

## **Summer Camp Horseback Riding Staff**

Circle R Ranch is a year-round outdoor education centre located 8 km west of London, ON. Its mission is to connect people with nature through outdoor recreation and experiential learning. It is a place to make great friends and memories that will last forever. It is a chance to spend quality time in nature while you learn about yourself and the world around you. It is a place where you will be challenged in a way that allows ultimate personal growth. By meeting those challenges, you get to learn skills that will help you anywhere and everywhere in life.

Circle R Ranch is hiring Horseback Riding Instructors. This person must have passion and experience in working with horses and children. This position is a great opportunity to expand your leadership skills while interacting with campers and staff in a fun environment! The successful candidate must enjoy working with all ages in the outdoors in an exciting, fast-paced environment. Riding Instructor assess and instruct camper groups on trails and in the corral, including horsemanship lessons, and lead overnight trips with horses on Circle R Ranch property. Compensation is based on experience.

### **Qualifications:**

- A strong riding background and instructional experience (especially to children) is essential
- Knowledge of western-style trail riding and tack
- This person should be passionate about working with animals and children and willing to work as a team.
- Positive attitude and effective stress management skills.
- Empathy, responsibility, efficiency, initiative, situational awareness, and good decision making
- Valid G Driver's License is an asset but not required
- Equine First Aid is an asset but not required
- Standard First Aid and CPR C
- Skills in creativity, empathy, adaptability, initiative, problem solving, stress management, and organization
- Positive attitude and willingness to grow personally as a leader
- Works well in a team setting and individually motivated
- Horseback riding experience is not required.
- Clear Background Check
- Contract dates: Full Time June 27th, 2021 to September 4th, 2021 (includes time off)
- Room and board included: Live on-site in a tent June 27th to Friday July 30th and live off-site from Sunday August 1st to September 4th, 2021

Note: this job posting is based on camp operating this summer 2021. As we will need to follow any COVID-19 restrictions and protocols based on local, provincial and federal guidelines. This job may be modified.

For online staff application and more information, go to our website at <http://www.circlerranch.ca/employment-opportunities/>. Contact us for more details at [program@circlerranch.ca](mailto:program@circlerranch.ca).

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