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ARTS DEPARTMENT - ADJUNCT GUITAR TEACHER

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The Frederick Gunn School, founded in 1850, is a co-ed boarding and day school for students in grades 9-12 as well as a post-graduate year. Mr. Gunn had a deep appreciation for the natural world, believing that in nature students understand themselves as humans and their place in the world. He took a principled stand against slavery and spurred students (and the town at large) to examine their beliefs. In addition to the habits and skills students will need in college and life beyond, we teach them to follow Mr. Gunn's example: to cultivate wisdom, to be trailblazers, to act with conviction, and to value character as highly as intellect and achievement.

Frequency

1 time per week, per student; 40-60 minute private lessons. Number of students will vary based on interest.

Expectation of Teaching

Basic fundamental technique, scales, melodic and rhythmic sight-reading (stay away from tablature), chord structure, basic music theory, all genres, acoustic and electric

Additional Requests

May be asked to help with sectionals or perform with school ensembles

Experience

At least one year teaching high school guitarists from beginning to intermediate

Location

Lessons are to take place on the FGS campus in TPACC Practice Rooms

Employment

This is a part-time employment opportunity (W2), which includes standard background and finger-printing procedures

Frederick Gunn was a champion of the arts, athletics and the natural world. As we align our vision for the future in the Arts at The Frederick Gunn School, we want to be sure we are offering our students a high standard of excellence while allowing them to take risks, explore new experiences, master skills and fundamental techniques, and leave our school with a love and understanding for the holistic beauty of the Arts. The Arts make us human. Our Arts vision includes music, theatre, dance, and all mediums of the visual arts, including drawing,



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painting, ceramics, photography and more. The portrait of an FGS graduate is one that is curious, creative, competent, collaborative, and cultured. The Arts organically prepare our students in all aspects of these values. For more information on the Arts at FGS, please click [here](#).

To Apply

- Email cover letter, resume, and three professional references to castonguayr@frederickgunn.org.

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BACKGROUND SCREENING: The Frederick Gunn School conducts background checks on all job candidates upon acceptance of a contingent offer, which includes using a third-party administrator to conduct the checks.