

Kindergarten Lead Teacher

Beginning 2024-25 School Year

Pleasant Ridge Waldorf School is seeking applications for a Kindergarten Lead teacher. The position is available for the 2024–2025 school year, with the possibility of continuing on as we hope to grow our EC program. Our Kindergarten Lead teachers are expected to strive to understand the model of child development that underlies the Waldorf curriculum and, coupling this with study of the early childhood curriculum itself, the curriculum standards of the school, an awareness of the kindergarten class and community attributes, plan the yearly and daily rhythm in such a way that it meets the needs of the mixed age (3.5-6 years) group of children.

Key qualities are strong communication and interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively in a collaborative environment. With the responsibility of carrying a class of up to 16 students, the successful candidate will have excellent class management and organizational skills. The Kindergarten Lead teacher is supported by an assistant in the classroom.

Qualifications and Benefits

The ideal candidate will have a Bachelor's degree, Waldorf teacher training or willingness towards completion of their training, and experience working with young children. Benefits include tuition remission, 401k, and financial support for professional development.

Our School and Community

The mission of Pleasant Ridge Waldorf School is to provide a full Waldorf education to children in early childhood through eighth grade and to be a vital and active part of the Driftless region. Founded in 1980, the school is solidly established with an enrollment of approximately 160 students. The school has full member status through WECAN and AWSNA. Dedicated and compassionate teachers, staff, and parents work side-by-side to tend to the dignity and well-being of our children and community of adults. Additionally, we strive to cultivate a harmonious and diverse school community that is ecologically sustainable, financially responsible, morally diligent, socially renewing, and spiritually striving.

Pleasant Ridge Waldorf School does not discriminate in employment practices on the basis of race, ethnicity, religion, national origin, gender, age, marital or family status, disability or any other basis prohibited by federal, state or local law.

To Apply

Send a letter of interest, resume, and three references to Jordan Brudos, PRWS Administrator, at jordan.brudos@pleasantridgewaldorf.org.