

TEACH with US: Kindergarten Teaching Assistant

Come cultivate + celebrate the intellectual, imaginative + humanitarian promise of each student.

Overview

Starts immediately, M-F 11 am - 3 pm (50% FTE position) with opportunity for more hours in Extended Day program

The Kindergarten Teaching Assistant will:

- Assure students are joyfully + safely engaged in classroom activities + outdoor play
- Support head teacher with overall operation of the classroom
- Collaborate with the teaching team to work with individual children, small groups
- Provide age-appropriate academic + social-emotional instruction + support to students
- Organize + set up equipment + materials
- Manage children + systems during play, class, + lunch
- Communicate observations + insights to Head Teachers, including assessing + monitoring skill development
- Guide student behavior patiently + supportively
- Maintain an encouraging + positive attitude with students + colleagues

We seek a team member who is a(n):

- Inspiring, student-centered educator (an Associate Degree with two-three years of successful work as a Teacher Assistant are recommended)
- Experienced educator with knowledge of developmental stages + needs of children age 3-6
- Excellent communicator with cultural competence
- Flexible team mate who is willing to collaborate
- Partner who is able to react quickly to the needs of children; lift + assist students (up to 40 lbs); lift + move classroom equipment (up to 20 lbs); can perform essential functions in the classroom.

Spanish language is a plus but not required.

If you are ready to join us, send a single document (pdf) with your letter of interest, resume + three references to jobs@sfschool.org

See us today: www.sfschool.org
+ how we will grow: [Strategic Plan](#)
Questions? Just give us a call: 415.239.5065

Steve Morris
Head of School
20+ years as an educator
14 years as SFS Head



"I am committed to supporting teachers to learn + grow at whatever stage they are in their careers."



Kate McElvaney
Lower School Head
25+ years as an educator

"I am dedicated to partnering with educators + families to support the growth of children as learners, friends, citizens + compassionate humans who have a clear sense of themselves + the power they have to shape their world."

The San Francisco School

A Preschool through 8th Grade independent school, with a commitment to a multicultural + inclusive community. The School embraces San Francisco's ethnic, cultural + economic diversity. Our progressive approach to education encourages children to develop **self-reliance, strong academic skills, creativity,** + a sense of social justice. They graduate **academically prepared, inquisitive, courageous,** + eager for the challenges ahead.

We are committed to increasing staff diversity, both to reflect the high value SFS places on multicultural understanding + for the direct benefit of each student.