

Physical Education Teacher

Sauvie Island School

Public Charter School



Position Information:

Application Deadline Date: Until Filled

Start Date: August 26, 2024

Job Title: PE Teacher (Primary Grades)

Department: Teacher

Report to: Executive Director

Status: Part-Time

Posting Date: April 2024

Salary: \$TBD (*Depending on Experience*)

About Sauvie Island School

Sauvie Island School is a K-8 Public Charter School located north of Portland, Oregon between the Columbia River and the Multnomah Channel. Our school is the heart of the Sauvie Island Community. Sauvie Island School encompasses one class of 24 students per grade; therefore we house 9 classes and 216 students in our K-8 school. SIS provides the children of our broader community (Scappoose, St. Helens, North Portland, etc.) an opportunity to learn through the lens of Place-Based Education, engaging students in their learning and connecting them to their community. In addition, our approach supports Project-Based Learning and Thematic Instruction and values stewardship deeply rooted in the uniqueness of Sauvie Island. SIS provides a quality standards-based core curriculum, as well as learning experiences outside the classroom so that students are engaged in their learning. Our school is the meeting place where students, parents, staff, and the community are partners in the educational process for the achievement of all children. Please visit www.sauvieislandschool.org to learn more about our school.

Position Overview

The Physical Education teacher promotes and develops successful learning, and healthful attitudes and behaviors for students in physical education through a creative, innovative, Place-based approach. The teacher performs instructional and related duties as they pertain to the state standards in physical education. The PE teacher performs duties in accordance with ORS, SIS Policies, and the terms of the staff handbook. The PE teacher cooperates and collaborates with staff, families, and students. An SIS teacher understands and promotes the school's Place-based mission, vision, objectives, and policies both within and outside the immediate school community. The teacher is responsible for providing a Place-Based/Project Based and Integrated instructional program that supports the individual needs of all children. Teachers use Backwards Design models and collaboration to design and implement these programs. A commitment to professional growth/learning and collaboration amongst colleagues is highly important.

All teachers at SIS are enrolled in a generous retirement package through the Oregon Public Employee Retirement System. SIS also offers medical, dental, and vision insurance policies, with an option at no monthly premium cost to the employee.

Essential Job Functions:

- Responsible for ensuring that PE curriculum meets SIS philosophy, Oregon State Standards, and Common Core State Standards.
- A strong command of the physical skills necessary to teach a variety of sports games and activities.
- Develops developmentally appropriate daily lessons founded in a sense of place.
- Preparing effectively for class by checking and maintaining all PE equipment, locker rooms, and gym
- General housekeeping of the gym and locker room to ensure a clean and usable space.

- Provides instruction, organization, and management in the classroom/gym that creates a respectful environment conducive to learning, supported by PBiS principles.
- Responsible for creating and maintaining a healthy and safe environment within the classroom and the school.
- Engages in weekly PD meetings, monthly staff meetings, and team meetings and serves on a school committee.
- Arrives at work on time and can be flexible in participating in after-school meetings.
- Adheres to all school systems, protocols and policies.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Contributes to the educational community by being respectful, cooperative, and reliable.
- Maintains a high level of ethical behavior and confidentiality when dealing with student information.
- Maintains a valid Oregon teaching license registered in the manner provided by law during employment.
- Adheres to Ethical Educator & Professional Practices as set forth by Teacher Standards & Practices Commission (TSPC). <http://www.tspc.state.or.us/pub.asp?id=6>

Preferred Qualifications

Knowledge of and experience with:

- Place-Based philosophy
- CCEPE (Council for Children's Expanded Physical Education)
- OR SHAPE (Society of Health and Physical Educators)
- Backward Design approach
- Storyline philosophy
- PBiS practices
- Differentiated Instruction
- Formative Assessment
- Teaching Mindfulness
- Technology Skills- iPad, Document Camera, Projector, Online Learning Management System, Video Conferencing

Requirements

- Oregon State Teaching License or TSPC Teacher Registry
- A Bachelor's Degree. (Preferred Master's Degree)
- Possess and maintain a current CPR and First Aid Card.
- Current concussion training certificate.
- Clear communication skills, both orally and in written form
- Ability to work collaboratively as part of a team
- Good organizational skills, as well as flexibility
- Ability to create a structured, positive, and nurturing environment for all student

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Please send your

- Completed SIS APPLICATION
- Cover letter
- Résumé
- 3 Current Letters of Recommendation

to Darla Meeuwsen at dmeeuwsen@sauvieislandschool.org

NOTE: This job posting is not intended to be all-inclusive. Employees may perform other related duties as needed to meet the ongoing needs of the organization.