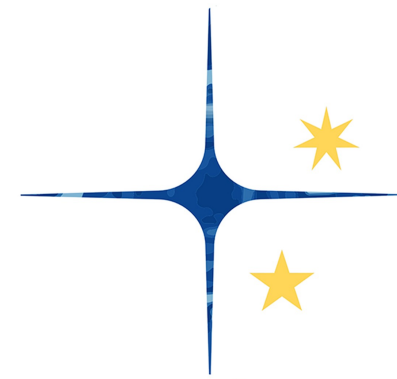


POLARIS

SCHOOL AND CENTRE

learning for our times, teaching in freedom



Career opportunities

2023-2024 Grade School Teacher

Polaris School and Centre is seeking a grade school class teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. Having opened our doors in September 2018, Polaris School and Centre is a small, independent Waldorf-inspired school in the heart of Ottawa. We are currently looking for an individual to join our team and our growing and diverse school community.

Polaris School and Centre strives to meet the needs of the whole child – head, heart and hands. Using a hands-on and experiential educational approach, our goal is to plant a seed in each child for a life-long love of learning, building a foundation of self-confidence, resilience, creativity and respect for oneself, others, and the natural world around them.

The ideal candidate will be a Waldorf-trained teacher and/or Ontario-Certified teacher with Waldorf teaching experience, who feels comfortable taking on a split grade class. Experience teaching multi-grade classes is beneficial.

We are looking for a talented and motivated individual who enjoys working with children, teaching and works well in a collaborative manner.

Responsibilities include:

- Preparing main lesson blocks and extra lessons according to a Waldorf pedagogy and following the Waldorf curriculum.
- Teaching students using a hands-on, experiential approach, interweaving movement and art into the academic subjects.
- Evaluating the progress of students and discuss results with students, parents and the Circle of Teachers and Administration.
- Identifying children's individual learning needs.
- Participating in staff meetings, mentoring and workshops as required.

Requirements:

- Ideally candidates would have completed their Waldorf Teacher Training Certification OR Ontario-certified teacher training certification with at least one year teaching experience in a Waldorf setting and/or similar experience and certification.
- Ability to teach in English, other languages (especially French) an asset.

Salary:

- Full-time salary ranges from \$46K to \$56K based on training and experience

If interested, email a letter of intent, your resume, two references and a brief autobiography to careers@polarisschool.ca.



2023-2024 Specialty Teachers

Polaris School and Centre is currently seeking part-time specialty teachers for the 2023-2024 school year in the following subjects:

- French as a second language
- Handwork
- Music and/or Choir
- Movement, Circus Arts, etc.

The ideal candidates will have prior teaching experience and be familiar with or have an interest in Waldorf education. Preference will be given to those with Waldorf training and/or Waldorf teaching experience.

We are looking for talented and motivated individuals who enjoy working with children, teaching and who work well in a collaborative manner.

Hours will vary based on subject. Please contact us for more information.

If interested, email a letter of intent and your resume to careers@polarisschool.ca.

We look forward to hearing from you!

Supply Teachers

We are always looking for individuals to add to our supply teaching list for the kindergarten and grade school. If you are interested please send your CV and a cover letter to careers@polarisschool.ca.



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