



Columbus School for Girls

PYC Studio Teacher Full-time, 10 month Effective August 2019

Columbus School for Girls (CSG) is an independent day school in Columbus, Ohio, founded in 1898, serving diverse students in grades pre-k through grade 12. CSG empowers girls to discover their distinct potential as learners and leaders. As a leader in the education of girls and young women, it is a vibrant community of more than 565 students, 135 faculty and staff, and 2,500 active alumnae. CSG's 8-acre academic campus in the beautiful Bexley neighborhood is a ten-minute drive from downtown Columbus, a city bustling with artistic, civic, and shopping experiences. Having just completed a strategic plan to guide the School's direction over the next several years, CSG offers an exceptional, student-centered academic experience with strong offerings in the arts, an impressive athletic program, and a health and wellness curriculum that is unique in Central Ohio. This combination of academics and skills ensures that CSG students will be well prepared for life beyond CSG. The Program for Young Children (PYC) serves more than 75 children, aged three- to six-years-old.

Columbus School for Girls seeks to hire an energetic and creative full-time **Studio Teacher** to begin in the 2019-2020 academic year. This position is a full-time, 10-month position, following the faculty calendar. CSG offers a competitive salary and professional opportunities and welcomes candidates who add to the racial, cultural, religious, and gender diversity of the school community.

Major Functions and Responsibilities:

- Work collaboratively with the preschool and kindergarten classrooms to integrate the highest quality arts education and care for our students.
- Demonstrate interest in working with the Reggio Emilia approach to learning.
- Plan curriculum that supports best practices for early childhood.
- Supervise students to ensure their safety and well-being.
- Demonstrate willingness to support and guide children to research, document, and express their ideas through multiple materials.
- Provide professional development and classroom modeling to preschool and kindergarten teachers on the essential components of Reggio Emilia studio work
- Report on student growth using portfolios and continuums.
- Initiate studio-related projects and partnerships in both school and local community.

Experience, Characteristics, Qualities:

- Bachelor's degree in art or art-related field required.
- Experience working with or in a Reggio Emilia inspired environment preferred.
- An understanding of the value of an all-girl education and the eagerness to learn about the best ways to help young women of promise to reach their full potential as learners and leaders.



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- Excellent communication skills, a genuine appreciation for and an understanding of the development of young children, a sense of humor, and the ability to work well within a diverse, collaborative environment.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter outlining their interest in and qualifications for this specific position and a resume in a single Word document to: Diane Mosher, Hiring Coordinator, Columbus School for Girls, 65 S. Drexel Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43209; fax: (614) 252-0571; or email hr@columbuschoolforgirls.org.

Please put ***PYC Studio Teacher*** in the subject line.

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