JOB POSTING: PRIMARY TEACHER

The Linden School is seeking a Full-Time JK to Grade 1 teacher.

Linden’s small classes mean you have time to get to know students well. And Linden students love learning, so you spend your time teaching, not focusing on classroom management. Our award-winning teachers are empowered to build innovative, experiential programs that students are excited about. We are a small, collegial faculty in the heart of Toronto, and we are building Canada’s best progressive school. We’re looking for creative, passionate educators who want to build an extraordinary career.

The Linden School is among a small number of girls’ schools in the world that was founded on feminist principles. We are a socially progressive community where innovative best practices in girls’ education promote and strengthen voice, well-being, academic excellence, and global engagement. Driven by the values of inclusivity, diversity, and intellectual risk, staff and faculty work in a culture of respect, collaboration, and intellectual curiosity.

We encourage applications from members of groups that have been historically disadvantaged and marginalized, including First Nations, Metis and Inuit peoples, Indigenous peoples of North America, racialized persons, persons with disabilities, and those that identify as women and/or LGBTQIA2S+

PRIMARIES RESPONSIBILITIES

- Develops program and classroom setup, including curriculum, materials, equipment, and furnishings.
- Collaborates with Linden faculty and other educational institutions as part of program development activities.
- Works with Admissions and Marketing team to support admission inquiries/ recruitment.
- Plans and implements a Linden Grade 1 and 2 curriculum.
- Prepares daily classroom activities (practical and artistic), and indoor and outdoor education that supports the development of the child from 4-7 years old.
- Creates and maintains a warm and nurturing learning environment for all students in the program.
- Prepares students and their families for the Grade 3/4/5 transition.
- Attends faculty, elementary and mentorship meetings as required.
- Ensure compliance with local, provincial, and federal legislation.
- Work with staff, supervisors, and board committee members to establish and implement short- and long-range goals, objectives, policies, and operating procedures.
- Other duties as assigned.

ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES MAY INCLUDE:

- Represent our organization externally to the community, agencies and the general public.
- Assist in orientation for new staff.
KNOWLEDGE AND SKILL REQUIREMENTS

- Ability to analyze data and prepare reports.
- Recent Police Check
- CPR-First Aid training is an asset.
- Immunizations (MMR, TDP) and Recent TB test.
- Demonstrated flexibility, adaptability and openness to new ideas in education practices, particularly related to curriculum, materials, and use of digital technology in the classroom.
- Strong organizational skills and energy for working in a vibrant community-based school.
- Attending faculty meetings, and participating in admission recruitment activities, open house events, family/faculty meetings, and seasonal festivals are required.
- Work requires professional/strong written, verbal and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to produce quality materials within tight timeframes and simultaneously manage projects.
- Understand the laws and maintain the highest degree of confidentiality.

QUALIFICATIONS

- A combination of/ the completion of post secondary education in Education.
- A member of Ontario College of Teachers.
- R.E.C.E. designation a definite asset.

WORKING EXPERIENCE

- Three to Five years teaching experience preferred but accepting first year teacher applicants.
- Preference will be given to those familiar with not-for-profit private school practices and work environment.

WORKING CONDITIONS & BENEFITS

- This is a 12-month contract with possibility for renewal.
- Annual salary commensurate with work experience.
- Employee Health and Dental Benefits package.

Job Types: Full-time, Permanent

Salary: $50,186.32-$95,127.92 per year

COVID-19 considerations:
All staff and students on site are required to wear a mask. We apply current policies and practices for COVID-19 according to Ministry of Education, Public Health restrictions and government mandates.

Interested candidates should send their application to violet@lindenschool.ca.