Extended Day Teaching Fellowship
A Cohort of Teachers-in-Training at Lab

Child Development
Get to know what students are like from 3 through 12 years old with respect to their physical, social-emotional, and cognitive development.

Curriculum Development & Pedagogy
Learn to put children and their experiences at the center of your teaching, inspired by Dewey, practicing Reggio Emilia and PBL.

Working with Adults
Learn to build and contribute to effective teams, which promote growth and excellence, and to repair them when they get off track. Learn to give and receive feedback.

Reflective Practice
Learn to get the support you need from colleagues and supervisors in schools. Guided reflections on your own work to improve your practice.

Design Thinking
Learn and use the DT process, adopt the mindsets and behaviors to supercharge your problem-solving.

Classroom Management
Learn to create a community and culture in your classroom which supports most learners through transitions, higher and lower energy periods, and difficult moments.
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The University of Chicago Laboratory Schools is offering fellowships to aspiring teachers interested in participating in a unique 10-month after-school teaching/mentoring program at our Early Childhood campus (nursery 3 through 2nd grade) or our Historic Campus (3rd through 8th grade). The fellowship is available for senior year college students majoring in education, psychology or a related field; graduated educators with a bachelor’s degree; and those pursuing a master’s degree in education or related field.

The Fellows work in our Extended Day program which supports 700+ students per year during after school hours. The Extended Day program provides opportunities for children to connect with friends, discover and develop interests, and relax.

Fellows are responsible for developing and implementing curriculum for their groups, managing and supervising up to two Teaching Assistants, producing bi-weekly newsletters, and participating in professional development activities.

Expected on site work times will vary depending on the day of the week, but generally fall between noon and 5:30 and average 15 to 22 hours per week depending on the campus. If accepted into the program a permanent weekly schedule will be determined with the Fellow for the 10-month period. In most cases The Laboratory Schools days off apply to the Fellows with some exceptions.

Professional development for the Fellows include orientation, training, and in-service days. In addition, there are a total of three meetings (one each quarter) for three hours the first Saturday in November, February and May.

Fellows are awarded $15,000 for the 10-month period in the Early Childhood program at Earl Shapiro Hall and $11,000 for the 10-month period in the Lower and Middle Schools at Historic Campus. Payments are divided evenly into 10 monthly disbursements. The Fellowships are non-benefits eligible, but do receive five (5) paid personal/sick days.

If you are interested and would like to interview, please send a resume and cover letter to extendeddayjobs@ucls.uchicago.edu

Interviews will begin the week of August 5, 2019.

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