

Report - your work experience

Beantworte die Fragen hier!

My name *

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1. Workplace name? Basic information about the enterprise/work place? What is made/produced /services there? How many people were working there? *

The workplace I went to is named Metsamyyn Paivakoti , which is a kindergarden , founded in 1974, in Kausala, Finland. The kindergarden welcomes kids from 3 to 8 years old. The kids come in the morning around 8AM and leave after lunch or sleep break, also they can wait until the parents are available to come and pick them up. There are teachers and nurses who teach them things like numbers, letters etc, play and look after them ,15 people are working in the enterprise.

2. What was your first impression about the work place? How were you welcomed? How was the atmosphere/work climate during your work experience? How did they introduce you the work place/premises? Were the workers busy? Was the atmosphere busy? *

When I first came in, smiley faces welcomed me, ready to show me around. Kids were playing outside, very happy and full of energy, which gave me positive vibes. The place was lovely and very welcoming. When we got inside, they showed me all the rooms and other sections (small kids and bigger kids) they presented me to all the workers, and to the kids who were extremely lovely as well, the atmosphere wasn't that busy, but it was slightly noisy which is normal.

3. Which qualifications did the workers need for their work? What kind of education was required to work there? *

With Nina Piimakorpi(finnish student) by my side, I was able to communicate with the staff and the teachers , so I asked them which califications did the workers of the kindergarden need for their job, and they said that a nurse should do 3 years of superior studies in the branch in order to obtain the diploma and a teacher 3 to 4 years. But, as they said, the most important thing is the experience and the self-learning.

4. Were there rules about clothing? Was there busines confidentiality? *

There were not many rules about the clothes, as long as they are decent they are allowed. However, there were rules about the business confidentiality, par example :

- what's said in the kindergarden stays in the kindergarden ;
 - they can't give personal informations on the kids to strangers ;
 - they can't hurt the kids verbally or physically ;
 - everyone has to be treated equally no matter what ;
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5. Did the workers get fringe benefits like a company phone/free calls, lunch, a work canteen, a gym? *

They said that unfortunately the workers don't get any fringe benefits and despite the great atmosphere and the joy of working with kids, the salary is quite low.

6. What were your tasks at work? What did you do exactly? *

My tasks at work were relatively simple and fun, just trying to communicate with the children, playing with them and looking after them. We drew together, sang, played games(board games) played with dolls, etc.

7. How well did the staff members work with each other? *

The staff members were really organized and seemed to communicate alot, sharing the tasks and taking good care of the children.

8. Which IT-skills did an employee need for working in this enterprise/profession? *

Every teacher has to know how to use a computer at least, so they can do information research and other technical operations.

9. Did the enterprise have an international customer base? If so, how could this be seen at the work place? *

The enterprise doesn't really have an international customer base, it's very rare (maybe Estonian or Russian).

10. Were the staff multilingual? Did the staff need any foreign languages at this enterprise? *

They do speak English, Swedish and German, but they don't need a good level of foreign languages, because they are mostly Finnish.

11. Did you think that this industry is prospering? *

It's hard to say if the industry is prospering because it depends on demographic numbers.

12. What did you learn during your work experience? *

I would say that I learned a lot about the teaching methods involving children and about the responsibility that a teacher has to put in her work.

13. Did you learn anything new about yourself during your work experience? *

I also learned that I can be really patient and that I have a good connection with kids in general, also we don't need foreign languages to get along with a kid.

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