



POSITION OVERVIEW

Job Title: High School Psychology/Bible Teacher

Campus: Upper School

Reports to: Upper School Director

Status: Full-time, 10-month

Job Description

Under the supervision of the Upper School Director & Department Chairs, the teacher will:

- Teach AP Psychology, & Bible Courses (Issues & Ethics + Electives)
- Demonstrate a knowledge of subject areas taught
- Demonstrate knowledge of developmental characteristics of age group taught
- Effectively utilize the basic elements of instruction (presenting information; questioning techniques; responding to learner input and arrangement of learning activities, etc).
- Demonstrate ability to inspire learning and cultivate relationships with students.
- Prepare appropriate weekly lesson plans including instructional objectives, planned activities, Biblical integration, and assessments
- Incorporate classroom technology in order to enhance instruction.
- Implement effective classroom management and discipline procedures to provide for a positive classroom environment conducive to learning.
- Regularly review/update/work with the department regarding curriculum and course pacing guides to assure the fulfillment of proper instructional priorities and pacing.
- Model effective teacher/parental partnering through timely communication with parents in support of student learning (posting of assignments, grades, email, etc.).
- Willingness to attend APSI for AP Psychology this summer to familiarize yourself with the new CED

Qualifications

- Evidence of a personal faith in Christ lived out in Christian character and worldview and consistent with the NCS Statement of Faith and Employee Handbook.
- Evidence/understanding of and a commitment to the distinctive qualities of Christian education as well as the mission of Norfolk Christian Schools
- Possess a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in the applicable field(s) of education with an emphasis in area of instruction (master's degree preferred).
- Experience teaching both Social Studies and Bible preferred

It is the mission of Norfolk Christian Schools to equip students spiritually, intellectually, and physically to love God and serve Him as Christ's ambassadors in the world.

- Must have or be eligible for a teaching license from VDOE
- Evidence of strong organizational, communication, interpersonal and technological skills.
- Evidence of a teachable spirit and a willingness to learn and grow
- Demonstrate emotional maturity to handle regular challenges of life and school
- Evidence of the ability to work collaboratively within a team

Contract Details

- Contracted by the Head of School upon recommendation of the school administrator for one year.
- Responsible to School Directors & Department Chair

Key Responsibilities

- Develop and translate lesson plans into learning opportunities, spiritually and intellectually
- Integrate technology into the subject area
- Assess and evaluate students' competencies and developments in the subject area
- Maintain appropriate records and progress of students
- Communicate effectively with students and parents
- Maintain standards of student behavior and supervise student safety at all times
- Maintain professional competence through professional development
- Participate in curriculum development, faculty meetings and student sponsorship as needed
- Perform other duties as assigned or required

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