



Art Instructor – After School Program Job Opening (Part Time)

The Valley Community Association is a non-profit, multi-faceted human service agency that provides services and programs to the residents of the Buffalo River Community. Services include child care, youth programs, senior citizen activities, family support services, and neighborhood beautification projects.

The Valley's nationally recognized "Striving For Excellence" After School Program is seeking a part time Art Instructor for the 2019-2020 school year. The position runs Monday through Friday, 3pm-6pm, from September 6th, 2019 until June 25th, 2020 in accordance with the Buffalo Public Schools calendar. The successful candidate must be available for the entirety of the program time (Monday-Friday, 3pm-6pm).

The successful candidate should have previous experience working with youth in grades K-8 as an Art Instructor and will be responsible for working with small and medium size groups of children of various abilities and interests. The Art Instructor will need to correlate all lessons and projects to the New York Standards for Art Education and create fun, engaging, hands-on projects.

The successful candidate should be a NYS Certified Art Teacher, a graduate school college student pursuing a degree in Art Education, OR have a compelling background in working with youth in high quality, art instruction settings.

The rate of pay varies from \$13.00-\$18.00/hour, commensurate with experience and credentials.

The successful candidate must also undergo a criminal and child abuse background check as well as have a current physical and negative TB test and must take part in mandatory trainings.

Cover letters AND resumes are part of the application process and BOTH are required in order to be considered for the position. Cover letters and resumes can be emailed as Word or PDF attachments to Lori Overdorf, Director of Youth Services at LOverdorf@thevalleycenter.com or mailed to Ms. Overdorf's attention at the Valley Community Center, 93 Leddy Street, Buffalo, New York 14210.

No phone calls please.