

Preschool Assistant Job Posting (5-day and 3-day)

Part-time

Camellia Waldorf School is seeking a dedicated, energetic and creative professional to join our Early Childhood teaching team as a Preschool Assistant. The Preschool Assistant will be responsible for providing kind and supportive care to our preschool students, alongside the Lead Preschool Teacher. They will support the Lead Teacher in preparing and facilitating program activities throughout the preschool day. They are responsible for creating a safe environment for play, both indoors and outdoors. The Preschool Assistant is expected to model behavior to students in alignment with Waldorf pedagogy. They must work well as a team as well as be able to safely manage a group of students on their own.

About Us: Located in the serene Pocket Area of Sacramento, California, Camellia Waldorf School is an AWSNA-accredited urban school with 142 students. Founded in 1989, we are proud to be among the most diverse Waldorf schools in North America. In 2015, we purchased our permanent location in a quiet neighborhood along the Sacramento River, close to nature and many parks. Our strong and devoted community boasts dedicated parents and friends. Our Board of Trustees is made up of current parents, members of the faculty, and enthusiastic parents of long-graduated alums.

Qualifications:

- 6 early childhood education (ECE) units preferred. At a minimum, 3 ECE units are required with enrollment in coursework towards attaining a total of 6.
- CPR and First Aid certification or ability to obtain, provide proof of non-active TB, and complete a fingerprinting LiveScan.
- Familiarity with Waldorf Teaching philosophy
- One-year of childcare experience (preferred)

This is a part-time hourly paid position. We have positions available in both our 5-day Orange Blossom Preschool and our 3-day Apple Blossom Preschool. The base hours for the Orange Blossom preschool assistant are Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. The base hours for the Apple Blossom preschool assistant are Tuesday – Wednesday – Thursday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. There is a possible option for more hours based on availability for extended care.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply. Please send a resume, cover letter, and at least two professional references to jobs@camelliawaldorf.org.