



## Grade 4 Homeroom & Humanities Parental Leave Sub

Located fifteen minutes north of the Golden Gate Bridge in Mill Valley, Mount Tamalpais School (MTS) is a K-8 co-educational independent day school serving 240 students. At MTS “Learning is revered, and education is joyful.” We lead with kindness, honor childhood, and practice active inclusion. In our rich program, we celebrate the journey and encourage all learners to ask, “What’s possible?” MTS students, well prepared for their future while remaining young at heart, bring a multitude of diverse and unique backgrounds to our community. They are motivated learners who love engaging in learning.

MTS Professional Community members are passionate about both what they teach and who they teach. Our departmentalized program allows all teachers to share their passion while focusing their professional growth. Regardless of department, MTS educators are dedicated to the social-emotional development and wellbeing of our students. Likewise, all adults on campus share a continual commitment to creating a diverse, equitable, and inclusive school community.

### **When:**

Mount Tamalpais School seeks a full-time Grade 4 Homeroom and Humanities parental leave teacher for August to December, 2022.

### **Position Qualifications:**

The ideal candidate will have teaching experience and a B.A./B.S. in a relevant field. A successful candidate in this position will:

- Collaborate with the Grades 4 teaching team
- Serve as a Grade 4 Homeroom teacher who is committed to the social and emotional development of students
- Exhibit a passion for Grade 4 Humanities (reading, writing, social studies) content knowledge and a range of effective pedagogical approaches, and a sincere appreciation for the Grades 4 age group.
- Demonstrate commitment to equitable and culturally responsive teaching practices • Cultivate an inclusive, collaborative, and challenging learning environment that reflects the MTS values and allows a diverse student body to grow and thrive • Integrate technology in effective ways that enhances students’ learning experiences and growth
- Show initiative in seeking out opportunities for professional growth, leadership, and community building

- Communicate with families regularly through school platforms and email.
- Lead/Support grade-level events including curriculum nights, conferences, parent education, field trips, and arts performances
- Bring unique skills to contribute to our rich programming outside of the classroom (e.g. sponsoring a club, leading an outdoor education trip, etc.)

### **How to Apply**

Please submit a cover letter describing your interest in the position as well as your anticipated contribution to the MTS community given the job description, your resume, and a list of three references to Meagan Andrews, Head of Lower School by email ([mandrews@mttam.org](mailto:mandrews@mttam.org)).

All application information is kept confidential until candidates reach the semifinalist stage of the hiring process and/or grant permission to contact references.

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