Emerson
SCHOOL

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Learning Support Specialist

OVERVIEW

Emerson School is seeking a full-time Learning Support Specialist (focusing on 6th through 8th grade) for the 2026-27 school year. We are searching for a talented, team-oriented candidate to design, implement, and coordinate support services for Emerson students with learning differences. This individual will work closely with two peer Learning Support Specialists, classroom teachers, the School Counselors, and the administrative team. Duties include (but are not limited to) small group intervention, individual remediation, reviewing outside testing, coordinating with team members for student educational plans, monitoring and assessing student progress, assisting teachers to differentiate curriculum, facilitating the use of assistive technology, referring students to out-of-school resources, advocating for students, and establishing and maintaining frequent communication with parents.

A qualified candidate will have a bachelor's degree, and prior teaching experience in the area of student academic support, tutoring, and/or special education is preferred. The candidate should also have a working knowledge of learning disabilities and neurodiversity, along with the ability to implement accommodations and individualize instruction.

HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates should send a cover letter and résumé to Mollie Lammers, Director of Support and Enrichment (mlammers@emerson-school.org). More information about Emerson is available at www.emerson-school.org.

ABOUT EMERSON SCHOOL

Emerson School is an independent Y5-8th grade school for curious and creative students located in Ann Arbor, Michigan, serving more than 330 students and employing more than 70 faculty and staff. Our mission is to provide a dynamic and nurturing learning environment that fosters empathy, communication, creativity, leadership, and above all else, a lifelong love of learning. The School is accredited by the Independent Schools Association of the Central States (ISACS) and is a member of the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS).

An Equal Opportunity Employer

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