

To Apply:

Email PlayAnywhere@PlayhouseMerced.org

Subject Line: ATTN:PLAY ANYWHERE

Include:

Please include resume, current availability, and a brief statement of why you are interested in the position.

Play Anywhere is a two week traveling after school program that services schools throughout Merced County. During the two week process, Play Anywhere Instructors hold auditions, cast a show, and lead rehearsals. At the end of the second week, the students get to perform for their teachers, fellow students, friends and loved ones!

Position Title: Play Anywhere Instructor

Job Classification: Part-Time/Hourly

Reports To: Education Director, Lead Outreach Instructor, Office Manager, Producing Artistic Director

Summary of Position:

Provide excellent service and communication with students, teachers, and administrators, while teaching basic music theory, fundamentals of vocal technique, movement through choreography, and stage direction in a show with 15-80 students at a variety of school locations. During school breaks and off weeks, assists facilities, box office, and conservatory for ongoing or upcoming projects as needed.

A Play Anywhere Instructor:

Knows the show intimately

Supports and works as a team with other staff members

Works well with different personality types

Takes initiative, is self-motivated, task-oriented, and organized

Directs, teaches simple music and choreography, while providing support to their team member(s)

Can think quickly and critically when in new situations or presented with obstacles

Understand basic light and sound equipment and can set up and break down equipment during load in and load out, as well as run lights and sound during any and all shows (training provided)

Follows both Playhouse Merced and individual school site rules and regulations

Hours and Schedule:

13-22 hours during school bookings, 8-10 hours during school breaks.
School bookings normally take place in the afternoons any time from 1:00pm-6:00pm; Tech Days (Thursdays) and Show Days (Fridays) have some morning hours.

Minimum Qualifications:

Education: High School Diploma or Equivalent

Experience:

- One or more years of volunteer or paid experience working with elementary school aged children (teacher assistant, child care, instructional aide)
- One to two years of theatre experience (education, technical, acting, singing, dance, stage crew, etc.)

Other:

- Must be able to lift up to 30 lbs
- Must have reliable means of transportation and valid California driver's license

Desirable Qualifications:

Education: Associates Degree

Skills: Bilingual