

# Montessori Preschool Float Teacher

(Infant, Toddler, Primary)

## Job description

Northstar Montessori teachers are guides, helping to direct the children's academic, emotional, and physical development in a prepared, peaceful Montessori environment that challenges each child to reach their fullest potential. The Float Teacher works in the preschool classrooms (Infant, Toddler, Primary) as assigned, helping the Lead and Assistant Teachers to operate, and maintain the classroom with the order and neatness characteristic of the Montessori environment. The Float Teacher aids in the implementation of the daily schedule and routine, assisting with activities, developing nurturing relationships, and ensuring the safety, security, and supervision of students.

Float Teacher applicants must have a High School Diploma or equivalent, have a clear background check when fingerprinted, and enjoy working with children. Experience caring for children aged 6 weeks to 6 years old, and familiarity with Montessori principles is helpful, but not required--we are willing to train the right applicant.

## Duties and Requirements include, but are not limited to:

- Possess an attitude which shows belief in the Montessori philosophy and pride in the work that is being done.
- Carry out duties and work schedules in a consistent manner.
- Attend all staff meetings.
- Consistently arrive at work in a timely fashion.
- Respect and adhere to all safety requirements.
- Work collaboratively with the Director, fellow Teachers, and other Support Staff.
- Take direction from the Lead Teacher in the classroom.
- Model a peaceful learning environment.
- Keep the classroom environment clean and orderly.
- Work with other teachers on special programming and school events.

- Inform Lead Teachers of any classroom difficulties, including discipline, health, equipment needs, repairs, and maintenance.
- Keep up with required professional development of 16 hours/school year (including CPR & First Aid).

**Job Type:** Full-time

**Salary:** \$15.50 - \$17.50 per hour

**Expected hours:** 25-40 per week

**Benefits:**

- 401(k)
- 401(k) matching
- Employee discount
- Health insurance
- Paid time off
- Parental leave
- Professional development assistance
- Tuition reimbursement

**Schedule:**

- 5-8 hour shift
- Day shift
- Monday to Friday
- No Nights

**Ability to Relocate:**

- Saline, MI 48176: Relocate before starting work (Required)

**Work Location:** In person