

Kweebus - Job offer: nature educator - English speaking - Part time

Kweebus, a Montessori school in the forest located in Beersel (Belgium), is recruiting for September 2021 an English-speaking nature educator to supervise children aged between 2.5 and 12 years old in collaboration with a Montessori educator and about twenty children.

Founded in 2018 the Kweebus Montessori School is a small structure that currently welcomes about fifteen children aged between 2.5 and 6 years old. For the start of the 2021 school year, Kweebus is creating primary classes and opening a second class in a yurt in the forest.

Aiming at the blossoming of each child's personality, our pedagogical approach favors the autonomy of the students and their creative spirit, without neglecting the essential acquisitions:

- To help each child in his personal construction to give the best of himself,
- To encourage the child to show generosity, tolerance and responsibility,
- To encourage children to cooperate with each other and to stimulate mutual aid,
- Stimulate the children's curiosity, desire to learn and thirst for knowledge,
- To develop the self-confidence of each child.

Job description and missions

We are looking for a person who is passionate about nature and enjoys working in a team to accompany about twenty children aged 2.5 to 12 years in their discovery of the environment. Through your skills and your pedagogical actions, you will consolidate the children's self-confidence, reflection, and autonomy. You awaken their natural curiosity in the most benevolent way.

Your actions are in accordance with the principles of Montessori pedagogy, those of the Forest School, and respect the values that founded the school.

You will be supported in this mission by the director and our team of educators.

Skills and qualities

- You have knowledge in the field of the environment
- You know the Montessori method and its main principles
- You have experience in childcare and you practice positive education
- You like to spend your days outside, regardless of the weather
- You speak English (native)
- You are able to propose activities in line with the values of the association (e.g. discovery of local biodiversity, awareness of waste reduction, taking care of nature, listening to and recognizing birds, etc.)

- You know how to create educational tools to prepare animations
- You are in good physical condition
- You are dynamic, autonomous and caring
- You work on the continuous improvement of your skills
- You are able to analyze the needs of the children with a caring attitude
- You enjoy working in a team in a spirit of listening, caring and collegiality
- You wish to be part of a school association project in the medium or long term

Training

- Diploma in the field of animation or pedagogy
- Trained or able to prove skills in the field of the Environment
- Driving license B

Offer

Part time position (possibility of full time)
10 month renewable contract
Schedule: every afternoon from Monday to Friday from 12:30 to 16:30
Salary according to the scale
Please send your resume and cover letter to the following address: info@kweebus.be