Early Childhood Education (ECE) Assistant Substitute

About Summerfield Waldorf

Summerfield is a vibrant preschool through high school community with an invested and supportive parent body, warm and engaged colleagues, seasoned mentor teachers, a working biodynamic farm and an incredible 40-acre campus! We strive to educate the whole child through a rich program that includes practical arts, circus, movement, agriculture, music, social inclusion, artistic work, an active festival life and more. Our students love coming to school every day as much as their teachers do!

The Role

Assist the lead teacher in creating a loving, joyful, hygienic and rhythmic space for young children to thrive. This requires that the assistant respond to the lead teacher's requests for support and intervention with the children as needed, that work be undertaken with intention and efficiency, and that care of the classroom always be kept in mind. The daily meal is at the center of the assistant's work most mornings as is attention to the wellbeing of the children in our care.

Qualifications:

- Early childhood education teaching experience;
- Completed 12 semester units, or equivalent quarter units, of early childhood education or child development core classes from an accredited college, university or occupational program, earned or in process;
- Lifeways or Waldorf experience/training are also ideal.

Physical Requirements for Employees at SWSF:

- Indoor activities: Lifting up to 50-70 pounds (children).
- Regularly lifting 15-50 pounds for stocking, prepping, cooking and cleaning for the kindergarten meal program.
- Standing, walking, dancing, jumping, sweeping, vacuuming etc. for teaching, circle time and classroom cleaning.
- Outdoor time on irregular surfaces: Standing, walking, lifting up to 70 pounds (children) regularly lifting 10-15 pounds (tools, toys), running fast.

Please email your introduction letter, along with a resume, to Janet Anguiano, Human Resources Manager at janet.anguiano@summerfieldwaldorf.org. Please also include three references (with phone numbers).

Job Type: Part-time

Pay: $27.31 per hour

Schedule: Morning Program: 7:45am – 1:30 pm and/or Aftercare: 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Experience: Childcare: 2 years (Required)

License/Certification: First Aid Certification (Preferred), CPR Certification (Preferred)