

Teacher I

Long Island Headstart

Southold, NY 11971

Teacher

Full-time

Onsite

\$21 - \$25 a year

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Organization Statement

Our mission is to provide a comprehensive learning environment to children, respectful of their cultures; and to assist families in reaching self-sufficiency through the combined efforts of parents, community and staff.

Job Description

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Responsibilities

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Qualifications

- **Preferred:** A Bachelor's Degree in Early Childhood Education with two (2) years experience teaching infants and toddlers in a child care setting. Or, an Associate's Degree in

Early Child Development with three (3) years teaching infants and toddlers in a child care setting, and an approved plan to meet the foregoing requirement.

• **Minimum:** Associate degree in Early Childhood Education with two (2) years' experience teaching infants and toddlers in a childcare setting, OR a High School Diploma or equivalent with a current Infant/Toddler Child Development Associate credentialing (CDA) and five (5) years' experience working with infants and toddlers in a childcare setting and a written plan to meet the minimum requirements within two (2) years.

- **Minimum Education Level:** Associate's Degree
- **Preferred Education Level:** Bachelor's Degree

Application Instructions

To apply for the position, applicants should mail, fax (631) 758-2953, or email resumes to humanresources@liheadstart.org. Please indicate position desired. For more information, visit our website at www.liheadstart.org.