



# **JOB POSTING— RECREATIONAL GYMNASTICS COACH/NINJA KIDZ ASSISTANT (Tumbling & Trampoline Program)**

## **Description**

As a team member with Starz Gymnastics and Trampoline Fun Center, you will have the opportunity to work in Amarillo's most exciting tumbling and trampoline gymnastics (recreational/competitive) facility and trampoline park. As a gymnastics coach/Ninja Kidz assistant, you will primarily be responsible for coaching all levels of our recreational tumbling and trampoline gymnastics classes and assisting our main Ninja Kidz coach in our Ninja Kidz classes. You may also be required to work scheduled camps and clinics. When coaching, you will be expected to adhere to the curriculum and coaching protocols set forth by the owners and keep athletes moving for the duration of their classes. Additionally, you will be required to supervise our public jumping times (Fun Jump) and parties when needed. During Fun Jumps/parties, you will be responsible for ensuring all participants follow the safety protocols, cleaning the party areas, and helping the office assistant give rules to customers.

Pay will depend on experience/certifications and will be calculated on an hourly basis.

## **Job Responsibilities**

- **MUST display a high level of competence in coaching tumbling and trampoline gymnastics**
- Display a keen sense of awareness by ensuring athletes perform their skills safely and teach by proper skill progression
- Demonstrate authority in maintaining control over classes of up to 12 athletes
- Display the ability to multitask in coaching multiple athletes on multiple apparatus at the same time
- Display excitement and energy when interacting with athletes/Fun Jumpers
- Display ability to interact well with children of all ages
- Exhibit the ability to work well with other staff members
- Demonstrate the ability to enforce safety protocols
- Exhibit flexibility, assuming any recreational/Ninja Kidz coaching role needed on a given day, including any scheduled camps or clinics
- Exhibit awareness in ensuring athletes are always at a level that challenges them
- Display solid organizational and record-keeping skills for athlete progress records
- Exhibit readiness and responsibility in keeping the gym to a high standard of cleanliness and organization

# Desired Candidate Qualities

- Must have **solid** experience coaching tumbling and trampoline gymnastics  
**NOTE:** We are looking for those with coaching experience. Experience as an athlete may be considered.
- Preferably have experience successfully coaching the following skills according to USAG standards:
  - Tumbling skills: front & back roll, cartwheel, round-off, handstand, and back handsprings
  - Trampoline skills: tuck, straddle, pike, full turn, seat, doggy, tummy, doggy flip, back drops, and front & back flips
- Must have references to verify tumbling and trampoline coaching experience
- Must be able to work the following hours during the SUMMER (see Amarillo ISD calendar for exact dates)

**NOTE:** These hours are subject to slight fluctuations due to outlying circumstances. If you cannot work these hours and be flexible, we will not consider your application:

- Coaching hours: Monday–Thursday evenings (and some mornings)
  - Clinic/Camp hours: Mornings and afternoons; days and hours vary
  - Weekends: Fun Jumps/parties 1–2 weekends per month and miscellaneous events
  - Weekdays: Tuesday–Friday late morning/afternoon Fun Jumps/parties (at least two of these days per week)
  - Weekdays: Assist in Ninja Kidz classes
  - When needed: Private lessons, office
- Must be able to work the following hours during the FALL/SPRING (see Amarillo ISD calendar for exact dates)

**NOTE:** These hours are subject to slight fluctuations due to outlying circumstances. If you cannot work these hours and be flexible, we will not consider your application:

- Coaching hours: Monday–Thursday evenings (and some mornings)
  - Clinic/Camp hours: Whenever they can be scheduled
  - Weekends: Fun Jumps/parties 2–3 weekends per month and miscellaneous events
  - Weekdays: Wednesday homeschool Fun Jump and miscellaneous events
  - Weekdays: Assist in Ninja Kidz classes
  - When needed: Private lessons, office
- Must have a passion and commitment to health and fitness
  - Must be able to meet physical demands of the job (i.e., standing, walking around, or jumping with minimal breaks) for up to 10 hours at a time
  - Must have high school diploma or GED
  - Must be confident in giving direction to both athletes/customers as well as assistant coaching staff

# Desired Candidate Qualities

- Must be willing to complete the following USAG certifications within the first 30 days of employment, including:
  - Background check
  - USAG membership
  - Safety Certification
  - SafeSport Certification
  - Level I Certification
  - T-210 Recertification
  - First Aid Certification
  - CPR Certification

**NOTE: Other certifications may be required as they become available.**

- Must be willing to attend and complete the tumbling judge certification and trampoline judge certification for the 2021–2022 standard routines, when offered
- Must have prior experience coaching at official tumbling and trampoline gymnastics meets

## How to Apply

To apply for this position, please go to [www.starzgy.com/employment](http://www.starzgy.com/employment) and click on the link that says, "Gymnastics Coach/Ninja Kidz Assistant Job Application"

We will contact those applicants that we feel will be the best fit. In the meantime, feel free to visit our website [www.starzgy.com](http://www.starzgy.com) for more information on our gym. If you have questions once you have thoroughly read and understood this job description, please contact Christina at (806) 676-1204.

If you are contacted for an interview, please be prepared for a multi-step interview process, including an initial in-person interview, as well as approximately 10 hours of paid, onsite coaching in our classes.