Title Middle and Upper School Music Instructor

Job Category Middle and Upper School Faculty

## Description

Frederica Academy is a Pre-K – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade independent school located on St. Simons Island, GA. The Academy is a member of NAIS and GISA, accredited by the SAIS/AdvancEd. The school has approximately 400 students. For more information, please see our school website at <a href="https://www.fredericaacademy.org">www.fredericaacademy.org</a> and our School Profile under "About us."

# **Frederica Academy Mission**

To maximize each student's potential and prepare him or her for college and adult life through the development of mind, body, and spirit.

### **Job Summary:**

Frederica Academy seeks a Music Instructor to begin as soon as possible. **The position becomes available in January 2019.**Interested applicants should have a breadth of expertise in all areas of Music from Chorus to Band. Experience with Middle and Upper School students is desired and an ability to grow programs is essential. The ability to lead, advise clubs or coach is strongly desired and will enhance any applicants opportunities.

## **Primary Duties and Responsibilities:**

The Upper School Music Instructor is required to perform a range of duties including, but not limited to:

- Develop the curriculum materials, syllabus, outlines and assessments.
- Conduct after-school lessons as scheduled
- · Participate in all advisory, faculty, department meetings as called
- Be involved in the life of the school, beyond the classroom (coaching, Department Chair and/or advisor to an organization of student leadership).
- Fulfill additional duties as assigned by the Middle and Upper School Directors or Head of School.

### Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree in Music or related field
- Master's degree is preferred
- A strong desire to work in a collaborative community.
- Demonstrates flexibility and responsiveness to a variety of learning style and a range of abilities.
- Ethical behavior, professionalism and a respect for diversity.
- It is preferable that applicant has multiple years of experience in an independent school atmosphere.

#### **Environment Characteristics:**

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. The individual can expect the possibility of stressful environment while dealing with a wide variety of challenges and can anticipate deadlines with a varied array of student situations. The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate. Varied extreme outside weather conditions during special activities and school events are possible. The employee will primarily teach indoors with occasional field trips off campus. Some evening and weekend commitments are required.

Frederica Academy is dedicated to providing equal employment opportunities to all personnel and applicants for employment without regard to race; color; religion; sex; national origin; handicap or disability; sexual orientation; or status as a veteran, Vietnam era, or special disabled veteran.