

Licensed School Counselor for the 2024-25 School Year

Mackintosh Academy, an International Baccalaureate World School for gifted and creative students in Littleton, CO, is looking for a licensed school counselor for the 2024-2025 school year. The ideal candidate will play a crucial role in supporting the social-emotional well-being of our gifted students, collaborating with educators, parents, and administrators to create a holistic and enriching educational experience.

Mackintosh Academy was founded in 1977 as Colorado's first school for gifted students and serves 135 students in grades pre-K-8th. Mackintosh Academy's mission is to nurture the keen minds and compassionate hearts of the gifted child in a responsive and caring community of learners. Our students mature into confident, healthy human beings inspired to contribute to a world that needs them.

We are one of the Denver area's few authorized International Baccalaureate (IB) independent schools to offer both a Primary Years Programme (PYP) and Middle Years Programme (MYP). As an authorized IB World School, Mackintosh Academy's mission also aligns with the IB program's mission, "to create a better world through education."

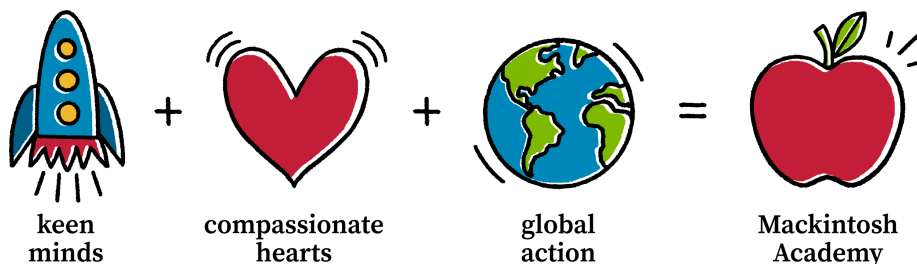
Please learn more about our unique school at [our website](#) to see if Mackintosh's environment may be a place for you to grow in your professional journey and be a contributing member of our educational family.

Requested Qualifications:

- Bachelor's or Master's degree in School Counseling or a related field.
- Colorado State Licensure in School Counseling, School Psychologist, School Social Worker, or equivalent.
- Experience working with gifted and twice-exceptional students is highly preferred.
- Strong understanding of social-emotional development in children.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to be organized, flexible, and adapt to needs of a small school where faculty members work collaboratively and fill various roles.

Responsibilities include:

- Provide counseling services to elementary students addressing academic, social, and emotional needs.
- Work closely with teachers, parents, and administrators to create a collaborative network of support for students, ensuring their academic and emotional success.
- Develop and implement SEL programs that align with the unique needs of gifted students, promoting skills such as self-awareness, self-regulation, and interpersonal relationships.



- Be available for crisis intervention and support, collaborating with the school's crisis response team when necessary.
- Conduct workshops and sessions to educate parents on the social-emotional development of gifted students and strategies to support their well-being.
- Establish connections with external agencies and professionals to provide additional resources and support for students and families.
- Maintain accurate and confidential records of counseling sessions and interventions, ensuring compliance with ethical and legal standards.

Start Date: August 1, 2024

Pay Range: \$58,000 - \$68,000/year. Salary consideration is given for seniority, merit, quality, education, and experience.

Mackintosh partners with a PEO (Professional Employer Organization) for services regarding human resources, benefits and payroll. A wide range of benefits and products are offered including:

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| • Benefit continuation/conversion at termination (COBRA) | • Medical insurance |
| • Bereavement leave | • Personal leave |
| • Dental insurance | • Simple IRA pension plan |
| • Holiday pay | • Family medical leave |
| • Jury duty leave | • Sick leave |
| • Life/AD&D insurance | • Tuition remission |

To apply, send an email with your cover letter and resume to:

Beth Steklac, Head of School : jobs@mackintoshacademy.com

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