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Responsible Adult Course

This comprehensive course provides valuable training and certification for individuals who work or volunteer in child care facilities, schools, before- and after-school programs, camps, and other settings where children are present. Developed by Westcoast and delivered by trained facilitators at the YMCASIBC CCRR, the course meets the requirements for 20 hours of Responsible Adult training as stipulated by the Child Care Regulation in British Columbia. Participants explore foundational concepts related to child development from birth to 12 years of age, including child guidance, health, safety, nutrition, and programming. While the course is designed to meet Child Care Facilities Licensing requirements in BC, it is beneficial for anyone working with or considering a career supporting school-aged children.

The course is open to individuals of at least 19 years of age and is well suited for those beginning their career in child care. This is a basic training course and is not suitable for professional development or renewal of ECE or ECEA certification.

What to Expect:

- Length: 20 hours
- Participants will gain the knowledge and skills needed to create a safe, supportive, and nurturing environment for children
- Topics include child development (birth to 12 years), child guidance, health, safety, nutrition, and programming
- Upon successful completion, participants will:
- Fulfill the 20 hours of recognized Responsible Adult training
- Receive Responsible Adult Certification for working in British Columbia, in accordance with current regulations.
- Please note: This is a basic, entry-level course and is not intended for professional development or renewal of ECE or ECEA certification.

Who This Course is For:

- British Columbia Child Care Facilities Licensing regulations require that all individuals certified as Responsible Adults and working in licensed child care facilities be 19 years of age or older.
- No previous experience is required
- Ideal for individuals interested in beginning a career working with children
- A great entry-level course to get you started in child care and child-focused settings

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