

First Parish Unitarian Universalist Church of Portland is looking for Religious Exploration Teachers from 9:30-11:30a for most Sundays between September 16th and June 9th.

The mission of the Religious Exploration (RE) program at First Parish is to provide a supportive, welcoming environment where children, teens, and their families can connect with one another in such a way that empowers them to explore their spiritual identity, deepen their understanding of Unitarian Universalism, and become champions of justice, diversity, and environmental stewardship in our local community and the wider world. Our RE program is supportive, explorative and energizing for our children and teens. RE programming is developed collaboratively by First Parish professional staff and the Religious Exploration committee. Our Director of Religious Exploration is Toben Cooney-Callnan.

The role of the RE teacher is to connect students with each other and our UU history, practices, and values by providing a fun and structured classroom setting where kids feel engaged and challenged. Curriculum is provided. Previous UU experience, while valued, is not a requirement.

Pay is \$40 per Sunday.

If interested please reply to dre@firstparishportland.org with a paragraph or two about why you feel like this would be a good fit for you. Please include any previous teaching or nonprofit experience.