Teacher First Presbyterian Community Preschool Covington First Presbyterian Church Covington, GA 30014



As an outreach ministry of the First Presbyterian Church, the First Presbyterian Community Preschool serves children and families with a developmentally appropriate educational experience for ages three months to four years. Our mission is to provide a creative, child-centered program that celebrates growth in all aspects of development (academic, social, emotional, spiritual) within a climate of Christian love and acceptance.

Job Description

First Presbyterian Community Preschool is seeking compassionate, loving, self-motivated candidates for **Classroom Lead teachers**. We are hiring a teacher for our 1s class.

Teacher Positions Open at this time:

1 year old Teacher

Responsibilities:

- Foster a safe environment for the children sharing the love of Christ.
- Create age-appropriate schedules and daily activities
- Assess and respond to each child's developmental needs on an ongoing basis
- Encourage creative thinking and learning
- Interact with other teachers and staff
- Adhere to child protection policies and church procedures
- Maintain an attractive, well-kept classroom that encourages children to create, explore and make decisions with confidence in a safe environment

Job Requirements:

- Certification, degree or minimum coursework in Early Childhood Education
- Minimum of one-year experience working in a licensed childcare facility

- Minimum of one-year previous teaching or assistant teaching with a public or private school system, a quality preschool, childcare center or church preschool
- Must demonstrate enthusiasm for working with young children
- Be knowledgeable of the social, emotional, and creative needs of young children
- Be able to handle, in a positive way, the demands that commonly come from daily contact with children and parents.
- Be able to build rapport with parents to communicate students' child development and progress goals and provide superior customer service
- Be able to evaluate and solve problems
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills in English
- Must be able to lift to 25 pounds in connection with the handling of children for the facilitation of programs, child safety and potential emergency situations, and be able to see, hear, and respond to children's needs, including reaching high, stooping to the child's level, sitting on the floor and rising from the floor
- Must be able to see, hear, and react to emergencies within 50 feet in 15 seconds or less and can stand and move around for long hours at a time while teaching
- Must be CPR and First Aid certified and be able to pass background checks

Lead Teacher Pay: \$15-\$17 per hour

Start Date: ASAP

Schedule: Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:15 am-1:15pm

Apply today by submitting a cover letter of interest and resume to preschool@fpccov.org. Applications close on March 1, 2025.