

## SITE LEADER (HEAD COACH-MENTOR)

DEPARTMENT	MSYSA Outreach & Grassroots
DATE OPENED	1/06/25
FILING DEADLINE	OPEN
SALARY	\$25 - \$30 p/hour - based on experience
EMPLOYMENT TYPE	Part-Time
WORK LOCATION	Various Locations in Maryland and DC, MD

Let's Play run by MSYSA is seeking motivated and experienced candidates to join the coaching team at various **locations throughout Maryland and DC**. The available positions require outgoing and organized individuals with the ability to lead kids in a positive learning environment centered on soccer, nutrition, and social/emotional learning. Help is needed in a fun, fast-paced, and rewarding atmosphere. To learn more about Let's Play!, please visit us at <u>Let's Play! Program</u>

# Qualifications:

- Minimum Education: High School Diploma, GED or International Equivalent preferred but not required/ Some College a plus.
- Minimum Experience: Previous soccer coaching experience or previous Let's Play! staff coach mentor.
- Passion for and experience with urban education, health education, youth development, and sports are a plus but not required.
- Competent in leading (25-40) students, ages 6-11, through sports and life-teaching moments
- Language Skill(s): English
- Preferred 21 years or older. Exceptional candidates younger than 21 years old, with previous Let's Play! experience may be considered.
- CPR & First Aid certified a plus but training can be provided.
- Consent to and complete a background check (MSYSA will cover the cost)
- Creativity, problem solving, organizational, and multi-tasking skills are vital.
- Access to reliable transportation
- Ability to work independently and in a team setting, motivating others (coaches, volunteers, and High School mentors)
- Ability to communicate effectively and respectfully with school and Let's Play! staff, Let's Play! Coordinators, parents, and players.

## Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Attend all practices (once per week or more depending on location) for a daily commitment of up to 2+ hours (3:00 pm-5:00/5:30 pm typical timeframe)
- Record, track, and execute Let's Play's 8-week curriculum
- Supervise and guide lesson/session delivery
- Work with other coaches and volunteers to create a positive learning environment
- Engage in communication with parents/guardians to express program expectations

#### **Special Requirements**

- New hires are subject to a criminal background check (paid by MSYSA)
- New hires must complete SafeSport and Heads Up Concussion training in addition to program training
- Candidates will need to provide a letter of recommendation with their application

#### **Selection Process**

- Bilingual Spanish-speaking applicants are encouraged to apply.
- Female applicants are encouraged to apply.
- Applications will be prescreened before candidates are invited to an interview.
- Online application process is STRONGLY preferred. If online access is not available you may submit via mail, e-mail, or deliver in person before the closing date and time.
- Individuals from traditionally underserved and underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged to apply. As an equal-opportunity employer, MSYSA is committed to recruiting, retaining, and promoting employees who are reflective of the State's diversity.

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Interested applicants should complete an <u>online application</u> and/or send a resume/cover letter via email to MSYSA Let's Play! Coordinators Kelli Doherty (<u>Kelli@msysa.org</u>), Daren Olsen (<u>daren@msysa.org</u>), and JC Deverines (jc@msysa.org) or call (410) 768-5401