



Position Available – Education Programming Music Director/Accompanist

SKYLIGHT MUSIC THEATRE

Skylight Music Theatre's mission since 1959: To bring the full spectrum of music theatre works to a wide and diverse audience in celebration of the musical and theatrical arts and their reflection of the human condition. Skylight presents productions "Skylight Style" – bringing fresh approaches or interesting twists to music theatre works, creating meaningful connections, not only between the characters on stage but with the audience as well. The beautiful, intimate Cabot Theatre allows audiences to feel close to the powerful emotions on stage.

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

The Music Director/Accompanist will possess the ability conduct and accompany the musical numbers being used for the touring show(s), while helping to instill in the children a love of theatre, an excitement for performance, and a willingness to collaborate. They must possess excellent communication and organizational skills, must be self-motivated, efficient, and creative. Experience working with children is especially important.

SUMMARY OF RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Musical Director/Accompanist will successfully:

1. Work with the Education Manager to select and prepare musical numbers for the touring show or project they are assigned to.
2. Attend scheduled meetings, auditions, rehearsals, and performances.
3. Responsible for all musical accompaniment for the program.

Note: It is expected that the Musical Director/Accompanist will schedule themselves at all rehearsals and performances.

REPORTING RELATIONSHIPS:

The Musical Director/Accompanist reports to the Education Manager.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Candidates should have:

- Excellent people skills, a sense of humor, energy and drive
- Experience in dealing with a wide variety of people in a multitude of situations
- Strong oral and written communication skills
- Strong attention to detail
- Superior strategic thinking and planning skills are required
- An ability to prioritize and excel at many different tasks in a fast-paced environment
- Familiarity with the breadth of performing arts management is a plus

Salary: Per service basis

Program dates: Varies

Interested individuals should submit a cover letter with resume to:

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Please put "MD/Accompanist 2019" in the subject line of your email.