

Group Teacher

Hearts and Minds Daycare LLC

Jamaica, NY 11432

Teacher

Full-time, Part-time

Onsite

\$22.00 - \$30.00 an hour*

* Based on qualifications and experience.

Posted on February 8, 2026

Organization Statement

Hearts and Minds Daycare is a licensed childcare center dedicated to supporting children's growth through safe, structured, and developmentally appropriate learning experiences.

Job Description

We are seeking a qualified **Group Teacher** to lead a preschool classroom. This role includes planning and implementing daily activities, supervising children, and maintaining compliance with **NYC DOH Article 47 regulations**.

Responsibilities

- Lead daily classroom activities and age-appropriate learning experiences
- Supervise children at all times to ensure safety and DOH compliance
- Implement curriculum and maintain structured classroom routines
- Maintain documentation, attendance, and daily records as required
- Support positive behavior guidance and classroom management
- Communicate with families and staff regarding children's progress and needs
- Maintain a clean, organized, and sanitary classroom environment
- Participate in staff meetings and ongoing professional development

Qualifications

Applicant Qualifications

Candidates must meet **one of the NYC DOH Article 47 preschool Group Teacher pathways (§47.13):**

1. **Bachelor's degree** in Early Childhood Education or related field approved by DOH, **with valid NYSED teaching certification**,
OR
2. **Bachelor's degree** in Early Childhood Education or related field, **with at least two years of documented preschool experience**,
OR
3. **DOH-approved study plan pathway:**
 - Associate's degree (AA/AS) in Early Childhood Education (with practicum), **or**
 - 90+ undergraduate credits and one year classroom experience teaching pre-K through grade 2, **or**
 - Bachelor's degree in any field with one year classroom experience teaching children up to grade 3
 - Ability to obtain and maintain CPR/First Aid certification
 - Successful completion of NYC DOH background clearance and health documentation
 - Strong classroom management, communication, and organizational skills
 - **Minimum Education Level:** Associate's Degree
 - **Preferred Education Level:** NYS Teacher Certification

Application Instructions

- Email your resume to info@hmdaycare.org
- Include "Group Teacher" in the subject line
- In your email, please answer:
Do you meet one of the NYC DOH Article 47 preschool Group Teacher qualification pathways, or are you actively working toward DOH-approved credentials?
- Qualified applicants will be contacted to schedule an interview
- Employment is contingent upon successful background and health clearance

Additional Information

- On-site position at a licensed NYC DOH daycare
- Schedule based on program needs
- Employment is contingent upon meeting all DOH requirements
- Hearts and Minds Daycare is an equal opportunity employer

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