

# Camp Rodef Shalom

## EXTENDED DAY SUPERVISOR



**Location:** Temple Rodef Shalom Falls Church, VA

**Reports to:** Camp Director

### Background

Camp Rodef Shalom is a Jewish day camp in the heart of Falls Church, Virginia with over 50 years of history. With campers ranging in age from 4 to 15 years old, we offer a wide variety of activities and trips throughout the summer. Camp Rodef Shalom values inclusion and supports both campers and staff.

### Position Summary:

Camp Rodef Shalom is seeking an energetic, enthusiastic and fun Extended Day Supervisor to join our Leadership Team this summer! **This position is perfect for someone taking classes in the morning or who has a second job.** Extended day supervisor works with all extended day staff to ensure an amazing summer experience for all our campers. They are an integral part of our Leadership Team and coordinate, plan and assist in leading all activities which occur after camp hours. The extended day supervisor must be able to lead, be a role model, problem solve, work as a team member, mentor and excite while ensuring all campers are staff, participating fully and enjoying camp!

### Qualifications:

- Must be 21; high school degree or equivalent and prior work experience required, teaching experience a plus
- Experience working with children and an understanding of age-appropriate programming and lesson planning is required
- First aid and CPR training is required (training will be provided by camp)
- Must be a team-player able to: multitask, manage time efficiently, effectively problem solve
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills: comfort communicating with parents
- Model compassion, empathy, and support. Exhibit daily flexibility in line with our informal, social, and highly-spirited camp culture, as it differs greatly from school culture.
- Must be able to participate in physical activity for the duration of the camp day: consistently be on your feet, be outside in heat and sun, participate in activities, etc.

### Essential Responsibilities:

- Staff Supervision: motivate, energize, mentor extended day counselors: create a positive working environment, communicate and delegating jobs, ensure an appropriate ratio of campers at all times, praise positive staff behavior and manage undesired staff behavior in positive ways, conduct written evaluations and assist in leading staff training, etc.
- Develop and implement an afternoon schedule: complete with exciting age appropriate activities and projects based around themes, free play activities, crafts, sports, etc.
- Partner with staff to meet the individual needs of all campers, especially those who struggle to adjust to the camp community and provide extra support to campers when needed and ensure safety
- Maintain communication with camp families
- Be an active member of the leadership team including participating in pre-camp meetings.