

# Job description

## **BILINGUAL OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST**

### \$78,000 - \$92,625 per year

Are you a Registered Occupational Therapist or a recent grad? Do you have a passion for making a difference in the lives of children and their families? We can't wait to work with you!

### Who We Are

ACT Learning Centre is a leading-edge, dynamic, multidisciplinary practice in Ottawa. We are a team of Speech-Language Pathologists, Occupational Therapists, Mental health professionals, Board Certified Behaviour Analysts, Communicative Disorders Assistants, Occupational Therapy Assistants, Early Childhood Educators and Registered Behaviour Therapists providing exceptional services to children and youth with autism, developmental disorders and delays and their families. We have a busy multidisciplinary practice with multiple locations throughout Ottawa.

ACT is the sole local provider of the Entry to School Program (a school readiness program funded under the Early Years Pillar of the Ontario Autism Program) and one of three local providers of the Caregiver Mediated Program under the Ontario Autism Program (the Play Project).

### The Opportunity

We are presently seeking one full-time or part-time bilingual Occupational Therapist to work in our private practice at our Antares Drive, Lancaster Road or Kanata location, as well as the Entry to School Program. The hours are flexible.

### **Key Responsibilities**

- Assess skills and provide intervention related to emotional regulation, social skills, sensory processing, and oral, fine and gross motor development.
- Collaborate with a multidisciplinary team to develop comprehensive individualized programming.
- Adhere to the standards of practice regarding assessment protocols, therapeutic techniques, and techniques for direct handling of clients.
- Participate in the teaching and mentoring of program implementation with students and staff.
- Maintains confidentiality in accordance with organizational policies and procedures related to privacy.
- Participate in ongoing education and development.
- Participate in all team meetings when required.



#### Why Work at ACT Learning Centre?

- Competitive pay
- Employer-paid Extended Health and Dental benefits for full-time employees
- Paid continuing education
- Collaborative working environment
- Dedicated offices/treatment rooms for occupational therapists
- Mileage reimbursement as required
- Free Parking

#### **Qualifications:**

- M.Sc. in Occupational Therapy or equivalent
- Membership (or eligibility for) with the College of Occupational Therapists
- Valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- A successful Vulnerable Sector screen.
- The ability to provide service in both English and French.
- Exceptional communication skills both oral and written in English and French.
- Ability to work independently and co-operatively as part of an interdisciplinary team.

ACT Learning Centre is committed to creating a diverse environment and is proud to be an equalopportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment regardless of ethnicity, race, colour, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, nation of origin, genetics, disability, age, or veteran status.

ACT Learning Centre complies with the Accessibility of Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA). Accommodations are available on request for candidates taking part in all aspects of the selection process.

Job Types: Full-time, Part-time

Salary: \$78,000.00-\$92,625.00 per year

Schedule:

- 8 hour shift
- No weekends or evenings

Education:



• Master's Degree (required)

Experience:

• Occupational Therapy: 1 year (preferred)

Language:

• French (required)

License/Certification:

- Membership with the College of Occupational Therapists (required)
- Supervision and mentorship available for new graduates with provisional certification

Work Location: In person