

Do you believe that learning for learning's sake is natural for children?

Do you want to help children know and live as their authentic selves?

Do you think that an environment where children have autonomy and agency helps them thrive?

Have you felt that you could be a positive influence in the lives of children?

Are you a lifelong learner?

Do you want to re-imagine what is possible in education?

If so, we want to talk to you!

The Attic Learning Community is a unique learning community serving learners from Pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade on a beautiful, privately owned 5 acre wooded campus in Woodinville, Washington. For the last 23 years we have created a learning environment where learners are excited to come to school, intrinsically motivated to learn, and passionate about making positive change in their community and the world. At The Attic, we nurture in all children a sense of self, a passion for learning, community and childhood.

Our core values are: Sense of Self, Passion for Learning, Community and Childhood. We prioritize long-term goals for our children in everything we do, educating with the whole child in mind. This means gifting each learner with trust, acceptance, time, autonomy, choice, and authentic opportunities to learn.

We are looking for Teachers who align with our core values and can honestly say yes to the questions above. The Attic is a non-traditional learning environment. A supportive and welcoming community, free of grades and standardized testing. Free

of rewards and punishments. Our classes are 3 days a week with an optional 4th day. We believe that learning happens everywhere and is not bound by the four walls of a classroom, 5 days a week.

We are looking for people who are excited about the idea of creating an engaging environment for their students to explore ideas and discover new connections. Our need is for a professional who is comfortable teaching a wide range of age groups and topics, especially 9-15 year olds. At The Attic you will have the freedom within structure to design classes around topics and experiences that will get your students excited about learning and tend to the whole child. The effectiveness of our approach has been demonstrated by the pandemic and how it changed the idea of education and what that can look like.

Flexibility isn't just for our learners; all our teaching positions are .60 FTE, giving you more time to pursue your life long learning quest. All teaching positions of .60 FTE are eligible for medical, dental, vision and life insurance as well as a retirement plan with company match. This position is Monday - Wednesday from 8:30am to 4:00pm on campus during the academic year, with some events and meetings occurring in the evenings, Fridays, and weekends. We offer flexible planning time with the ability to have some planning occurring off campus. Summers are flexible depending on the needs of prospective families. The teaching staff has the entire month of July off. Salary ranges from \$30,000 to \$40,000 depending on experience.

If you think The Attic is the place for you, please take the first step by filling out our <u>application</u>. We continually accept applications for teaching positions. You can find a link to the job description in the application. We conduct interviews monthly except the month of July.