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# **Dance/Hip Hop Instructor (Recreation Instructor)**

Cheviot Hills Recreation Center is a vibrant community focused on the art of movement, self-expression, and connection through dance. We offer a variety of classes designed to inspire creativity, build confidence, and foster a love of dance in students of all ages and skill levels.

## **Description of Duties:**

We are looking for a talented and enthusiastic Dance/Hip-Hop Instructor to join our team. The ideal candidate will have a strong background in hip-hop dance and a passion for teaching, with the ability to inspire and energize students. You'll create a fun and inclusive learning environment that helps students develop their skills while building confidence and expressing themselves through movement.

## Key Responsibilities:

- Teach engaging and high-energy hip-hop dance classes for students of various ages and experience levels.
- Create choreography and lesson plans tailored to the skill levels of your classes.
- Provide clear instruction on dance techniques, rhythm, and movement.
- Foster a positive and inclusive environment where students feel encouraged and supported.
- Prepare students for performances, showcases, or recitals as needed.
- Stay current with hip-hop dance trends and incorporate fresh choreography into classes.

### Available Hours:

Weekdays between 9am and 9pm. Seasonal and flexible schedules are available, with weekly hours ranging from 1-10 per 8-week class session, depending on the programs, responsibilities, and availability. Programs will be created and offered based on candidate's availability.

### **Qualifications:**

Strong background in hip-hop dance, with the ability to teach additional styles (preferred but not required). Prior experience teaching dance classes or leading choreography. Energetic, motivational, and passionate about dance and teaching. Strong communication and interpersonal skills to effectively engage with children, parents, and colleagues. Ability to inspire and motivate students of all ages and abilities. Must have strong customer service ability and the capability to take initiative and lead activities. Must be able to correspond over the phone and via email. Experience working with a variety of personalities. Work independently and collaboratively as needed. Creative and adaptable teaching style, with the ability to adjust lessons to meet the needs of different learners. Ability to problem solve and be flexible to last minute changes. Willingness to follow directions, be on time, and be reliable. First Aid & CPR certification is a plus, but not required. Patience, creativity, and enthusiasm for teaching.

**To Apply:** Send Resume to:

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Last Day to Apply: Tuesday, June 30th, 2025