



Job Posting: Middle School Science & FACS Teacher

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*Montessori for the 21st
Century: A Place to Learn,
A Place to Belong*

Mission:

Through the Montessori philosophy, we inspire every child to learn and grow in a collaborative, peaceful, and safe environment.

Vision:

We seek to transform our community by developing students who pursue their full potential, understand their global responsibilities, and respect others, self, and the environment.



Who We Are & What We Value:

Free Horizon Montessori, a public charter school serving children in preschool through 8th grade, is a richly diverse community nestled in the foothills of Golden, Colorado. We are a growing school with more than 410 students and a strong, supportive parent body and passionate, committed faculty. At Free Horizon Montessori, we value educators who ignite passion, spark curiosity, and inspire children as they learn and grow into responsible global citizens. We are dedicated to supporting students in developing into independent, respectful, and responsible leaders and learners. We view education as a partnership between the student, family, school, and community and seek professionals willing to invest in our pursuit of excellence. Our faculty enjoys a shared leadership model wherein all staff members are encouraged to contribute ideas and incite positive change. Does this strike a chord in you? If you embrace life-long learning, demonstrate maturity, and engage in a collaborative approach to education, we invite you to apply.

Core Qualifications for Teaching Positions:

- Bachelor's Degree
- Montessori Credential from MACTE-Accredited Program (or previous experience in Montessori and a willingness to complete Montessori certification)
- Highly Qualified under NCLB through passing score on appropriate PLACE or Praxis II exam (or current Colorado Teacher's License in Secondary Science)
- 3 Years Experience as a Lead Teacher Preferred

Successful candidates will bring an understanding of the relationship between curriculum, instruction, and assessment in supporting student achievement, and demonstrate comfort and competence in utilizing technology to enhance student learning.

Position Description:

Middle School Science and FACS Teacher (7th & 8th Grade) – Half Time (MTRF 7:45 - 11:45 & W 9:30 – 1:30) -OR- Full Time (7:30 – 4:00) if combined with Middle School Math Teacher position, starting August 3rd – In addition to the core qualifications, this person must have passion about making science come alive with interactive experiences that connect students with the Colorado Content Standards within a Montessori framework and creates meaningful real-world learning opportunities within the Family & Consumer Science course. This individual possesses exemplary differentiation and classroom management skills, is a strong, clear communicator, welcomes collaboration, actively seeks student engagement, keeps accurate and complete records, and is comfortable with a flexible block schedule. Our Middle School teachers understand, value, and participate in field excursions and travel with students in order to connect their learning real-life experiences and are champions of adolescent learners within our school and the greater community. This person not only “gets” adolescents, but inspires them to do their best each and every day as well as supports them in developing strong social and emotional competency and inspiring a life-long love of learning that prepares students for high school and beyond.

Compensation:

We provide a comprehensive compensation package including competitive salary based on education, experience, and diverse skill sets that benefit our school community, PERA retirement contribution, benefit allocation toward health, vision, dental, and life insurance, paid leave time, and professional development opportunities.

How to Apply:

Upload a letter of interest and resume and complete our online application via AppliTrack at www.applitrack.com/freehorizon/onlineapp/

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