



JCC Children & Family Programs: Fashion Club Instructor

Job Type: Part-Time Position

Wage: \$40–\$60 hourly (based on experience)

Location: Prosserman JCC – 4588 Bathurst Street, North York, ON (Bathurst/Sheppard Area) and/or Schwartz/Reisman Centre (Bathurst/Rutherford Area)

Job Overview

We are seeking a creative, patient, and enthusiastic Fashion Club Instructor to lead a fun and educational fashion club for children ages 7–14. This role is ideal for someone passionate about fashion, art, and design who enjoys inspiring creativity and confidence in young learners.

The Fashion Club Instructor will guide participants through hands-on activities exploring fashion design, textiles, patterns, color theory, and sustainability in a safe, supportive, and age appropriate environment. The program aims to foster self-expression, teamwork, basic design thinking, and creative problem-solving.

Responsibilities

Teach foundational concepts including:

- Textiles and fabrics (natural vs. synthetic, textures, and uses)
- Patterns, prints, and shapes
- Color theory and color mixing
- Fashion illustration and sketching
- Basic design processes (idea → sketch → creation)

Facilitate hands-on projects such as:

- Designing outfits on paper or mannequins
- Creating textile collages and mood boards
- Simple sewing, weaving, or fabric manipulation (no advanced machinery required)
- Upcycling and sustainable fashion projects

Additional Items:

- Encourage creativity, teamwork, confidence, and positive self-expression
- Adapt activities to support different age groups and skill levels
- Maintain a safe, inclusive, and respectful learning environment
- Prepare materials and assist with set-up and clean-up
- Communicate clearly with program coordinators and, when needed, parents

What Do You Bring?

- Experience working with children ages 7–14 (teaching, camps, clubs, or childcare)
- Strong interest in fashion, art, design, or textiles
- Ability to explain concepts in a simple, fun, and engaging way
- Patient, encouraging, and organized teaching style
- Creative problem-solving skills
- Comfortable leading small groups of children

**Preferred (But Not Required)**

- Basic sewing or craft skills
- Experience leading workshops or after-school programs
- Knowledge of sustainable or ethical fashion concepts
- Background in art, fashion, education, or recreational programming

Who We Are:

The Jewish Community Centre is more than just a workplace. It is a vibrant hub of culture, connection, and community. As one of the largest engagement platforms in the Greater Toronto Area, we offer a diverse range of programs including arts, fitness, education, daycare, summer camps, and more.

With a bold goal to triple our community engagement by 2026, we are on a transformative path to become the beating heart of Jewish life in the region. Join us in shaping the future of the JCC experience for more than 75,000 people annually.

Perks & Benefits:

- Discounted JCC Membership with access to fitness centers, classes, and programs
- A flexible and people-centered work environment that values your well-being
- Free parking

Ready to Make an Impact? Apply Today!

We welcome candidates from all backgrounds and experiences. If this role excites you, we want to hear from you.

To apply, send your resume and cover letter to **Michaela Levin, Children & Family Program Coordinator** at michaela@srcentre.ca, by **February 13, 2026**. Please include your weekly availability for classes **February-June 2026**.

We appreciate every application, but only selected candidates will be contacted for an interview. If you require accommodation at any stage of the hiring process, let us know. We are committed to creating an accessible and inclusive workplace. The JCC does not use AI for screening.