

Upk Lead Teacher

Jewish Community Center of Greater Buffalo, Inc.

Buffalo, NY 14209

Teacher

Full-time, Part-time

Onsite

\$24.00 - \$25.00 an hour

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Organization Statement

The JCC is a non-profit agency serving the Western NY community. We provide high quality services including early care and education, after-school care, camp, state of the art fitness centers and classes, pools, cultural arts, senior adult programs, family programs and more.

Job Description

Lead teacher for a 4-year-old classroom in a community based organization partnering with the Buffalo Public Schools. Develop relationships with children, families and coworkers within a multi-service agency. Ability to meet NAEYC standards, Quality Stars NY standards, and OCFS regulations. Willingness to learn about Jewish customs and traditions within a diverse population. Ability to work well with community agencies and volunteers.

Responsibilities

Implement Buffalo Public Schools UPK curriculum. Keep documentation up to date. Develop healthy, productive relationships with children, families, and coworkers. Assist in planning family events for the school. Attend all required professional development. Meet NAEYC standards, Quality Stars NY standards and OCFS regulations.

Qualifications

Early Childhood certification preferred. Experience as a preschool teacher preferred.

- **Minimum Education Level:** NYS Teacher Certification
- **Preferred Education Level:** NYS Teacher Certification

Application Instructions

Send resume and cover letter. Provide proof of NY State teacher certification.

Language Requirements

English

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