

Unity School

Montessori Preschool (2 year old) Lead Teacher

Unity School is looking for a caring AMS Montessori teacher in our age Two Classroom! Our children in the preschool programs are offered an array of opportunities to discover the joys of learning. Our Montessori classrooms promote self-discipline, responsibility, and independence. They feature child-sized furnishings and teaching materials organized in such a way that children can move freely about the room to select and participate in activities in specific work areas during the day. The materials are specifically designed to be self-correcting so that they encourage children to learn on their own under the careful guidance of their teachers. Our Montessori preschool program develops a broad academic foundation in math, language, history, botany, zoology, physical science, geography, music, and art. Practical life skills are included, allowing children to enjoy opportunities to experience carpentry, gardening, cooking, and cleaning. Each student is observed and directed as they explore Montessori tools designed to develop their sense of order, coordination, concentration, and independence. Children are encouraged to independently complete work, activities, and chores. They become confident and self-reliant as they learn to read, write, and calculate, and most importantly, they are creating!

Job description

Preschool Lead Teacher Opening (2 year olds) for 2021-22 School Year in a well-established Montessori school providing education to children in South Florida for over 50 years. We create a harmonious and peaceful environment by valuing our teachers, parents, administration, and children. We seek a positive role model who embraces life-long learning and demonstrates a strong work ethic as well as a collaborative approach to education.

Professional qualities include:

American Montessori Society or AMI Montessori Primary Certification (helpful)

Bachelor's degree

Three years head teacher experience

Strong written and verbal communication skills

Experience managing an assistant teacher or in leadership

Significant experience working with preschool age children

Skilled at Positive Discipline and managing large groups of children

Desirable personal qualities include:

A love for children and a desire to meet all students' needs

Collaborative approach to decision making

Ability to skillfully balance an array of responsibilities in a busy school environment

An intellectually curious lifelong learner with a sincere passion for Montessori education

Flexible and resilient with a down-to-earth, hands-on style of teaching

An Equal Opportunity Employer, Unity School seeks candidates who will add to the vision of our school community while placing value on our traditions.