

# 2S/3S, 3S/4S, Or 4S/5S Assistant Teacher

**Barrow Street Nursery School** 

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### **Job Description**

Barrow Street Nursery School seeks a Full-Time Early Childhood Assistant Teacher for the 2021 – 2022 school year.

- Students are between the ages of 2 years and 5 years at the start of the school year in September.
- 2s/3s and 3s/4s teach 2 separate groups of students; One group attends from 9:00 12:00
  (M-F) and a separate group attends from 1:00 4:00 (M-F).
- 4s/5s teach one group of students from 9:00 3:00 (M-F)

Teachers at Barrow Street are practitioners of progressive education within the context of a social studies based program and a mission driven school derived from a Reggio Emilia and Bank Street inspired pedagogy.

### Responsibilities

- Supporting the lead classroom teacher with students and curriculum
- Collaborating with extension (art, movement, music, science and pottery) teachers.
- Meeting with your teaching team, age-level colleagues, and administrators on a regular basis to plan and work together, discuss students and supports, and hone curriculum.
- Fostering positive social/emotional growth through an environment where the balance of play and developmentally appropriate academic concepts are an essential component
- Creating ongoing written portfolio pieces on students throughout the school year

#### **Qualifications**

- Pedagogy should be student-centered and practiced in differentiated instruction.
- Bachelor's degree
- Experience working with young children
- Comfort, skill, and enjoyment in the writing process
- Strong oral communication skills and ability to work with parents
- A questioning stance and curious mind with a high tolerance for ambiguity
- An ability to observe carefully and think inductively
- Background or experience in special education is a plus
- Demonstrated history of being a lifelong learner who continues their own growth through professional development.
- Successful Barrow Street teachers are reflective about their practice and avail themselves of professional development and leadership opportunities.

## **Application Instructions**

- Send a resume and cover letter to Nicole Pappas Ferrin, Director, npappas@greenwichhouse.org
- Include a documentation or writing sample (if available)
- In the body of your email, please indicate that you found this listing through the NYSAIS website