

EARLY CHILDHOOD TEACHER JOB DESCRIPTION

EVERGREEN COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL

Evergreen Country Day School (ECDS) is seeking an Early Childhood Teacher with a strong work ethic and passion for teaching young learners to join our team for the 24-25 school year.

To apply: please send a resume to smahoney@evergreencountryday.org.

Who we are: The mission of ECDS is to prepare and inspire students to THRIVE and create a better world. THRIVE is an acronym for our core values (Transformation, Heads/Hands/Hearts, Relationships, Inspiration, Vigor and Emotional Intelligence).

We are a learning community characterized by curiosity and kindness, underscored by the school's supporting pillars of academics, character, community, safety, and individuality. Small class sizes allow for teachers to challenge students while providing individualized instruction within our THRIVE educational philosophy. We are a learning community of dedicated educators where autonomy, collaboration and a growth mindset are valued.

Our parent community is thoughtful, supportive, and engaged in the mission of the school. Throughout the year, our parent organization actively supports the faculty so that they can do their best work for the students in the building.

Our campus is located in scenic Evergreen, Colorado, only 25 miles west of downtown Denver, with roughly 225 students, Toddler through eighth grade.

Reports to: Director of Early Childhood

Primary responsibilities: Working closely with the Head of The Nest, Monday through Friday, in a full-day program for Early-Childhood-aged children.

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE POSSESSES:

- Classroom experience teaching at the Early Childhood level.
- Demonstrated passion and deep understanding for Early Childhood Education.
- Experience in developing curriculum for Early Childhood students.
- Ability to integrate technology, use innovative curricula, and employ best pedagogical practices.
- Understanding of the developmental needs of early learners.
- Ability to differentiate instruction when necessary to reach all levels of learners.
- Collaborative spirit in developing curricula and teaching methods.
- Flexibility, optimism, creativity, high expectations, and a growth mindset.
- Enthusiastic involvement in the school community outside the classroom.





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- Proven positive working relationships with colleagues, students, and families.
- Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal.
- Proven organizational skills.
- Passion for the uniqueness of early learners.
- Fosters a positive and engaging learning environment.
- Creates a joyful and student-centered classroom that inspires students to develop a life-long love of learning.
- Be an enthusiastic part of our school-wide House system (think Harry Potter), that provides a space for cross-age connections and building relationships outside of the classroom.
- Build on our commitment to teaching public speaking and presentation skills.
- Be a part of a team committed to teaching the whole child.
- Value diverse perspectives, identities and lived experiences. Our community is strongest when there are different points of view at the table and good communication is a priority.
- We hope you will join us in creating an environment where students THRIVE academically and develop a lifelong appreciation for learning.

Salary and Benefits: ECDS offers a competitive benefits package that includes retirement match, health, dental, and vision care plans, and a generous professional development allotment.

Applicants are considered for all positions without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, marital or veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity or the presence of a non-job-related medical condition or handicap.

