



Steamboat Montessori

23/24 School Year

Social Emotional Learning Teacher: All Grade Levels (PK-5th)

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Steamboat Montessori is a free public charter school striving to nurture each student's intellectual curiosity through a prepared and peaceful Montessori environment. Our culture is rooted in kindness, belonging, and relentlessly pursuing learning and growing together as global citizens.

We seek team members who are empathetic, collaborative, and passionate about ensuring student success. Steamboat Montessori offers a comprehensive benefits package including PERA, opportunities for professional development, and a vibrant, community-centered environment.

SOCIAL EMOTIONAL LEARNING TEACHER JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Social Emotional Learning Teacher will work with the Behavioral Health team to build and deepen a positive school climate and culture supporting students to understand and manage emotions, set and achieve positive goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain positive relationships, and make responsible decisions. The SEL Coach will center their work on five core competencies: Self-Awareness, Self Management, Social Awareness, Relationships Skills, and Responsible Decision Making in addition to Montessori's Peace Curriculum and Positive Discipline principles. The SEL Coach will be responsible for the direct support to school staff on SEL programming and daily student support.

- Identify and teach SEL competencies to Tier I and II students in a variety of ways.
- Support administrators, teachers and other school staff in identifying root causes of student behavioral issues and design policy and programming to meet students social and emotional needs.
- Work with administration in implementing all policies and/or rules guiding student behavior and conduct for the classroom.
- Support staff in developing referral, assessment, and progress monitoring systems to coordinate SEL supports.
- Display ethical and professional behavior when working with students, parents, and school personnel
- Teach SEL curriculum to students of all ages

- Perform other duties and responsibilities as directed by the Head of School.
- Utilize existing curriculum and/or design and identify other curricular needs.

What We Offer:

- Base salary: \$35,000- \$55,000 DOE and certification
- Ongoing professional development
- A network of supportive peers and mentors who regularly share best practices
- Comprehensive benefits package including PERA
- The opportunity to contribute to a high-quality educational program that serves the individual needs of each child
- Prioritization of staff wellness and satisfaction
- Contract Days (178)

We'd Love To Talk To You If You Possess:

- Experience working with children
- Experience in the area of Social Emotional Learning and / or Restorative Practices preferred
- Bachelor's degree
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Previous teaching experience for elementary school students
- Desire to learn about Montessori Educational Method and Philosophy
- Strong written and oral communication skills
- Strong interpersonal skills with both children and adults
- Ability to work collaboratively with students, parents, and other professionals
- Strong self-starter; able to work with limited direction
- Entrepreneurial outlook and charter school commitment

Please submit a cover letter, resume, and a list of 3 references to Emily Barnhart, Head of School at ebarnhart@steamboatmontessori.org or call 970-879-6653 for more information. We will accept applications until the position is filled.

Steamboat Montessori actively seeks to build a diverse and experienced team of educators. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, gender, handicap, age, religion, sexual orientation, or national or ethnic origin. We are an equal opportunity employer.