

# Maheen Riffat

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## Objective

I am a friendly and joyful person with strong people skills and I enjoys interacting with all types of people. The best fit for me would be a cashier position where I can welcome customers and leave a lasting impression.

## Education

**August 2023 - June 2026 | Harry Ainlay**  
end of grade 12  
Edmonton, Alberta

## Volunteer Experience

**October 2024 - Present | baitul hadi mosque**  
Number of Hours: 14  
Teaching 7 to 9 year old girls about Islam  
Edmonton, Alberta

## Skills and Abilities

Excellent Communication

- I'm really good at talking to people and making them feel welcome and respected

Organized and Reliable

- I'm organized and dependable, you can count on me to show up and stay on task.

Strong Interpersonal Skills

- I have a joyful personality and always try to bring good energy wherever I go, especially in places where people might be nervous or stressed.

Teaching and Leadership

- Through teaching young girls at my mosque, I have learned how to be patient, caring, and lead a group in a respectful and engaging way.

## Achievements

**February 2025 | 1st place- English Speech 15-30 local level**

**May 2025 | 1st place- English Speech 15-30 regional level**

**November 2024 | Wrote a small paragraph to Edmonton sun for Remembrance Day, I wrote about Muslim soldiers and what Islam says about war**

## Hobbies and Interests

- I have recently started learning more about children with autism because my younger cousin is autistic and I

want to better understand how to connect with him. It is really important to me to interact with him in ways that make him feel safe, happy and included. I enjoy doing research, watching videos and reading about different communication and support strategies. This sparked my passion for psychology.

## **References**

Maira Taimoor, Secretary for the kids I teach  
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