

Movement Teacher Assistant | JOB DESCRIPTION

Attendance Requirements:

- Monday Friday, 10:50am-2:50pm (three movement classes and lunch recess duty)
- ♦ Completion of CPR, first aid, blood-borne pathogen, and mandated reporter training is required

Responsibilities to the Curriculum:

- Assistants are expected to study and be familiar with Waldorf pedagogy and childhood development.
- ♦ Untrained assistants will be mentored by the lead teacher.
- ♦ Financial support for attendance at trainings may be requested through the Personnel Committee and subject to available funds for professional development.

Responsibilities to Colleagues, Class, and Parents:

- Strive to develop and maintain a healthy and respectful relationship with colleagues, parents, and children.
- ♦ Be acquainted with all school procedures, policies, and emergency procedures.
- During the school day the assistant and lead teacher support one another.
- When the lead teacher is absent, the assistant may step into the lead teacher position.
- If approached by parents regarding problems and concerns pertaining to a child or the class, direct the parent to speak with the lead teacher.

Qualities and Skills:

- ♦ Holds a bachelor's degree from an accredited college
- ♦ Enjoys working with children
- ♦ Has good communication skills
- ♦ Expresses a warm and calm presence
- Has the ability to work as a team and respects the lead teacher's decisions
- ♦ Displays professionalism in speech, dress, and manner
- ♦ Shows interest in self-development of skills that support the movement program

Compensation and Benefits:

- ♦ 9-month hourly position
- Please inquire about hourly rate
- ♦ 24-hour accident insurance is available
- ♦ 24.5 hours Paid Time Off (PTO) are offered each year. PTO can be used for school breaks, sick days, weather closings, or as requested and approved two weeks in advance
- Evaluations are conducted by the Personnel Committee