



Gonzaga Middle School

A Jesuit NativityMiguel Academy

Teaching Position

Grade 8 Teacher – Gonzaga Middle School (for September 2018)

Gonzaga Middle School is an innovative, independent middle school for motivated students from low income families scheduled that opened in September 2016 with its first Grade 6 class. It uses the unique middle school educational framework and best practices from Jesuit NativityMiguel model schools, adapting them to the community served in Winnipeg. The school offers small class sizes, enrichment opportunities, summer programming and supports from Gonzaga Middle School for students past graduation.

Opportunity:

Gonzaga Middle School is seeking a middle year's teacher for its inaugural Grade 8 class commencing the 2018-2019 school year. In collaboration with the rest of the educational team, the successful candidate will be the lead teacher for the first Grade 8 class. They will participate in school activities and demonstrate a commitment to all aspects of the school mission. Qualifications include a Bachelor's Degree in Education as well as proven experience in and passion for middle year's education. Proven success working in an inner-city school setting would be an asset.

Description:

GMS teachers are an integral part of the school community. They are directly responsible for the students' spiritual, moral, intellectual, emotional, social and physical development. The success of each GMS student hinges upon the determination and excellence of each faculty member. GMS teachers demonstrate a commitment to academic excellence and professional development and the best ideals of the Catholic faith. They also demonstrate openness to Indigenous perspectives and GMS' commitment to reconciliation. Teachers will accompany learners engaging them to reflect on their experience, beliefs, and values in ways that respect the multicultural and multi-faith background of learners. Teachers recognize that GMS asks them to approach their work as a vocation and make substantial contributions of their time and talents in the service of GMS students. The goal of a Gonzaga teacher will be to develop students who demonstrate character, leadership and service to others. Teachers will work closely with staff, volunteers, families and members of the community to ensure the overall success of the students.

The Successful Candidate Will:

- Implement the Manitoba Education Grade 8 curriculum
- Teach in an inclusive faith based environment
- Exhibit skill in the differentiation of instruction
- Display advanced success in classroom management
- Collaborate with instructional teams in an evidence driven, strengths-based school
- Demonstrate skill in student assessment
- Nurture close working relationships with parents and guardians
- Significant capacity implementing technology in a classroom setting
- Have a valid Manitoba Permanent Professional Certificate

Candidates fitting the above criteria can forward a letter of interest and resume, in confidence, to: tlussier@gonzagamiddleschool.ca

Closing Date: Monday, March 5, 2018 (11:59 pm)

Questions about the opportunity can be directed to:

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Only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.