



Job Opening: Preschool Lead Teacher For School Year 2024-25

We seek a confident, warm, community-minded individual with a deep appreciation for the Waldorf approach to education and its anthroposophical foundations. A willingness to engage deeply in rethinking the Waldorf curriculum with an eye to diversity, equity and inclusion is also desired. The ideal candidate will be a fully-trained Waldorf teacher with teaching experience and enthusiasm for developing a vibrant play-based Waldorf preschool program. This is a full-time position.

About the School: Olympia Waldorf School is a full member AWSNA and WECAN school that serves students from preschool through eighth grade. Our faculty is composed of five early childhood teachers (with assistants), eight grades teachers, and specialty teachers, all supported by a full administrative staff.

Campus and Community: Olympia Waldorf School was founded in 1985 and is situated on 5.6 acres of field, garden, and woodland in semi-rural East Olympia. Our campus includes Prairie Hall, an historic school building built in 1914 and opened in 1916, a modern Middle School building, and a charming Kinderhaus. Our community is warm, welcoming, and engaged in the life of the school.

Compensation: Our competitive faculty compensation package includes increments for teaching and educational experience, as well as partial tuition remission, medical, dental, and vision benefits, and professional development opportunities as needed. Salary from \$35,330 to \$50,000 depending on qualifications.

Our Capital City: Olympia is nestled at the southern tip of Puget Sound and boasts access to a large network of saltwater bays, channels, inlets, and coves, as well as the rain forests, mountains like Mt. Rainier, Cascades and the Olympics, coastal beaches, and parks of the nearby Olympia Peninsula.

How to Apply: Interested and qualified candidates are asked to submit a resume, three professional references, and a cover letter describing their education experience and why they want to work for Olympia Waldorf School via email to pedagogical@olympiawaldorf.org or by mail to Olympia Waldorf School, P.O. Box 130, East Olympia, WA, 98540. For more information, contact our Administrator, at 360-493-0906. We encourage you to visit our website to learn more about our school at www.olympiawaldorf.org.

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