# Work at NATIONS!

#### **Position: Kindergarten Teacher**

**Section:** Early Childhood Education

Application Deadline: December 5, 2025

Start Date: January 13, 2026

Main responsibilities: Develop and deliver age and developmentally-appropriate curriculum that is grounded on a strong command of disciplinary questions and understandings. Develop relevant curricular offerings that are creative and engaging using the Understanding by Design (UbD) model. Use standards-based grading, competency-based education, and associated rubrics to drive instruction and assessments. Promote the social-emotional learning and well-being of all students. Foster inquiry and higher-order thinking skills. Promote responsibility and autonomy that is developmentally appropriate by communicating and upholding high expectations regarding student preparation and engagement in all class activities.

**Requirements:** Teaching degree in Education (Pedagogy). Native English or fluent English with international academic experience. Strong ability to collaborate on a grade-level team to plan, develop, and organize activities and events. Deep understanding of the developmental needs of young students. Strong identification with the vision, mission, and values of the school.

School of the Nations

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#### **Equal Employment Opportunity**

We provide equal employment opportunities to all individuals regardless of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, genetic information, sexual orientation, gender identity, or any other characteristic protected by applicable laws.

All employment-related decisions, including hiring, retention, and promotion, are based solely on an individual's qualifications, performance, skills, and merits relevant to the job requirements.

We encourage people with a disability to apply.

#### How to apply

Please send your cover letter, résumé, statement of educational philosophy, and letters of professional reference to our Human Resources department at recrutamento.externo@edn.org.br by December 5, 2025.

Please add the position you're applying for to the email subject.

#### About us

We educate students to be world citizens based on standards of academic, bilingual and ethical excellence to develop their capacities to know, love and serve humankind.

We seek caring, dedicated professionals to contribute to our school community by making a difference in our students' lives.

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#### **The School**

School of the Nations is an international, private, not-for-profit, coeducational, duallanguage day school. We are accredited internationally by Cognia and nationally by the Secretary of Education of the Federal District. We provide a rigorous bilingual academic curriculum complemented by our moral education program, the arts, and sports. Moral education fosters students' understanding of the dynamic role they play in constructing a peaceful, just, and sustainable society. Students may take preparatory and university-level classes and earn the Brazilian, American, and AP Capstone® diplomas.

## **Our History**

School of the Nations was established as a place where children from different countries of diverse backgrounds could build a learning community where they could learn to live peacefully together as "world citizens" in a safe, healthy, happy environment while excelling academically through a challenging, college-preparatory curriculum enriched by values and ethics. Our Founders' vision became reality on September 1, 1980.

The school opened with only 17 students and three rented classrooms in the recently built Independent British Institute (IBI). By 1981, the School had grown to 37 students, and classrooms occupied an entire wing of the Presbyterian Institute in Lago Sul, Brasilia. Over the next three years, School of the Nations would grow to serve nearly 100 students. In August 1987, the School, with its 140 students, moved to its current location, on a beautiful campus in a peaceful neighborhood in Brasilia. In 2002, we inaugurated our second campus, just across from the first, to host our Early Childhood Education program for students from 2 to 6. Our community and school continue to grow. Today, School of the Nations educates over 700 students.

#### Mission

School of the Nations strives to be exemplary among Brazilian and international schools for its commitment to world citizenship and for helping young people develop outstanding academic, ethical and spiritual qualities and a clear understanding of their roles in building a better world.

# Vision

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## Accreditation

School of the Nations is accredited internationally by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) and nationally by the Secretary of Education of the Federal District.



