficulty of doing so, if you are a member of a traditionally excluded or marginalized community, you are encouraged to self-identify in your cover letter or your resume.

Work term: June 2, 2025 – August 29, 2025 (Some flexibility may be negotiated with term end date.)

Wage: \$19.50 per hour

Hours: Monday to Friday 8:30am – 4:30pm (35 hrs/week. Occasional evening or weekend work will be

required.)

Community Play Specialists Team Lead: Reporting to both a Recreation Coordinator and the Recreation Intern, the Community Play Specialist Team Lead will work collaboratively to plan and deliver youth day camps and mini camps in various locations throughout July & August. In addition to leading these camps, they will spearhead engaging community play activities for all ages throughout Kings County during the summer months. Responsibilities of the Lead include overseeing two Play Specialists and ensuring the safety of participants, interacting with parents/guardians, and collaborating with the Municipality's recreation staff, and performing any other duties as required to support the smooth operation of the camps and community play activities.

The ideal Play Specialist Team Lead will be a great communicator who is also an outgoing, patient, compassionate and creative high school or post-secondary student. Having prior experience in a leadership role working with youth is considered an asset.

To apply, please merge your cover letter and resume into one document and email Cathy Nichols, Human Resources Manager at workhere@countyofkings.ca by **4:30pm Friday, February 21, 2025.**

To provide an equitable experience for all candidates, the Municipality is happy to offer accommodation, adjustments, and changes throughout our recruitment process. Persons who anticipate needing accommodations for any part of the recruitment process may contact, in confidence, workhere@countyofkings.ca.

Any offer of employment is conditional upon the completion of all applicable reference and background checks.

We thank all applicants for their time and effort in applying, however, only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.