

Education Associate Job Description Lexington Children's Theatre Posted: August 22, 2024

Position: Education Associate (August 2024 to May 2025)

Reports To: Education Director

Compensation: Work 28 hours a week for \$15 an hour

FLSA: Non-exempt

Preferred Start Date: August 30, 2024

## **About Lexington Children's Theatre:**

Lexington Children's Theatre's (LCT) mission is to create imaginative and compelling theatre experiences for young people and families. Our vision is to impart, explore, foster, and develop artistry at all levels and ages in every theatrical discipline and educational opportunity through inclusive, diverse, equitable, and accessible programming and practice.

Now in its 86th season, Lexington Children's Theatre is proud to be Kentucky's state youth theatre, serving over 120,000 young people and families each season. LCT remains deeply committed to arts accessibility, offering diverse, engaging, and imaginative stories that inspire and educate. As we continue to present live performances in our theatre and travel to schools across the state with touring performances, we emphasize the power of storytelling. Our productions aim to enrich the lives of young people, fostering creativity and supporting a brighter future for all.

## About the position:

The Education Associate teaches classes, directs performance workshops, assists with Outreach, LCT's Companies programs, and assists in writing Play Guides. We ask that Teaching Artists have a love of young people, an interest in Theatre for Young Audiences, and are excited about teaching. The Education Associate will report to the Education Director and have training in bringing the arts alive to the young people of Central Kentucky.

## **Associate Position Benefits:**

- **Compensation:** \$15 per hour for 28 hours of work per week.
- **Housing:** Townhouses located about a mile away are available for \$75 per week. These include laundry facilities, internet access, and all utilities paid.

## Time Off:

- 1 guaranteed day off per week
- o 7 paid holidays per year
- o 28 vacation hours annually
- o 2 personal days
- o 3 sick days
- o Approximately two weeks of paid time off over Winter break.
- **Community:** LCT fosters a collaborative environment where team members mentor each other's artistry.

**To Apply:** Applicants interested in applying for this position must email a cover letter, resume, three references, and a sample lesson plan to: <a href="mailto:lct.hiring@gmail.com">lct.hiring@gmail.com</a>.

Should you advance to a finalist for this position, successful completion of background screening will be required, including references.

No phone calls please.

Lexington Children's Theatre is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified candidates will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, class, religion, country of origin, political belief, (dis)ability, age, gender identity, sexual orientation, protected veteran status, or any factor protected by law. Members of underrepresented groups are encouraged to apply.