

Part-time Music Teacher 2021-22

Position Overview

Horizon Academy seeks a **PART-TIME** inspiring music teacher who is responsible for teaching music education to students with dyslexia and other language-based learning differences in grades 1-12 grade. Helps students grow in their enjoyment, appreciation, and performance of music through a variety of planned music experiences which include singing, moving to music, playing instruments, and listening to music.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Teaches general music to students in grade 1-12 including harmony, appreciation, history, and ensemble.
- Utilizes repertoire of all types of music literature, including traditional and contemporary that are appropriate for the ages and skill levels of students.
- Provides opportunities for music ensembles including garage band, choir & musicals (after school).
- Plans, rehearses, and directs students in two musical programs per year for the school community (December Holidays and Graduation).
- Differentiates music curriculum to meet the needs of individual students and the student body.
- Plans a balanced music program, and organizes daily class time so that preparation, rehearsal and instruction can be accomplished within the allotted time.
- Develops and refines music curriculum.
- Establishes and maintains standards of student behavior to provide an orderly, productive environment during practice, group rehearsals, and music performances.
- Evaluates each student's musical growth and contribution to the performance of the group that allows everyone to contribute.
- Communicates clearly with parents and school faculty/staff on the progress of individual students.
- Maintains care/responsibility for school-owned music, musical instruments, and equipment to prevent loss or abuse.
- Cooperates with Head of School and staff in providing musical programs for school assemblies, Open Houses, parent meetings and seasonal programs.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Minimum BA in Music or Music Education
- 3 years experience
- Ability to work with musicians at all skill levels
- Strong instrumental skills, including piano accompaniment
- Orff, Kodaly, or Dalcroze training strongly encouraged