The Putney School is seeking a **Childcare Lead Teacher** at Elm Lea Child Care.

**Position Responsibilities:** We are seeking a full-time Childcare Lead Teacher with a strong work ethic for our early care and education program. Our program is a family style, mixed age group setting serving children ages 6wks to 5yrs. Qualified candidates must be energetic, enthusiastic, and flexible, with a sense of humor, a love for children and a strong knowledge of child development. This is a benefited position.

**Duties Include:**
- Create a safe and nurturing environment that meets the individual needs of children
- Lesson planning
- Observation and assessment of children's play
- Written and verbal communication with families
- Most importantly, getting down to the children's level

**Qualifications:** Candidates must have experience working in an early care and education program as well as a CDA or equivalent qualifications.

**How to Apply:** Please submit a cover letter and resume via email to childcare@putneyschool.org.

**About The Putney School:** Putney is a progressive boarding school for 230 hardworking and curious students in Putney, Vermont. Hands-on learning is embedded in the school’s culture: a working dairy farm, expansive arts offerings, a robust work program, miles of wooded trails, and large solar arrays serve our curriculum. Employees are also part of an intentional residential experience that values belonging and community. We seek applicants who find joy in their work and help others realize how much fun authentic, student-centered learning can be. The school cultivates and sustains an educational community that values difference. Community members explore how they contribute to building a home at Putney where everyone, especially those from historically-marginalized populations, can honor their individual racial, gender, ethnic, and socio-economic identities. Putney recognizes this is difficult, communal work. The school supports all its employees in developing this critical skill set. For more information on Putney, please visit our website at [www.putneyschool.org](http://www.putneyschool.org).