



Hi5 School Age Services Limited



#JOB-2430380



Fragrance House, Malahide Marina, Malahide,
Co. Dublin, K36 T276



No of positions : 1



Paid Position



39 hours per week



34000.00 Euro Annually



22/01/2026



19/02/2026

How to apply

Application Method :

Please apply to the vacancy by the following means:

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Playworker

Application Details

In order to work in Ireland a non-EEA National, unless they are exempted, must hold a valid employment permit. Please review the [Eligibility and requirements for an employment permit](#) if you are unsure of your eligibility to apply for this vacancy.

Job Description

About Hi5 School Aged Services

Hi5 School Aged Services is a trusted after-school care provider based in Malahide, Co. Dublin, offering a warm, safe, and stimulating environment for school-aged children.

We focus on nurturing each child's development through creative play, learning support, and social engagement, following the highest standards of safety, wellbeing, and inclusivity.

Our team is passionate about helping children learn, grow, and thrive. We promote a positive workplace culture that values collaboration, professional growth, and the delivery of quality care.

As our Playworker, your role will be to seamlessly integrate play into the children's daily learning activities. You will organize, plan, and participate in play and leisure activities for our children. You will also care for and supervise the children, ensuring their safety and happiness. Your role as a Playworker is to guide and support play, ensuring it is enjoyable, inventive, and secure.

You will offer stimulating play opportunities to encourage children to learn, grow, and express themselves. You will also be responsible for setting up and maintaining materials and resources, and ensuring children are safely and comfortably equipped to engage in an activity.

Key Responsibilities

Supervise children's games and foster the growth of physical, social, and linguistic abilities.

Design play areas and prepare resources for a diverse array of children's activities.

Promote children's autonomy, self-assurance, and social interaction.

Plan and oversee children on outings.

Coordinate and supervise children's activities in compliance with Health and Safety regulations.

Respond appropriately to injuries and emergencies.

Tidy up equipment and sanitize premises post-use.

Communicate effectively with parents, playworkers, and colleagues, and maintain pertinent records.

Requirements

Prior experience as a playworker or in a similar role is mandatory.

Candidates who do not hold certificates (or equivalent) in child care and - education must be willing to work towards obtaining them.

Garda vetting and full CRB clearance will be required.

What We Offer

€34,000 per year, 39 hours/week.

Training and professional development opportunities.

Supportive, collaborative work culture in a growing childcare organisation.

- **Sector:** education

Career Level

- Experienced [Non-Managerial]