

Hello MVMPCS community,

The MVMPCS Governing Council (GC) has a Friend of Education (FOE) position open with the term to begin April 8, 2021 and continue through December 31, 2021. A FOE is an individual from the community at large, with experience or interest in community service, Montessori education, public charter and/or expertise in fundraising. Former FOE's at MVMPCS have been parents of alumni, former staff, friends, neighbors, coworkers, etc.; this is an opportunity to reach out beyond our current MVMPCS families and engage the greater community. Please note that family members (parents/guardians, grandparents, or siblings) of current students or staff at MVMPCS are excluded from serving as Friends of Education.

FOEs are an integral part of MVM's leadership who:

- Develop & maintain an understanding of Montessori and educational principles.
- Develop & maintain policies and procedures that support the Charter.
- Develop and approve the annual budget.
- Ensure the success of MVMPCS!

Want to learn more about the duties and responsibilities of the GC? Take a look at the [MVMPCS Governing Council Standard Operating Procedures](#) or email the GC at gc@mvmpcs.org.

Please have interested candidates submit a brief bio with an explanation of why they would like to fill this position to gc@mvmpcs.org, **no later than March 31, 2021**. The GC will work with each candidate to meet virtually prior to the next GC meeting for a private interview, then vote to approve the selected candidate during the April GC meeting to be held on Thursday, April 8th, 2021.

Thank you and have a great weekend!

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