

CLASSROOM TEACHER [Kindergarten]

Naval Academy Primary and Secondary (NAPS) is seeking a passionate Kindergarten Classroom Teacher to foster an engaging, hands-on learning environment that supports the academic and social-emotional growth of young learners. This full-time position emphasizes early literacy, numeracy, and social development through structured and play-based learning experiences.

At NAPS, we pride ourselves on providing a structured and nurturing environment tailored to meet the unique needs of each child. Our small class sizes and skilled faculty ensure every student feels supported, empowered, and prepared to succeed in middle school, high school, and beyond.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- · Develop and implement engaging lessons aligned with early childhood curriculum standards.
- · Utilize hands-on, multi-sensory teaching methods to support foundational literacy and math skills.
- · Foster a nurturing and structured environment that supports students' emotional and social development.
- · Observe and assess student progress, adjusting instruction to meet individual learning needs.
- Maintain strong communication with parents to support student growth and success.
- · Collaborate with colleagues to create a cohesive and engaging learning experience.

IDEAL CANDIDATE CHARACTERISTICS:

- · Committed to NAPS's mission of providing a nurturing, structured environment that supports the holistic growth of students.
- Demonstrates empathy, patience, and a nurturing approach to meet the needs of children from diverse backgrounds, including military families.
- · Proficient in adapting teaching methods to individual learning styles and fostering a love of learning in students.
- · Skilled in integrating technology into the classroom to enhance the learning experience.
- · A self-starter who collaborates effectively within a professional, growth-oriented teaching team.

ABOUT NAVAL ACADEMY PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL (NAPS):

NAPS is dedicated to fostering the intellectual, physical, emotional, and social development of children in Annapolis and the surrounding communities. Our small class sizes enable teachers to provide individualized attention, catering to each child's unique strengths and challenges.

Our faculty, which includes military spouses and parents, is uniquely equipped to support students through transitions and to cultivate a safe, nurturing, and stimulating environment. The curriculum is enriched by special programs such as Art, Technology, French, Library, Music, Physical Education, and Mindfulness, all of which are designed to create lifelong learners and responsible citizens.

We value the engagement of parents as partners in their children's educational experience, offering numerous opportunities for involvement through classroom activities, field trips, fundraising, and community events. Supported by a dedicated Board of Trustees, NAPS is committed to ensuring a safe, welcoming, and sustainable environment for every child.

We serve those that serve.

TO APPLY:

To apply, please complete the required application form on the NAPS website.