

# Floater

Schenectady JCC

Niskayuna, NY 12309

Other

Full-time, Part-time

Onsite

\$16.00 - \$17.00 an hour

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## Organization Statement

**The Schenectady JCC is a great place to work with fantastic co-workers and great members and kids. You'll find the job rewarding and fun! We are always looking for more great team members.**

## Job Description

### Description

A Floater is one who is responsible for working in multiple classrooms, depending on the need on any given day. A Floater should be comfortable working with many different age groups and be willing to have a flexible schedule.

### Responsibilities & Duties:

- Assist the Lead Teacher in planning and implementing the daily program of activities
- Provide age appropriate care for each infant or child
- Follow the directions and assignments given by the ECE Director and/or Assistant Director
- Help to maintain a well-organized, safe, and attractive classroom environment conducive to the optimal growth and development of the infants or children
- Remain in compliance with OCFS regulations
- Learn and understand how to work in the various ECE classrooms
- Observe each child daily to assess their skills, interests, and needs to facilitate learning and growth

- Establish a positive relationship with each child's family and share information about the child's day at the Center
- Perform other duties as required or assigned

## **Qualifications**

### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Minimum of 6 months of paid or volunteer experience working with children
- Must be 18 years of age or older
- Must demonstrate interest in working with young children, parents, and volunteers
- Must demonstrate success in working as member of a team
- Must have effective and strong communication skills (written and oral)
- Must demonstrate ability to work well with young children
- Possess a warm, loving, and nurturing personality
- Familiarity with NYS OCFS regulations preferred
- Must receive clearance by NYS OCFS at the time of hire

### **Physical Demands:**

- Able to lift a minimum of 30 lbs.
- Good physical condition and strength
- Able to walk, squat/kneel, and sit on the floor for extended periods of time
- Able to see, hear, and speak with children to ensure their health and safety

### **We offer competitive wages and free membership.**

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential job functions. This job description is to be used as a guideline to describe the current functions and requirements of the position. The job description may change at any time based on business needs and/or job reorganization.

We are an equal opportunity employer. As such, employment decisions are based on merit, qualifications and abilities.

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- **Minimum Education Level:** Highschool Graduate or GED
- **Preferred Education Level:** Highschool Graduate or GED

## Application Instructions

Apply at [www.schenectadyjcc.org/careers](http://www.schenectadyjcc.org/careers)