

FOUNDRY ACADEMY

JOB DESCRIPTION - LOWER SCHOOL HISTORY TEACHER

Job Title: Lower School Spanish Teacher - Grades 6-8

Reports To: Lower School Principal

Classification: Highly Qualified (not necessarily certified)

Location: 1577 GA 85, Fayetteville, GA 30269

Salary: Dependent on number of teaching days in contract.

Job Summary

At Foundry Academy we place an emphasis on engaging, hands-on learning that provides students with the core skills and theory needed to progress to the next stage of their education. We are currently seeking a highly motivated and creative History teacher for our Lower School program who is passionate about developing an immersive and interactive classroom.

Overview:

The successful candidate will be responsible for delivering high-quality instruction that builds critical thinking and research skills, along with an understanding of how societies and civilizations function. They will be expected to utilize project-based learning techniques to create an engaging and interactive learning experience for students.

Responsibilities:

- Plan, prepare, and deliver engaging history lessons that promote project-based learning and the application of historical concepts and skills.
- For 2023-24 students will study Ancient Greece, Rome, Egypt, and Feudal China and Japan. The history teacher will design creative assignments for these content areas including at least one interdisciplinary project that integrates with other content areas, such as language arts, science, or math.
- Foster a classroom environment that encourages critical thinking, collaboration, and creativity.
- Utilize a variety of instructional strategies, such as inquiry-based learning, problem-based learning, parties, role playing activities, and project-based learning, to support student learning and engagement.
- Provide regular feedback to students and parents on student progress and performance.

- Attend faculty meetings, parent-teacher conferences, and other school events as required.
- Upload assignments and grades into the school information system.

This job description in no way states or implies that these are the only duties to be performed by the employee occupying this position. Employees may be required to follow other job-related instructions and to perform other job-related duties as requested, subject to all applicable state and federal laws. Certain job functions described herein may be subject to possible modification in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Length of Contract: School Year, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12:15-3:00 pm.

The History teacher will take two classes (levels 1 and 2). There will be 12-15 students in each class. Themes and content will be similar for the two classes but assessment will reflect their differing abilities and knowledge. The History position can also be combined with the Middle School English position.

Required Qualifications – Required qualifications to effectively perform the job at the time of hire. An equivalent combination of education, training, and experience will be considered. Additional requirements and/or substitutions may be requested.

- Bachelor's degree in History, Communications, Arts, or related field.
- Teaching experience with Middle School students
- Knowledge of research skills as related to historical study
- Strong communication and collaboration skills
- Passion for teaching and commitment to creating an immersive and engaging learning environment for students.

To apply for this position, please email your resume and cover letter to the Lower School Principal, Dr Molly Kasinger: mkasinger@thefoundryschool.org