



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL COUNSELOR

Mountain Phoenix Community School is accepting applications for a part-time hourly **Elementary School Counselor** opening for the 2019-20 school year. The selected candidate will provide classroom support and work with small groups of students identified in need by fulltime school counselor and school student support coordinator.

Minimum qualifications preferred include:

- o Bachelor's degree.
- o Experienced Public or Independent School Waldorf or other counseling
- o A minimum of 4 years teaching in school counseling,
- o Working knowledge of the Core Principles of Public Waldorf Education and the Jeffco charter school movement.
- o Demonstrated successful experience working with students, teachers, parents/caregivers, and instructional/non-instructional staff in a K-8 school setting.
- o Commitment to the vision, mission, core values, and strategic plan of MPC.
- o An understanding and experience in the areas of student support of discipline, social/emotional skills, academic achievement and therapeutic/remedial approaches.
- o Conflict resolution skills and familiarity with the Three Streams Approach to MPC Student Support
- o Computer literate

To apply for this position, please email your cover letter and resume to our Director of Education at michael.heffernan@jeffco.k12.co.us and include "**Elementary School Counselor**" as the subject of the email.

ABOUT MOUNTAIN PHOENIX COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Our charter school, as a member of the Alliance for Public Waldorf Education and the Jeffco public school district, offers a comprehensive academic curriculum integrating the arts with special subject classes in Handwork/Woodwork, Spanish, Performing and Visual Arts, Music, Band/Orchestra, Games/Movement, and Eurythmy.

Our thriving grade school with double tracks grades 1-8 serves a diverse community of over 500 children, preschool through eighth grade, by providing a public Waldorf education. On the outskirts of Denver, Colorado, our lively campus has beautiful outdoor play space and views of the majestic Rocky Mountains. Our children enjoy year-round outdoor activities with over 300 days of annual sunshine.

Denver also appreciates a dynamic Anthroposophical community with an Anthroposophical medical practice, an active Anthroposophical society branch, study groups, Sound Circle Eurythmy, and 3 independent Waldorf high schools nearby.

Known as the Mile-High City, Denver has a vibrant art and performing arts community and dozens of great outdoor festivals. You will find everything a cosmopolitan city has to offer including easy access to the beautiful Rocky Mountains, as well as the nation's 2nd largest performing arts center.

Our creative and passionate faculty is looking for a colleague who will enthusiastically join the collaborative work with faculty, staff, and parents/caregivers. We offer a competitive salary with compensation for applicable years of experience, advanced degrees, and ongoing professional development, including Waldorf teacher training. We also provide a comprehensive benefits package including health, dental, vision, and PERA (retirement).

To learn more about Mountain Phoenix Community School, visit our website at <http://www.mountainphoenix.org>.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to become a part of our innovative community at Mountain Phoenix Community School!