



STAGE DIRECTORS

SUMMER YOUTH THEATRE PROGRAM

Anticipated Start Date: June 20, 2023
Contract Length: 8 weeks
Hours per Week: 35 hours
Number of Positions: 2

OLT is looking for YOU! A dynamic, well-organized, passionate person who is experienced in youth education and all aspects of theatrical production to serve as Stage Directors for our highly regarded Summer Youth Theatre Program. The Summer Youth Theatre Program operates for 6 weeks during the months of July and August.

The Stage Directors will work within the construct of a three-session theatre education summer program and will be responsible for leading our technical directors, theatre staff and youth participants through a series of educational seminars, workshops, and exploratory rehearsals designed to inspire and intrigue, as well as to develop theatrical and life skills. They will aid in recruitment of youth for the educational program and ensure the safety, security and occupation of participants at all times as well as ensuring that participants and their guardians adhere to all current health and safety guidelines while on site. They will work together with the education director, program director and general manager with regards to the usage of any theatre-owned equipment and materials. They will work within the given budget and content guidelines to create and deliver excellent programming for those enrolled in each session of the program and will present a final written report on each session to the Education Director.

Oshawa Little Theatre provides education and mentorship opportunities to children and youth through performance and technical theatre programs, which operate year-round. Oshawa Little Theatre provides volunteer and educational opportunities for interested parties of all ages in all areas of theatre development. Oshawa Little Theatre's educational programming supports youth in our community. We provide theatrical training and employment opportunities without bias and welcome those who self-identify as disabled, minority, special needs and LGBTQ2+. We are officially recognized within our community as a leader in youth programming and support.

To apply, please send a resume and detailed cover letter to the Director of Education and Equality, Diversity and Inclusion, Miguel Esteban, at mesteban@oshawalittletheatre.com

The deadline to apply is midnight, May 28, 2023. Interviews will be conducted via Zoom during the week of May 29th and June 5th.

Oshawa Little Theatre is an inclusive working environment and welcomes applications from all qualified candidates. We actively encourage applications from members of groups with historical and/or current barriers to equity including those from Indigenous Peoples, Black and other racialized people, people with disabilities, people from gender and sexually diverse communities, linguistic minorities in their respective province/territory, and/or people with intersectional identities. If you need any accommodation pertaining to accessibility throughout the application or interview process, please do not hesitate to make a request. Thank you to all applicants – however only those selected for an interview will be contacted. For more information on Oshawa Little Theatre – please visit our website: www.oshawalittletheatre.com

Qualifications

This job is part of the Canada Summer Jobs Program. As per the requirements of the program, candidates need to meet the following criteria. Please ensure you review the below before applying:

- Be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
- Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment;
- Have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations;
- The candidate must be 15 years of age at the beginning of the employment period. The youth may be more than 30 years of age at the end of the employment period, as long as the youth was 30 at the beginning of the employment period;
- International students are not eligible participants. International students include anyone who is temporarily in Canada for studies and who is not a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person who has been granted refugee status in Canada. Youth awaiting a refugee status ruling, as well as those who hold a temporary visitor visa, youth visa or work visa are ineligible. As the objective of the Canada Summer Jobs program is to support youth entering the Canadian labour market, the temporary nature of an international student's time in Canada does not allow for a long-term connection to the labour market.