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**Kindergarten Support Teacher, Family Leave Replacement
January-April, 2018
Reports to Lower School Division Head**

The Kindergarten Support Teachers is paired with a mentor teacher in a self-contained classroom of 20 students. Observing and collaborating with the mentor teacher and participating in all aspects of school life, support teachers gain valuable experience and training. Support teachers receive observations and feedback and also participate in weekly meetings with a cohort. Meeting topics include information and discussions about classroom management, curriculum planning, social emotional development, technology use, students with learning differences, and assessment.

Responsibilities Include:

- Meeting with mentor teacher at least once a week
- Planning and teaching lessons for whole group, small group and individual activities as determined by mentor teacher
- Being aware of and responsive to the needs of mentor teacher and of children
- Assisting with classroom organizational and clerical responsibilities
- Providing supervision and support during lunch and recess
- Attending and participating in weekly support teacher meetings
- Implementing and modeling community practices established by the school and teachers

Requirements:

- Minimum of undergraduate degree
- Desire to pursue a career in education
- Preference for individuals in credentialing and/or advanced degree programs in education

MCDS is an equal opportunity employer and promotes the principles and practices of diversity and inclusion throughout the school community.

Please send resume and letter of interest:

Web: www.mcds.org

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Our Statement of Community and Inclusion* highlights our mission:

Our school is a community that:

Inspires children to develop a love of learning,

Thoughtful perspectives and a diversity of skills;

Nurtures in each of them a deep sense of respect, responsibility and compassion; and Challenges them to envision and to work toward a better world.

“Ours is a Community that would be uncomfortable without diversity and, therefore, has been intentional about creating and nurturing a diverse group of adults and children who share the core values of respect, responsibility and compassion. As such, to realize successfully our mission and values, each of us must actively help build and cultivate our multifaceted community by developing cultural competency.”