**Early Years Educator**

**Location: Windmill Hill City Farm**

**Hours: 17 hours per week worked across 2 full days or 3 Shorter days**

**Days: Days to be agreed**

**Contract: Permanent**

**Salary:**  **£22,269 pa [FTE], pro rata (£11.42ph – April 2023 salary rates)**

**Grade: B**

**Job reference: 202303CFS03**

We have a part time vacancy in our Children and Family Services department, to join our team of childcare professionals, in creating a great indoor and outdoor learning environment for the children attending our setting and building trusting relationships with their parents and carers.

If you want to help give children a valuable start in life, a great early years education and help them to develop their social skills in a safe and a caring environment that promotes learning through play, then we would love to hear from you.

Come and join our friendly and dedicated team of child-care professionals in our unique setting on one of the UK’s leading city farms where you have full access to all the resources it has to offer. This environment allows you to enjoy the 4.5 acre site, with woodlands, gardens, and ponds, not forgetting the farm animals, making each day different and exciting!

**What we offer:**

* Support and guidance through working with a dedicated childcare team.
* To expand your knowledge of child development and the Early Years Foundation Stage with training and support.
* Employee programme which covers good practice elements such as workplace wellbeing, workplace culture, competitive pay and benefits – not forgetting 10% staff discount in our award-winning café!
* Access to all the resources the farm has to offer.

**How to apply:**

Please download the job description and application form from the vacancies page on our [website](https://www.windmillhillcityfarm.org.uk/about-us/work-for-us/finance-and-payroll-administrator/) and return your completed applications to [recruitment@windmillhillcityfarm.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@windmillhillcityfarm.org.uk) by the specified closing date below.

For further information about this position please contact Laura Usher on 0117 963 3299.

We are committed to equality, diversity and inclusion and encourage applications from qualified candidates who reflect the rich diversity of our city.

**Safer recruiting statement.**

Windmill Hill City Farm is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all vulnerable groups and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Our commitment is underpinned by robust processes and procedures that seek to maximise opportunity, minimise risk and continuously promote a culture of safeguarding amongst our workforce. All successful applicants will be required to complete an enhanced DBS check which must be maintained throughout the period of employment.

**Closing date:**  **Monday 17th April 2023, 5pm**

**Preferred start date:** **May/June 2023**

**Interview date:**  **Tuesday 25th April 2023 – times tbc**