

Jewish Youth Educator Job Description Coastside Jewish Community

Coastside Jewish Community (CJC), a 100-family community south of San Francisco (serving Pacifica, Half Moon Bay and 'The Coastside') is seeking a part-time Jewish Youth Educator for its Religious School, a.k.a. 'CJC Family Circle' for the 2024-25 school year.

We seek an energetic, motivated, and personable individual who aims to make a positive impact in the lives of our youth and families. We would like to find an individual who conveys enthusiasm for Jewish life and possesses knowledge about Judaism, while being inclusive to all our families.

The Jewish Youth Educator is responsible for teaching our children and actively building and maintaining supportive working relationships with the Rabbi, parents, students and the broader community.

This is a part-time position, requiring in-person instructional activities on Sunday mornings (about every other week for 10 months) and family programming for select Jewish Holidays and some appointed Friday night Shabbat events. Classes are expected to start in early September.

The position pays an annual part-time salary; range to be shared with candidates

Summary of Job Responsibilities :

- Facilitate and serve as lead teacher for bimonthly Family Circle school
- Develop or adapt a curriculum that engages both young children (preschool-1st grade) and older children (2nd-6th) to focus on grade level specific content about Jewish culture, holidays and Hebrew language.
- It's expected that the Educator will focus on teaching the older children (parents will drop off these students) and help support the younger children's activities which are expected to be led by volunteers, students and parents.
- Develop and lead programming for families and children at select CJC events, such as Jewish holidays and Family Shabbats.
- Be a warm, accessible, and visible leader with excellent interpersonal skills and a passion for and positive energy toward Jewish education
- Create a vibrant, inclusive, and welcoming Jewish learning environment for all students.
- Help provide a space for students to socialize with other Jewish children.
- Communicate with parents on a regular basis to gauge satisfaction and assess the needs of the community, the school and families.

We seek an experienced educator with the following skills and credentials:

- Undergraduate degree
- 2 or more years of experience in an instructional and/or an educational leadership role
- Experience working with children and with event planning
- Knowledge of Hebrew, Jewish practices, Jewish holidays, and Jewish culture
- Fluency with social media and other communication tools
- Good interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills
- Proficiency in arts & crafts and music are a plus.

If you possess the above qualifications and a deep love of education, children, family, and community, we invite you to e-mail your resume and a letter of interest to cjcschoolrep@gmail.com and presidentcjc@gmail.com

Independent Contractor Position, W-1099, no benefits, no tax-withholding

CJC is an equal opportunity employer. All applicants will be considered for employment without attention to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, veteran or disability status.

Applications should be received no later than May 15, 2024.

More information about CJC can be found at: www.coastsidejewishcommunity.org