



Gymboree Play and/or Music Teacher for Pre-K Age Children (Part-Time)

Are you passionate about teaching and developing young children? Are you entertaining and playful? Do you know how to command a room and connect with both children and adults? Are you persuasive and enjoy marketing?

If you are all those things, Gymboree Play & Music is the place for you!

Gymboree Play & Music offers developmental play, music and art classes for parents and children ages newborn to five years. Our programs are created by experts across many areas of child development and complemented by more than 30 years of expertise and leadership in the field. Gymboree Play & Music classes are available in over 528 centers in the United States and in 27 countries worldwide. Visit www.gymboreeclasses.com for more information about our company.

About Our Program

At Gymboree, we take a playful and active approach to learning. We know that playing and learning are inextricably linked and our "whole child" approach helps children to build strong motor and social skills to better prepare them for school, all while having fun! Parents attend all classes with their children as they explore unique songs, play instruments and games. Lesson plans and training are provided.

Gymboree instructors engage groups of children and adults in high-energy play, arts, music and fitness classes and birthday parties in our state-of-the-art facility using lesson plans provided by Gymboree, the global leader in early childhood classes for children ages newborn to 5 years and their parents/caregivers.

We have immediate openings for instructor(s) in our Mentor location. Shift times and days vary by customer demand and teacher availability, but all individuals seeking part-time employment are encouraged to apply.

Teacher Skills/Qualifications

- Pleasant and tuneful singing voice
- Love of singing, music making and teaching
- Group facilitation skills
- Experience working with young children a plus
- Playful and energetic teaching style
- Retail experience a plus

You must be a happy, enthusiastic, charismatic person committed to helping families and able to work well with other members of a small team to help keep the center safe, clean and customer friendly. You must be able to sing unaccompanied, lead parenting discussions, learn early childhood fundamentals, memorize lesson plans, multi-task, and engage children by crawling, climbing, sliding and singing with them (and encouraging their parents to do so as well!). Music teachers must have a good musical foundation and strong singing voice and must be able to read music and teach the basic building blocks of music. All Gymboree teachers must be self-motivated, good at managing time, and comfortable being in front of a group of parents & kids and encouraging them to be active.

Life experience, personality, the ability to adhere to work schedules, and a strong work ethic are as important as previous work experience. However, experience with children and in retail sales or customer service is strongly preferred.

We provide paid training, comprehensive hourly wages, employee discounts to the Gymboree clothing and Janie & Jack stores (30%), free Gymboree classes for your children (ages 0-5) when you aren't working, and an engaging work environment.

Visit www.gymboreeclasses.com for more information on our programs. **Email your resume to emmeric@aol.com** with a short cover note about yourself and your interest in our opportunity.

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