

THEATRE CAMP INSTRUCTOR SUMMER CONTRACT POSITION

The Capitol Theatre is seeking an experienced Theatre/Performance Educator for our Musical Theatre summer camp program, Camp Capitol. Reporting to the Camp Coordinator, this position will work with staff and students to teach classes, music, choreography, acting, and staging to culminate in a performance for friends and family of the camp participants. The ideal candidate for this position is energetic, artistic, and interested in working with young people. This position requires a great attitude and ability to work with young people of various ages to create a positive summer theatre experience.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Responsible for choreographing and staging 2-3 songs and scenes per week.
- Act as a leader for large groups of children and teens – many of which are being introduced to the performing arts for the first time.
- Create age-appropriate choreography, staging and dialogue
- Work closely with Education Coordinator and other Capitol Theatre staff to help create a fun and uplifting experience for students

NECESSARY QUALIFICATIONS

- Looking for a teacher with both classroom experience and experience in the performing arts.
- Good classroom management skills, especially with redirecting excitable behavior while still promoting a fun and encouraging environment.
- A background – whether amateur or professional – in the performing arts with knowledge of basic to intermediate theatre, dance and voice and comfortable with creating basic scripts and staging
- Ability to maintain focus-driven classes so that students learn the needed material within the corresponding timeframe.
- Must be reliable with excellent time management skills.
- Must be able to pass a standard background/vulnerable sector check
- Minimum age must 19 years or older

SCHEDULE & COMPENSATION

- Sunday, August 7 - Monday, August 22 (Off Aug 13, 14, 20, 21): 8:30am - 5pm
- \$750/week + prep and opportunity to supervise before and after care

To submit: Please email your letter of interest detailing your background as well as a resume (include a performance or directing/choreography resume in addition if you have one).

Send your submissions to camp@capitoltheatre.com **by July 1, 2022.**

ABOUT THE CAPITOL

The National Historically Designated Cameco Capitol Arts Centre is located just 1 hour from Toronto in beautiful and historic Port Hope. One of Canada's first "Talking Picture Houses," built in 1930 and in operation as a multi-entertainment venue since 1995, the Capitol has enjoyed growth over the past five years and is poised for the next chapter in its evolution.

The Capitol Theatre is a not-for-profit organization which produces professional theatre in a small community setting. Our professional productions are the core of our operations, but we also present live music, film, HD MetOpera, and community performances throughout the year in two distinct theatre spaces.

We are looking to build an all-star team, so if you possess a vibrant personality, strong skills with children, and have a passion for bringing new ideas forward and working towards a common goal, apply for this opportunity!