

Head Start Teacher

Economic Opportunity Commission of Nassau County, Inc.

Multiple Sites, NY

Teacher

Full-time

Onsite

\$44,000 - \$47,000 a year

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Organization Statement

About Us

The Economic Opportunity Commission of Nassau County, Inc. (EOC) has served low-income residents for over 50 years, providing comprehensive programs that support families and children. Our Head Start program is dedicated to fostering school readiness for children ages 3–5 through high-quality early childhood education and family engagement.

Job Description

Position Summary

We are seeking a passionate and qualified Head Start Teacher to join our team. The ideal candidate will create a nurturing and stimulating classroom environment that promotes the social, emotional, physical, and cognitive development of each child.

Responsibilities

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- Develop and implement developmentally appropriate lesson plans aligned with Head Start Performance Standards and the Early Learning Outcomes Framework.
- Foster a safe, inclusive, and engaging classroom environment conducive to learning.
- Observe, assess, and document children's progress; use data to inform instruction.
- Collaborate with parents and families to support children's development and learning.
- Supervise and mentor teacher assistants and volunteers.
- Participate in ongoing professional development and training sessions.
- Maintain compliance with all federal, state, and local regulations, including health and safety protocols.

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Required:

- Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education or a related field with at least 12 credits in Early Childhood Education.
- Minimum of one year of experience teaching young children in an accredited/licensed early childhood program.
- Must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19

Preferred:

- Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education with New York State Certification.
- Experience with Head Start or similar early childhood education programs.

- Proficiency in a second language is a plus.
- **Minimum Education Level:** Associate's Degree
- **Preferred Education Level:** Bachelor's Degree

Application Instructions

How to Apply

Interested candidates should submit a resume, copy of college degree and unofficial college transcript to Corde' Lights at clights@eoc-nassau.org.

For more information about our organization and other employment opportunities, please visit our website: www.eoc-nassau.org

Additional Information

Benefits: Health insurance, dental, vision, 403(b) retirement savings plan, generous paid time off, professional development assistance, employee assistance program, health savings account/flexible spending account and more