



Lower School Assistant Homeroom Teacher

The mission of Rippowam Cisqua School is to create independent thinkers, confident communicators, and engaged leaders who respect and contribute meaningfully to a diverse and increasingly complex global society.

Rippowam Cisqua School seeks qualified, full-time Lower School Assistant Teachers in PreKindergarten (beginning from age three) through fourth grade.

Responsibilities for the position include:

- Daily oversight alongside a Head Classroom Teacher of a homeroom of Lower School students.
- Participation and eager contributions to a grade level team.
- Prepare daily classroom materials.
- Supervise students during both academic and unstructured times (recess, lunch, arrival, dismissal).
- Frequent communication with the Head Teacher about student behavior and goals.
- Ongoing participation in professional development through Assistant Teacher program and faculty meetings.

Requirements for the position include:

- Experience with elementary and/or early childhood aged students.
- A bachelor's degree.
- A commitment to anti-bias and anti-racism work both inside and outside the classroom as well as promoting an inclusive, just, and equitable school community.
- A strong understanding of cognitive and social development for children of this age.
- A dedication to professional growth and development.
- A joyful disposition, genuine sense of humor, intellectual curiosity, flexibility, and a sincere interest in being part of a team.

Instructions to Apply

Please email your cover letter, resume, and letters of reference to Emily Hyland, Lower School Coordinator, AThiring@rcsny.org. Please indicate the job title you are applying for in the subject line. Please include your connection to RCS's mission and values in your cover letter.

More About Rippowam Cisqua School

Rippowam Cisqua School is a PreKindergarten through Grade 9 independent country day school in Bedford, New York. RCS is known for its high academic standards, small classes, exceptional teacher quality, and a unique commitment to child-centric, mission driven education. Rippowam Cisqua School students face high expectations and are given the support and tools they need to meet each new challenge.

Competitive salaries and benefits are offered including the opportunity to apply for preferential housing near campus and partial coverage of graduate school coursework.