



# First Coast Cultural Center

## **Music Therapist** (part-time, on-site)

Anticipated start date August 2023.

### **Position Summary**

The First Coast Cultural Center is seeking a fun, caring, and client centered therapist to work with students in special education and preschool within contracted St. Johns County schools. You will assess individual needs, develop creative interventions, and evaluate goal attainment. You will have the freedom to prepare and conduct your sessions and documentation in a way that matches your style, while also having the opportunity to collaborate with other therapists.

This is a 38 week between August 2023 - May 2024; 32 hours per week contract. Additional hours available through our clinic, as well as summer camps and clinics.

The mission of First Coast Cultural Center is to bring the arts into the life of the community through arts education, exhibitions, and outreach, and by honoring a donor-driven philosophy. Sound Connections<sup>®</sup> is part of that outreach, providing Music Therapy services to students with disabilities for the past 16 years. Our therapists are driven, creative, passionate, and empathetic. If you enjoy a balance of structure and flexibility, working alone and as a team, and an overall fun and creative atmosphere, you would be a great fit!

### **Essential Duties & Responsibilities**

- Schedule and coordinate whole group and small group sessions at three schools
- Plan and implement engaging, goal oriented interventions
- Document and report student progress
- Prepare an end of year therapeutic performance
- Coordinate and collaborate with the Senior Music Therapist to provide excellent care to students with disabilities and various exceptionalities

*The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by employees assigned to this classification. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and or skills required of all employees within this class period; this job description may be changed to include new responsibilities and tasks or change existing ones as management deems necessary.*

## Qualifications

- MT-BC (Music Therapist, Board Certified) please include your certification number on your resume. If you do not yet have certification, let us know when you plan to sit for your exam.
- Previous experience (employment or internship) in the school setting or with elementary age children
- Experience with special education and leading music therapy classes (Preferred)
- Experiential Therapist Certification (Preferred)
- Excellent communication skills
- Familiarity with social media platforms and Google Suite (Docs, Sheets, Forms)
- Must pass Level II background check with fingerprints.

## Salary Range

starting at \$30/hour, commensurate with experience.

## How to Apply

If you are passionate about music therapy and have the skills and experience to lead dynamic and innovative classes with students in St. Johns County we encourage you to apply for this exciting opportunity.

First Coast Cultural Center values a diverse workplace and strongly encourages women, people of color, LGBTQIA+ individuals, people with disabilities, members of ethnic minorities, foreign-born residents, and veterans to apply.

First Coast Cultural Center is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants will not be discriminated against because of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, religion, national origin, citizenship status, disability, ancestry, marital status, veteran status, medical condition or any protected category prohibited by local, state or federal laws.

Please send resume to Candice Sirak, MT-BC, Sound Connections<sup>®</sup> Manager

## Organization

First Coast Cultural Center

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## Point of Contact

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