Come Teach with Us at the Early Childhood Development Center @ Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s College (ECDC)

http://ecdc.nd.edu/employment

- **Play-Centered & Hands-On Curriculum with Authentic Assessment**
  - Relationships with Children, Families, College Students and Colleagues is the #1 Priority
  - Vibrant Family Engagement
  - Project Approach Curriculum & In-depth Studies
  - plus Creative Curriculum are at the Heart of the Program
  - Teachers Develop Curriculum Using Their Own Creativity, Knowledge and Experience Blending Children's Interests with the Indiana Foundations
  - Authentic Assessment Using COR Advantage Focused on the Whole Child
  - Enrichment Activities Enhance the Children's Experiences Including On-Site (dance, gardening, music, nature) and Field Trips in the Community Provide Experience Based Learning

- **Professional Early Childhood Setting of Excellence**
  - Ongoing High Quality Professional Development
  - NAEYC Accredited and Paths to Quality Level 4 - the highest level in Indiana
  - Weekly Planning Time Outside of Classroom
  - Prep Time for Parent Teacher Conferences
  - Stellar Learning Environments - Indoors and Outdoors
  - Budget for Classroom Educational Materials
  - Team Teaching Approach with Support Staff
  - Extra Adults In Classrooms to Support Children and Curriculum
  - College Students Participate Learning from the ECDC Teachers
  - Benefits include Health Insurance, Dental Insurance, PTO, Vacations, Retirement (403B), Tuition Credit for Own Children to Attend ECDC, Funding for College Coursework

ECDC's primary goal is to foster a love of learning in the young children entrusted in our care!

For more information about the ECDC teacher application process visit http://ecdc.nd.edu/employment or call 574-631-3344.
Every child deserves a champion – an adult who will never give up on them, who understands the power of connection and insists that they become the best that they can possibly be.

-Rita Pierson