



MOUNTAIN WEST
Montessori Academy

Board of Directors

Application for Consideration

Thank you for your interest and willingness to serve Mountain West Montessori Academy.

Although there is not a current board vacancy, MWMA is accepting applications from individuals who are interested in providing volunteer service as a member of the Board of Directors in the future. The board maintains a list of individuals who have expressed a willingness to serve and will utilize this list when seeking to fill vacancies that arise. If you would like to be placed on this list and considered for a future position on the board, please submit a cover letter and resume to dawn@academicawest.com.

Candidates must:

- Understand and support the charter of MWMA (available online or at the front office);
- Understand the importance of team leadership;
- Understand and accept the governance roles and responsibilities of the Board of Directors and of individual board members; and
- Be able to attend meetings and fulfill all responsibilities associated with the position.

As a condition of board membership, the successful applicant must pass a criminal history background check as required by law.

Preference may be given to individuals who have a background in public charter school administration/education, Montessori philosophy, finance, law, or governance.

When a board vacancy arises, the Board of Directors will screen applications, select a group of candidates, and conduct interviews. Note: prior to interviews, the board may request a minimum of three references. Appointment(s) to the board will be determined by a majority vote of the Board of Directors. All decisions made by the Board of Directors are final.

Please direct any questions to Steve Barnes, Board President (sbarnes@mwmacademy.org)