



JOB POST: Middle School Humanities Teacher (gr 7 & 8)
One-year position (SY2021-2022)

Thornton Academy seeks a qualified Humanities teacher with the ability to integrate middle school curriculum and instruction in the humanities fields of English/Language Arts and History/Social Studies.

Qualifications

The successful candidate will:

- Be fully competent in the areas of curricular content, curriculum development, technology integration, and pedagogy in middle school humanities education
- Have demonstrated the ability to integrate middle school social studies and English curricula to facilitate student-centered learning
- Be able to maximize the advantages of collaborating with a close colleague (responsible for the team's STEM classes)
- Be professionally reflective and growth-oriented: recognize strengths, address limitations, cooperate and collaborate with colleagues both in and beyond the team, participate in school improvement efforts
- Demonstrate the genuine patience, flexibility, and enthusiasm necessary for working with early adolescents
- Adhere to the highest professional standards in all interactions and communications with all members of the school community

Required credentials

- Bachelor's degree in a related field (e.g., English, English education, history, social studies education)
- Two to five years teaching experience
- Appropriate state certification preferred
- Experience working with international and/or ELL students a plus

To apply, please submit the following:

- Letter of interest
- Current resume
- Completed "Instructional" application form (available for download [online here](#))
- If professionally certified in Maine, documentation of that certification
 - If not certified, evidence of current/active CHRC (required by Maine law)
- Three letters of reference, including contact information for each individual
- Copies of all post-secondary transcripts
 - Unofficial/student-issued transcripts are acceptable for initial application; official transcripts may be requested later.
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All materials should be submitted electronically to susan.tarver@thorntonacademy.org. Please note "Candidate: Humanities teacher" in the Subject line. Applications will be accepted until a suitable candidate is found.

If electronic submission is not possible, materials may be mailed or delivered to:
Susan Tarver Thornton Academy 438 Main Street Saco, ME 04072

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