



The New School Montessori (TNSM) is pleased to announce an Executive Leadership Opportunity beginning in June 2015. The New School Montessori is seeking a dynamic and committed leader as Head of School who will work with the community and Board of Trustees to foster the excellence in true Montessori education that The New School Montessori continues to provide.

The successful candidate will be a proven academic leader who is deeply knowledgeable about current trends in preschool through 6th grade education and AMS Montessori principles. He or she will hold Montessori credentials and, at minimum, a bachelor's degree in education and:

- Passion for supporting and guiding the educational team to be innovative and strive for excellence
- Strong leadership and communication skills
- Experience working with external constituent groups
- Comprehensive understanding of the integration of marketing, admissions and fundraising, and the ability to lead and support staff in pursuit of those goals

TNSM is an independent Montessori school for children ages 3-12. Accredited by both the Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS) and the American Montessori Society (AMS), TNSM is the only school in Ohio with this distinction and is an established leader in Montessori education. Founded in 1970 by a group of caring parents who wanted a different kind of school for their children, TNSM carries on this tradition with our child-centric education based on Montessori principles. Graduates of TNSM are well prepared academically and move into the world as curious and conscientious global citizens.

TNSM is located on a three-building campus in the heart of Cincinnati. The <u>historic Mitchell Mansion</u> is the main building, flanked by the Annex for the 9-12 students and the Enrichment Center dedicated to the arts and language. The campus is surrounded by a natural wooded play area for students. Cincinnati is a beautiful and dynamic river city, currently undergoing a renaissance involving <u>urban development</u>, <u>arts</u>, <u>culture</u>, <u>dining</u>, and <u>entrepreneurship</u>, while still remaining a great place to raise a family.

Candidates may review a complete profile of the position at <u>www.newschoolmontessori.com/</u> directorsearch.

If interested, please email a cover letter, current resume, a list of 3 to 5 references, and a leadership and educational philosophy statement pertinent to The New School Montessori to:

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