SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

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RECREATION LEADER: Recreation leaders will lead small groups of children, ages 6-12, in becoming confident and competent as individuals and group members in outdoor park settings. The daily schedule will include games and crafts, team-building initiatives as well as outdoor sports games and activities. The program also includes weekly field trips and field days.

Responsibilities:
- Plan and implement appropriate daily schedule of activities for designated age group each week.
- Lead groups of youth in outdoor games and activities.
- Assist site coordinator in keeping site clean, organized, and free of litter.
- Assist site coordinator in maintaining accurate program records including incident reports, logbook documentation, and daily attendance.
- Enforce, and follow all safety guidelines associated with the program. Protect the health, safety and welfare of all participants.

Participate in comprehensive staff training prior to program's commence, as well as weekly planning meetings.
- Be a role model for participants by following all policies and demonstrating enthusiasm, sense of humor, and self-control
- Dynamically deliver and facilitate activities that maintain physical and emotional safety of participants.

Qualifications:
- Minimum age of 17 years.
- Previous experience working with children preferred.
- Hard-working, dedicated, energetic.
- Timely, reliable and committed to working both cooperatively and independently.
- Ability to maintain a positive attitude while being physically active all day.
- Experience confronting adversity and persevering.
- Ability to work hard and maintain positive attitude, despite the emotional responses of youth in outdoor settings.