



Assistant Toddler Teacher

The Assistant is responsible for assisting the lead teacher in maintaining a high-quality learning environment and planning a variety of developmentally appropriate, hands-on learning experiences for an assigned group of toddler-age students between the ages of 1 and 3 years. Assistants build strong relationships with students, families and co-workers, serving as role models for the students. See full job description details [here](#).

Basic Qualifications: Excellent communication skills, curiosity, and eagerness to learn, clear understanding of child development, and positive discipline. Comfort with working outdoors in all types of weather, enthusiasm for nature and passion for high-quality early childhood education. Familiarity with child-led potty-training/toilet-learning and diapering.

Education and Experience: Some college, Basic computer skills, Previous related experience

Detail oriented and quality conscious

Ability to work outdoors in all types of weather

Able to adapt to change, be flexible and learn new teaching strategies specific to our school and in keeping with current research findings

Ability to contribute to a positive community culture

Ability to commit to a long-term employment contract

Must demonstrate a clear understanding of child development specific to early childhood

Professional development coaching and training provided

Previous experience in an alternative early childhood setting is strongly preferred

Willingness to undergo training within the first year of employment is required for anyone without previous experience

Yoga, music, second language or gardening skills helpful

Previous experience working with toddlers is a must

*All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, creed, religion, disability, sex, age, ethnic or national origin, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity or presentation, pregnancy, genetics, veteran status, or any other status protected by state or federal law. EOE/ Minorities/Females/Vet/Disability Please view the electronic EEO is the Law Poster which serves to inform you of your equal employment opportunity protections as part of the application process. **Reasonable Accommodation for Job Seekers with a Disability:** If you require reasonable accommodation in completing this application, interviewing, completing any pre-employment testing, or otherwise participating in the employee selection process, please direct your inquiries to ellen@thegardenschools.org.*

Department: Faculty

Time Type: Part-Time (20-25 hrs/wk)

Work Status: Permanent, Year-Round, *Hourly*

Compensation: [\\$15.00/hr](#)

Start Date: August 2022

About us

The Garden is a growing community of learners of all ages which aspires to promote a culture of peace and unity not just within our culture, but within the world by providing high-quality early childhood, teacher, and parent education. We offer a variety of programs aimed at meeting the needs of the whole family while nurturing the spirit of our skilled educators.

To be considered for this position, please send your cover letter and resume to Ellen Graham at ellen@thegardenschools.com.