### Childcare Lead Teacher and Teacher Toddler Room

We are looking for Early Childhood Educators to join our team who are passionate to teach! If you love dramatic play, science experiments, creating art projects and playing with children we have a great opportunity for you in our toddler program. We offer a fun and creative work environment, a family focused mentality, and a team-oriented staff. Teachers must love to see children learn and grow.

The Childcare Lead Teacher serves as the primary teacher for our children and will develop appropriate activities according to the classroom schedule. They will also ensure a physically and emotionally safe environment in which our children are nurtured.

Education is an important factor in choosing a candidate; however, a love for children is paramount. Therefore, we will train the right person.

We are looking for reliable, dedicated, and positive teachers to work with us at St. Mary Childcare.

### Lead Teacher Full job description:

#### **Duties:**

- Assist in the development and implementation of age-appropriate plans and activities for preschool and toddlers.
- Create and lead activities that promote participation and engagement
- Assist with behavior management strategies and techniques to promote positive behavior in the classroom
- Supervise and engage children in educational activities, both indoors and outdoors
- Assist with daily routines, including mealtime, naptime, and bathroom breaks
- Maintain a clean and organized classroom environment
- Communicate positively

#### Qualifications:

- ➤ High school diploma or equivalent required; Associate's degree in Early Childhood Education preferred
- Previous experience working in a daycare or preschool setting required
- Knowledge of activity planning and implementation for young children
- Knowledge of general child growth and development and developmentally appropriate activities for children required
- Familiarity with behavior management techniques
- > Ability to effectively communicate and collaborate with parents, staff, and children

- Patience, compassion, and a genuine love for working with young children
- > A state-required criminal background check will be performed prior to working
- > Infant/Child CPR & AED certified within 3 months of hire
- Complete the Safe Environment Training required by the Archdiocese of Milwaukee

### **Physical Requirements:**

- ➤ Employees are required to frequently stand, walk, climb, stoop, kneel, crouch, and sit on the floor with the children
- ➤ The employee must be able to lift or move up to 30 pounds
- ➤ The employee must be able to perform CPR or first aid.

#### Schedule:

- > 6-8 hour shifts
- Flexible schedule
- All major holidays off
- ➤ Hours of operation 5:30 am 5:30 pm Monday through Friday
- > The week of Christmas off
- No weekends or evenings

#### **Benefits:**

- > Earned paid time off
- Employee discounted tuition

## **Job Types:**

Full-time or Part-time

# Pay:

> \$13.50 - \$15.00 per hour depending on education and experience