



Physical Education and Health Teacher

General Position Description

The Physical Education and Health Teacher guides students developing motor skills, physical development, athleticism, and fitness and teaches middle school health classes.

This Position Reports to: Head of School and Dean of Students and Faculty

Teaching Responsibilities

- Plan and implement a creative, engaging and stimulating classroom program that develops motor skills, physical development, athleticism, and fitness
- Teach after-school programs in sports and movement
- Promote high expectations, demonstrate a caring attitude, and establish an environment that supports social, emotional, and academic development in students
- Frequently communicate with parents and caregivers about children's progress by phone, email, face-to-face meetings, and reports
- Evaluate the progress of each student through formal and informal assessment
- Manage student behavior expectations through positive and productive Responsive Classroom management techniques for improving student behavior
- Integrate the Quaker testimonies of peace, simplicity, integrity, community and stewardship into the curriculum and during interactions with FFS community members
- Other related duties as assigned

Professional Responsibilities

- Advocate for the school, its staff, students and programs
- Attend and actively participate as a team member in all faculty meetings and professional development events
- Attend at least one professional development off-campus activity every other year
- Share recess and other duties equitably
- Maintain a neat, clean, and student-friendly classroom
- Serve on at least one school committee
- Participate in at least two admissions open houses and represent the school at community events whenever possible

Additional Knowledge, Skills and Experience Required

- 3 years of teaching experience in related age groups and subjects
- A comfort and excitement about working with children from diverse backgrounds.
- Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills
- A high level of interest in collaborating with team members
- A positive attitude and a growth mindset



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Educational Requirements

BA or BS in Physical Education, or a related field. A Master's degree is preferred.

Physical Requirements and Work Environment

- Be able to work both standing up and sitting down for the length of the school day
- Be able to walk up and down at least two flights of stairs, supervise children on the playground, and walk between school buildings
- Be able to work in a wide variety of school environments, including the buildings, gardens, playgrounds, and other areas of the campus, in all seasons
- Be able to pick up children and objects up to 35 lbs
- Be able to pass all criminal record checks, background checks, and child abuse clearances

Employment Type

Part time, exempt employee.

Wage Range

Salary will be market competitive with other small, Quaker schools.