

First Parish in Lexington, a welcoming Unitarian Universalist congregation, seeks to hire a teacher for its Elementary (3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>) Grade Class. This position will begin immediately, and continue through June 2018, with the possibility of renewal for another year.

**General Responsibilities:**

Work under the direct supervision of the Director of Religious Education and Family Ministry (DREFM)

Collaborate with DREFM to adapt and prepare lessons (curriculum provided)

Plan and lead weekly learning activities for children in classroom

Lead volunteers in conducting specific activities related to curriculum

Maintain attendance information and related reporting

Write a short description of the class's activity each Sunday

**Specific Requirements:**

Must be able to teach most Sundays during the church year and be on site from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (approximately 1 Sunday off a month)

Must be able to conduct two hours of preparation time each week during the church year

Meet monthly in person with DREFM

**Qualifications:**

- Must be over 18 years old.
- Minimum 1 year experience working with children in a care or educational setting
- Experience in a progressive faith community a plus
- College degree or Montessori, Reggio-Emilia, or Waldorf training a plus
- Ability to pass a CORI check for working with children

Compensation: \$20/hour, 5 hours per teaching week

People of color, indigenous people, Hispanic/Latinx, and LGBTQ candidates are encouraged to apply.

Please note that First Parish is not accessible on Sundays by public transportation.

To apply, please submit a letter of interest, resume and contact information for three references to Lisa Maria Steinberg, Director of Religious Education and Family Ministry at [dre@fplex.org](mailto:dre@fplex.org)