

Placement Role (Title): Ultimate Frisbee School Ambassador/Coach

Host Description: North Bay Ultimate Association and West Ferris Secondary School

Placement Service Times: Through May 2019. To be negotiated with host based on school practice schedule.

Purpose: Students will gain valuable leadership experience working with the North Bay area Ultimate coaches and athletes. Placement students will work at West Ferris Secondary, training under a physical educator and head coach to develop, deliver, evaluate and debrief the performance of school aged athletes (grade 7-12). Placement students will be mentored as ultimate ambassadors to grade 7-12 schools and help coach the West Ferris Secondary School junior boy's team for the month of May.

Placement Duties:

As Youth Ultimate Ambassador

- Collaborate with North Bay Ultimate League to promote both curricular and club youth engagement in the sport of Ultimate Frisbee
- Connect with area schools under the direction of West Ferris teacher Sean Madigan to promote the sport of Ultimate in North Bay
- Work to reduce barriers to participation in the sport for underserviced populations

As Assistant Coach of Junior Boys Ultimate Team at West Ferris High School

- Assist head coach Sean Madigan with team selection, practices and games
- Work with beginner athletes to assess and improve individual skill level
- Collaborate with all members of the school coaching staff to deliver safe and effective instruction
- Arrive early for practice to assist with set up of space and equipment
- Provide feedback to head coach regarding the training sessions following delivery
- Report any injuries or near misses to coach immediately for documentation
- Provide instruction on technical cues for advanced athletes
- Research and be aware of specific risk management guidelines (OPHEA) around the activity

Placement Eligibility Requirements: Placement students must be flexible, able to work independently. Interest in continuing studies in education or coaching recommended. Some exposure to the sport of Ultimate Frisbee is considered an asset, although it is not essential to consideration for the role. Valid police check and CPR Level C/FA required.

Deadline to Apply: April 19th, 2019

Number of Students Accommodated within placement: (minimum 50 hours): 1

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