

**Position**

School Counselor

Location

Pasadena, CA

The Waverly School seeks a full-time School Counselor for the 2021-22 school year.

Waverly is a progressive, coeducational, college preparatory school in Pasadena, CA, serving students and their families from preschool through 12th grade. Established in 1993, Waverly fosters lifelong learning in a child-centered and intellectually challenging environment. With nearly 350 students, Waverly offers an exceptional faculty, thoughtful programs, and expressive students within three adjacent campuses. Its one-acre farm is within walking distance. Waverly is economically diverse and culturally rich; our families live in many Los Angeles area neighborhoods. The Waverly School is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges and the California Association of Independent Schools and is a member of The Alliance, POCIS, and A Better Chance. The school is in walking distance from the Metro L (Gold) Line Del Mar station.

The School Counselor works with the school's preschool through 12th grade and should have the following qualifications:

- Experience as a school counselor, with a strong emphasis on middle and high school.
- Degree(s) in psychology, social work, counseling, or related relevant discipline.
- Exceptionally strong organizational, communication, collaboration, and interpersonal skills.
- Demonstrated commitment to the school's mission in diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice.
- Proven success working with all constituencies in an independent school setting: students, families, faculty, and other colleagues, with wisdom, warmth, empathy, and humor.
- Is willing to work in-person on campus

Specific responsibilities of the middle and upper school counselor include, but are not limited to:

- Working closely with the Learning Specialist and Division Directors, oversees interventions and action plans to support students academically, emotionally, socially, and behaviorally.
- Intervening when a student or students require responsive services, including counseling, consultation, referral, and/or information.
- Advising on the development and implementation of the human development curriculum K-12

- Actively participating in and contributing to the daily operation of the school.
- Working closely with school directors, advising faculty and staff on appropriate professional boundaries with students, families, and colleagues.
- Designing and implementing professional development opportunities pertaining to students' social and emotional well-being for Waverly faculty and staff.
- Designing and implementing parent education programs; and participating in the admission process (namely interviewing and serving on the admission committee).

Please email cover letter and resume to the contact below; no phone calls please.

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