

Volunteer Opportunity

We are looking for students currently taking second or third year courses with the goal of applying to the Masters of OT or Physio program starting in September 2017 or 2018. (Our current volunteers have all been accepted to Grad or Med school!)

We are looking for someone to start volunteering as soon as possible with our verbal, very fun and engaging 9 year old son, who has developmental delay and mild to moderate autism. Tasks will primarily be focused on fine and gross motor skills, as well as physical literacy. He has been responding wonderfully to his ABA therapy, is a fast learner and loves school & his home based sessions.

Sessions will be on a Saturday or Sunday morning, 9am-12pm or a weekday afternoon 3.30/4pm - 6pm. (may be flexible with the times)

We live in Dunbar, close to # 25, #22 and #7 bus routes

Successful candidates will be working under our the guidance of our Occupational Therapist and/or Physiotherapist, and would need to be available to meet with them periodically usually on a weekday afternoon for guidance and instruction.

Candidate must be willing to commit till at least June 2017 for the above-mentioned sessions, and be serious about working regular weekly sessions, with the exception of long weekends and holidays.

Following is required:

- * outgoing and fun personality*
- * passion for helping kids achieve the most possible*
- * 21 years of age, or older*
- * must provide two contactable references*
- * completely fluent in English*
- * previous ABA experience or work with young children preferred*

If you are interested in this position, please reply with a cover letter and resume to Anne-Maree Fortes amfortes.elijah@gmail.com.

Only those considered for an interview will be contacted.

Thank you.