

New Leaf

PREP ACADEMY

Secondary Teacher

COMPENSATION DEPENDS LARGELY ON QUALIFICATIONS

- Competitive compensation of \$40,200- \$48,200 per 9 month contract
- Additional summer hours available for 12 month employment

JOB TYPE

- Full-time 9 Month Contract
- Optional Summer Hours

SECONDARY POSITIONS AVAILABLE

- 7th & 8th grade Language Arts & Social Studies Teacher
- 7th & 8th grade Math & Science Teacher

Secondary teachers are responsible for teaching 1-2 additional elective courses including Music, Foreign Language, Nutrition or Physical Education. Studios have 18 students maximum!

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- Bachelor's Degree
- Wisconsin Teaching License
- Preferred: 1 Year Teaching Experience
- Preferred: MATCE Montessori Credential or Montessori Experience

JOB DESCRIPTION

Join the education revolution, and teach like never before! We are a Public Charter school that opened in 2021 providing K-8 education like never before! Through high-fidelity implementation of the scientifically developed, highly-researched Montessori Method and nature-based methods, students establish firmly grounded academic understanding through use of hands-on learning while developing grit, grace and courtesy, practical life skills, and independent critical thinking; all of which are crucial tools for lifelong success. Our curriculum helps students to make sense of the world around them without gaining skills at the expense of actual knowledge.

Let's stop teaching to create good test-takers, and instead teach to inspire the next generation to be successful- well-rounded, critical thinking, problem-solving, self-driven, lifelong learners!

Our holistic approach to learning examines all avenues that will affect lifelong student success. A minimalist environment with mindful and proper implementation of technology will enable them to focus on lessons and material at hand.

Small studio sizes of 18 students maximum enables our students to safely learn through trial and error and maximize your impact on each learner. Our secondary studios act as flipped classrooms and educators employ the use of Socratic seminars and labs to put children at the center of their educational journey. Learning holistically through nature exploration is a major component of our programming in addition to learning practical life skills such as cooking,

gardening, and caring for one's environment. Studies are instructed during interdisciplinary work cycles for limited daily interruptions allowing time, space, and individualization to engage in academic work in a way that is most meaningful to them and beneficial to their learning needs. Teachers determine expectations but allow students to have the freedom and flexibility to learn in a way that is most meaningful to them.

JOB DUTIES

We are searching for Passionate educators to join us on this revolutionary and exciting journey! Secondary teachers are responsible for teaching two core subjects as well as 1-2 elective courses. Teachers will be equipped with hands-on lab focused curriculum, and Progress Report Software to aid them within the classroom and ensure material is meeting all state teaching standards. Teachers will be required to help guide students on their educational journey in, but not limited to, the following ways:

- Completing Progress reporting through frequent observations
- Providing timely feedback to students
- Lesson planning
- Implementing curriculum in a meaningful way
- Being prepared
- Providing small group & one on one instruction
- Communicating with parents
- Collaborating with educators
- Meeting with students
- Adapting teaching methods and learning paths for each student
- Fostering a love of learning
- Leading Labs, Socratic Seminars & Project based learning
- Maintaining a clean and purposeful environment
- Supporting students in a kind and respectful way
- Leading Parent/teacher conferences
- Assisting Students to develop & structure student-led conferences
- Maintaining a safe and collaborative studio atmosphere
- Acting as a good role model in attitude, speech, and actions

Teachers will be responsible for ensuring that all students are being challenged individually and are meeting and exceeding all state required testing standards in a way that is meaningful to each student.

BENEFITS:

- Paid Holidays
- Paid Breaks
- Paid Prep & Planning
- Paid Vacation
- Health Benefits
- Better than Pension Plan (Ask to see how our plan stacks up against the WRS!)
- Further Education Opportunities: Montessori Credential
- Small ratio: 18 students maximum
- Collaborative Teaching Environment
- Supportive Families & Administration
- Mixed-Age Studios develop leaders within the studio
- Looping students allow for increased teacher to student effectiveness

If you are looking to shape the future and inspire many creative minds to think outside of the box this is YOUR opportunity!