

Job Description For UUFNB Website

Religious Education Teacher

The Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of the North Bay, located in Napa, seeks teachers for their weekly Sunday School classes.

Duties include preparing for and teaching a weekly class for 2-8 students that can engage a range of ages (5 to 12). Additional responsibilities will include communicating regularly with parents, reporting attendance, and submitting materials for the monthly newsletter.

Teachers will be supported each Sunday by an adult volunteer or teen helper. Curriculum will be chosen with the help of the RE committee, and supervision will be provided by the minister, the Rev. Bonnie Dlott. Materials will be provided by the Fellowship. Pay is \$100 per Sunday.

Teaching positions have the potential to expand in scope and pay should our program experience growth. The ultimate goal of the Fellowship is to offer religious education classes for multiple ages, including teens, under the direction of a Director of Religious Education.

The ideal candidate will be familiar with Unitarian Universalism; however, individuals who are not Unitarian Universalists will be considered if they can affirm our principles and values.

Unitarian Universalism is a non-creedal faith tradition that affirms and promotes the following:

- The inherent worth and dignity of every person;
- Justice, equity and compassion in human relations;
- Acceptance of one another and encouragement to spiritual growth in our congregations;
- A free and responsible search for truth and meaning;
- The right of conscience and the use of the democratic process within our congregations and in society at large;
- The goal of world community with peace, liberty, and justice for all;
- Respect for the interdependent web of all existence of which we are a part.

Unitarian Universalism draws from many sources, including:

- Direct experience of that transcending mystery and wonder, affirmed in all cultures, which moves us to a renewal of the spirit and an openness to the forces which create and uphold life;
- Words and deeds of prophetic women and men which challenge us to confront powers and structures of evil with justice, compassion, and the transforming power of love;

- Wisdom from the world's religions which inspires us in our ethical and spiritual life;
- Jewish and Christian teachings which call us to respond to God's love by loving our neighbors as ourselves;
- Humanist teachings which counsel us to heed the guidance of reason and the results of science, and warn us against idolatries of the mind and spirit.
- Spiritual teachings of earth-centered traditions which celebrate the sacred circle of life and instruct us to live in harmony with the rhythms of nature.

These principles and sources of faith are the backbone of our religious community. For more information about Unitarian Universalism, go to uua.org.

Please send a letter of interest and resume to the Rev. Bonnie Dlott by e-mail or regular mail.

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