



**The Leadership School**

STUDENT LEADERSHIP AT THE CENTER OF LEARNING

## Founding Teachers

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We are hiring founding kindergarten, first grade, second grade, art, music, and physical education teachers for the 2021-22 school year. Applications will be taken until all open positions are filled.

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### About the School

The Leadership School is a new, innovative charter public school that will open fall 2021 to serve students and families within the boundaries of the Normandy Schools Collaborative. The school will start with kindergarten through second grade and add a grade each year, growing to kindergarten through eighth grade over six years. The Leadership School exists to ensure that all children in our community grow their leadership capacity through earnest engagement in an academically rigorous, culturally relevant, and relationship-oriented environment. In addition to providing a strong foundation of relationships and belonging and the toolkit of academic skills, our students will have authentic opportunities to practice and exercise leadership—in one's own life and the world around them.

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### About the Position

Founding Teachers at The Leadership School ensure that all students meet their learning and leadership goals. Founding Teachers believe all children deserve a high-quality education, are committed to continual learning, and have expert knowledge of their craft. Founding Teachers have a proven track record of success in the classroom, analyze student data to improve outcomes, and build relationships with students. All employees of The Leadership School must support and maintain the integrity of the school's mission and values.



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## *Overview/Responsibilities:*

Founding Teachers provide high expectations, structure and accountability to ensure that all students meet or exceed learning and leadership goals. Our teachers must believe that every child deserves access to a high-quality education, and are committed to improving their practice in order to provide the best possible educational experience for all students. Our teachers must be committed to continual learning, constant reflection and feedback.

## *Key Competencies:*

- Passion and commitment to the mission of The Leadership School
- Expert knowledge of and enthusiasm for academic subjects
- Valid Missouri Teaching Certification
- Proven record of success in the classroom
- Excitement to learn and grow as a teacher and a leader
- Strong instructional, classroom management and discipline skills
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Ability to effectively analyze data to improve student achievement
- Ability to create a positive, structured environment for students to observe, understand, and exemplify leadership
- Ability to work independently with diverse constituents while maintain high professional standards
- Ability to connect with students and respond to their changing academic and personal needs
- Ability and eagerness to give and receive thoughtful, constructive feedback
- Thrives in a very collaborative environment
- Humility, strong work ethic, and 'roll up my sleeves' attitude