Pacific Crest School in Seattle, WA, is currently seeking AMI trained Elementary guides to join our experienced Elementary team as we refine our Spanish, Outings and Elementary Aftercare programs, and prepare to add another classroom.

## We're seeking:

A native Spanish speaker to bring Montessori curriculum, in Spanish, to children in all of our Elementary classrooms.

And an AMI trained guide to align our robust Outings & Aftercare programs with Montessori principles, promoting social development and independence outside of the classroom. This position has a likely trajectory of shifting into a lead classroom teaching position in the near future, as PCS plans to add another Elementary room soon.

## Requirements:

- AMI Elementary diploma, or current enrollment in such a training program
- Strong aptitude for working in collaboration with fellow teachers
- Commitment to engaging students according to AMI principles of development to create a joyful, engaging learning environment that ignites a love for nature & work, and nurtures wonder, gratitude, dignity, self-discipline and independence.
- Ability and passion to nurture every child's potential in an increasingly racially and culturally diverse community.

PCS was founded in 1985 and is led by an AMI trained and experienced Head of School, leadership and teachers. With 200+ students, we have four Primary classes, two Lower Elementary, one Upper Elementary, a Middle School and a 19 acre farm (on nearby Vashon Island)!

Entering our 39th year, we are a well established community of dedicated families and staff who strive to create a vibrant Montessori community from Primary through young adolescence. We're located in a residential block between the dynamic and creative Ballard and Fremont neighborhoods, and our farm offers organic gardens, sheep, chickens, fruit & nut orchards, ponds, a creek, woodlands, a meadow, platform tents, community events, and more.

Please see our website, <a href="www.pacificcrest.org">www.pacificcrest.org</a>, to learn about this wonderful school and community, where AMI Montessori principles of child development guide us all. Children, families and faculty truly thrive at Pacific Crest! PCS offers a comprehensive benefits package, opportunities for professional development, competitive salaries commensurate with experience, generous tuition remission when relevant, and an extraordinary work environment. Sponsorship of Montessori training for the right candidate is offered. The position is open for the 24-25 school year (starting August 26, 2024).

Pacific Crest School is an Equal Opportunity Employer, and we value all the unique gifts and educational and cultural riches of our staff, families and children. Please send letters of interest or a cover letter and resume to <a href="mailto:employment@pacificcrest.org">employment@pacificcrest.org</a>