



VIRGIN ISLANDS
MONTESSORI SCHOOL
& PETER GRUBER
INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY



May 2026

The Virgin Island Montessori School is actively seeking enthusiastic Montessori Elementary Guide to work in one of our Lower Elementary classrooms:

The Virgin Island Montessori School is seeking an AMI or AMS trained Lower Elementary Guide to lead one of two Elementary classrooms on our beautiful campus on St. Thomas. This is a wonderful opportunity for a passionate Montessorian excited about building relationships with children, parents, and colleagues in a caring community where growth is valued and encouraged. Our School is celebrating its 61st year of offering AMI and IB education to youth on the islands of St. Thomas and St. John. We are proud of both our history and culture!

We are seeking a candidate who has the ability to teach to a diverse set of learners (i.e. culture, ethnicity, race, neurodiversity). Someone who demonstrates grace, patience and excellent observational and communication skills. Someone who is organized, can multitask, keep calm under pressure, and treat everyone with love and respect. We are a community of dedicated Montessorians, AMI accredited at the Primary level. People that do well here with us stay for 3+ years and take full advantage of the beach and natural beauty of our special island.

Requirements are:

- Completed training at an AMI or AMS Training Center.
- Bachelor's degree in early childhood teaching, education, or a related discipline
- US Citizenship or current US Visa
- Availability to start teaching in August 2026
- Desire to be part of a tight-knit team who supports each other
- Willingness to participate in Professional Development trainings

Job Type: Full-time (10 months, paid over 12 months)

Starting Pay: \$50,000.00 - \$65,000.00 per year

Benefits:

- Medical, Dental, Vision and Life insurance
- Generous paid time off
- Professional development opportunities
- Retirement plan contributions
- Tuition remission for children

Please contact Gloria Arpasi, Head of School, at hos@vimsia.org