

## Musical Theatre Instructor(s): Granville Island

Part-Time (employment dependent on enrollment)

Arts Umbrella is where young artists ages 2–22 cultivate their creativity in Dance, Theatre, and Visual Arts. As a non-profit organization for arts education, we believe that art is powerful. Powerful enough to change kids' lives in incredible ways. When young people connect with the arts, they gain self-confidence, develop self-discipline, and discover creative expression—things they carry with them for life. Arts Umbrella has four locations in Vancouver and Surrey, as well as donor-funded programs at schools, community centres, neighbourhood houses, and healthcare facilities across Metro Vancouver. We reach close to 21,000 students every year, with nearly 80% participating at little to no cost.

Now celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> year, Arts Umbrella will be moving into the South Building of the former Emily Carr University of Art + Design on Granville Island in late 2020. This exceptional opportunity will allow Arts Umbrella to further our vision for a better world where all young lives are inspired to pursue a lifelong journey towards self-expression, compassion, and humanity. It is our mission to be Canada's leader in arts education for young people; to build community and deliver profound life experiences through our commitment to innovation, excellence, and inclusivity. Arts Umbrella is an organization full of heart, where self-expression and creativity are valued and nurtured.

## The opportunity

Reporting to the Associate Artistic Director of Theatre & Music and the Manager of Program Operations, Program Instructors are responsible for the design and implementation of programming in their specific discipline. This includes the following:

- Preparation of term overviews in collaboration with Co-Instructor, developing a thorough understanding of related curriculum documents, and an ability to implement positive student engagement techniques in the classroom.
- Program Instructors are also required to work as a part of the team in implementing Arts Umbrella's unique and creative vision and communicate this to students and parents.

Available classes (dependent on enrollment)

Sundays:	•	6-8yrs Musical Theatre (Sessional), 12:30-2:00pm
	•	6-8yrs Musical Theatre (Sessional) 2:15-3:45pm
	•	9-12 yrs Musical Theatre (Sessional), 4:00-6:00pm

## **About you**

Candidates will have an extensive performing arts background and teaching experience in Theatre/Musical Theatre, preferably with post-secondary training in Performing Arts or related discipline (with specific training in music/voice, dance and acting). Candidates have proven ability to inspire creativity in children and youth and have an understanding of Arts Umbrella's vision and mission, and can demonstrate the Standards for Instruction in their current practice.

## How to apply

If you would like to make a difference in the lives of kids & teens in Metro Vancouver, and just love everything about Musical Theatre, please forward your resume and cover letter in one document to <a href="mailto:job@artsumbrella.com">job@artsumbrella.com</a>, indicating **Musical Theatre Instructor** in the subject line. We will review resumes as they arrive and schedule interviews when appropriate. Arts Umbrella thanks all applicants for their interest and advises that only those selected for an interview will be contacted. **No phone calls please.**