

Kennebec Montessori School
Fairfield, Maine
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Position Available
Head Teacher, Lower Elementary 2008-09

The Kennebec Montessori School, located in Fairfield, Maine, has an opening for a head teacher in its Lower Elementary classroom in 2008-09.

KMS is a private, non-profit school, founded in 1976, which serves 80 children in 4 classrooms (3 Primary, 1 Elementary). Before and After-Care and summer programs are also offered. The school was recently accredited with the American Montessori Society.

The school facility was designed and built as a Montessori school in 1996 and takes advantage of its idyllic location on 14 acres of farmland. All classrooms have skylights and large windows that face onto the outdoors and adjacent farms, where children can observe birds and animals. There are also wooded trails, gardens and extensive playground equipment. Each classroom is equipped with abundant materials. KMS has a long tradition of special programs in arts and music. Children perform in two concerts per year, and special instruction is offered in Art, Music and Spanish. Elementary students also learn to play tin whistle. A supportive parent community and strong connections to nearby Colby College make the school a vibrant place where there is a shared passion for the Montessori approach to education.

Qualifications:

Bachelor's Degree; AMS or AMI certification; experience as a Head Teacher. The successful candidate will be a creative, enthusiastic, lifelong learner with excellent communication skills.

Compensation and Benefits:

Competitive salary and benefits include Pension Plan with 5% match, Tuition Benefit, compensated holiday and personal days; generous professional development allowance; 10% fringe benefit can be used towards health insurance or as desired.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should send a letter of interest, resume and the names of three references to:

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