

FACT SHEET

Young Children's Center for the Arts
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Population served – young typical and atypical children (6 mos-6 years)

Internship experience – Interns can expect to run primarily group sessions (2 hours of group sessions in AM and 1 hour of group sessions in PM) with the opportunity to run one individual session. Interns can also expect to work 1:1 with our children with special needs. Our facility is open from 7:30-5:30pm Monday-Friday. Our full time interns typically work 9:00-5:00pm every day while our clinical placement students have the option of 9:00-5:00pm 1-2 days a week or 8:00-12:30pm or 12:30-5:30pm.

Entry level requirements/competencies – Interns should be able to demonstrate a basic foundation on the piano, guitar and voice. Interns should be able to demonstrate knowledge of standard children's songs. Interns should be able to demonstrate basic knowledge of early child development (6 mos-6 years old). Interns need to demonstrate dependability(no repeated absences) and professionalism (appropriate attire and interactions with parents/students and staff). The first requirement from our interns is to compose an original hello and goodbye song.

Entry level requirements will be evaluated during an on-site visit.

Professional Staff – Music Therapists, Dance Movement Therapist, Art Teacher, Recreational Therapist, Special Instructors, Early Childhood Teachers, Administrators

On-site Training Programs – Recreational Therapy Interns – Temple University; Occupational Therapy Interns – Salus University; Dance Movement Therapy Interns – Drexel University

On-site Student Training Programs – Fire Safety, CPR/First Aid Training, staff meetings

Housing is not offered. Transportation via car (street parking), via bus, via train.

State specific administrative requirement: Staff Health Assessment with proof of Mantoux test; Child Abuse Clearance; FBI Fingerprints; Criminal History Clearance; Two Letters of Recommendation; Copy of High School Diploma; Copy of Driver's License or Nondriver's License; Copy of Unofficial College Transcripts; Disclosure Statement(filled out on site); and Staff Data Sheet(filled out on site)