Job Posting: Assistant Soccer & Fitness Coach
In-Person & Virtual/Online Positions Available
Boston Scores
School Year 2020-21

About Boston Scores
Boston Scores is a free after school program for urban youth in grades K-12 that combines soccer with classroom-based poetry, service learning and financial literacy. Boston Scores promotes leadership, teamwork, commitment and positive self-expression among urban young people. We serve 1,600 students annually on 60 soccer teams across the City of Boston, plus high school summer programs.

During the fall of 2020-21 we have Assistant Soccer & Fitness Coach positions available for both in-person, socially-distanced soccer sessions (no scrimmages or games) and fully remote online soccer & fitness lessons delivered via videoconference.

The Boston Scores Soccer Program:
• Meets 2-3 times per week on weekday afternoons
• Virtual Fall season in 8 weeks beginning the week of October 5th
• In-Person Fall season in approximately 5 weeks depending on weather, starting week of 10/5
• Spring season in 10 weeks running from late March to early June
• Positions are available with both Boys & Girls teams in grades 3-5, grades 6-8 and grades 9-12

Assistant Soccer Coach Job Duties:

Virtual Assistant Coaches
• Attend required Boston Scores pre-season virtual training sessions (September 2020 & March 2021)
• Abide by Boston Scores organizational guidelines
• Access to a computer with working camera & microphone and high-speed internet connection
• Private and distraction-free space to co-lead in Virtual Training sessions.
• Attend and support virtual soccer & fitness practices 2-3 times per week, 45 minutes per session
• Support Head Coaches with video platform functions during practice (waiting room, muting, chat feed)
• Assist Head Coach in Opening Circle (welcome) & Closing Circle (reflections) to start & end each practice
• Assistant Coaches may be asked to lead portions of practice
• Communicate responsively with Boston Scores staff when requested via email, text or phone

In-Person Assistant Coaches
• Attend required Boston Scores pre-season training session (September 2020 and March 2021)
• Abide by Boston Scores organizational guidelines, including all COVID-19 safety protocols
• Attend & conduct soccer practices 2-3 times per week for 60-90 minutes per sessions.
• Assist Head Coach with setting up soccer practice fields (cones, portable goals, drill stations) as requested
● Assist Head Coach in organizing players and transitioning them smoothly between stages of practice
● Assist Head Coach in Opening Circle (welcome) & Closing Circle (reflections) to start & end each practice
● Assist with safe arrival and dismissal of players following COVID-19 safety protocols
● Communicate responsively with Boston Scores staff when requested via email, text or phone

Skills and Qualifications:
● Familiarity with the basic rules and positions of the sport of soccer is required
● Prior coaching and/or positive youth development experience is a plus
● Should be positive, patient and have an ability to communicate with and relate to children
● Proficiency in Spanish is a plus
● Duties include work that requires physical exertion and may include helping to move goals, large boxes, and other equipment.
● Applicants must be 18 years of age or older

Compensation: $15.00/hour

To Apply

Please email a paragraph on your relevant experience and a resume to Nelson Reyes: nelson@bostonscores.org.

Boston Scores is committed to recruiting and maintaining a diverse staff; individuals from all backgrounds are encouraged to apply.

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