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401P EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to provide equal employment opportunity for all applicants for New Discoveries Montessori Academy employment and New Discoveries Montessori Academy employees.

II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

- A. It is the New Discoveries Montessori Academy's policy to provide equal employment opportunity for all applicants and employees. NDMA does not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, disability, sexual orientation, age, family care leave status or veteran status. NDMA also makes reasonable accommodations for disabled employees.
- B. NDMA prohibits the harassment of any individual for any of the categories listed above. For information about the types of conduct that constitute impermissible harassment and NDMA's internal procedures for addressing complaints of harassment, please refer to the school's policy on harassment and violence.
- C. This policy applies to all areas of employment including hiring, discharge, promotion, compensation, facilities or privileges of employment.
- D. It is the responsibility of every NDMA employee to follow this policy.
- E. Any person having any questions regarding this policy should discuss it with the Board Appointed Administrator.

Legal References:	Minn. Stat. Ch. 363A (Minnesota Human Rights Act)
	29 U.S.C. § 621 et seq. (Age Discrimination in Employment Act)
	29 U.S.C. § 2615 (Family and Medical Leave Act)
	38 U.S.C. § 4301 et seq. (Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment
	Assistance Act)
	38 U.S.C. § 4211 et seq. (Veterans' Reemployment Rights Act)

42 U.S.C. § 2000e *et seq*. (Title VII of the Civil Rights Act) 42 U.S.C. § 12101 *et seq*. (Americans with Disabilities Act)

Cross References: NDMA Policy 402P (Disability Nondiscrimination) NDMA Policy 413P (Harassment and Violence)