

Notre Dame Academy

Vacancy

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The following Coaching position exists within the Athletic Department at Notre Dame Academy.

2023-2024- Fall Athletic Season

Varsity Head Boys Soccer Coach

Notre Dame Academy is looking for a Varsity Head Boys Soccer Coach.

We are a Division III School in the Fox River Classic Conference.

2020, 2021, 2022 State Runner-up

11-time Sectional Champions/State Tournament Appearances

- Qualified candidates must have a minimum 5-7 years of coaching experience at the college or Varsity High School level
- Or minimum of 7-10 years Junior Varsity head coaching experience.
- Head Varsity Coaching Experience preferred.
- An ideal candidate will focus on Team, Player and future development

Team Development

- Coordinate, direct and lead the development and promotion of the Boys Soccer Program
- Bring enthusiasm; show a vision to the sport and the ability to motivate players
- Carefully organize and facilitate practices with precise goals to improve
- Understand the administrative duties involved with the head coaching position
- Administrative tasks as assigned by the Athletic Director
- Understand the rules and regulations of the WIAA
- Understand and utilize the HUDL program to prepare players for upcoming games
- Design, organize and establish summer programs
- Incorporate strength and conditioning into the offseason preparation
- This person must have strong organizational and communication skills to cultivate a program within and outside the Notre Dame community

Player Development

- Assess players' skills and assign team positions
- Organize and schedule practice sessions
- Organize and direct individual and small group practices activities/exercises
- Determine game strategy based on the team's capabilities
- Teach the proper techniques of the game of Soccer and improve the player skill set
- Hold a preseason meeting with all student-athletes and parents before the season
- Create a safe environment conducive to learning and appropriate for the physical, social and emotional development of student

Key Competencies Desired

- A candidate must follow the mission and core values of Notre Dame Academy as it relates to Faith, Respect, Learning, Responsibility, Service and Trustworthiness.
- Ability to integrate a Catholic-centered approach to athletics/competition as it aligns with the NDA core values
- Model good sportsmanship and teach good sportsmanship behavior towards the opposing team, fans, parents, and officials
- Visionary leadership
- Proven ability to inspire and build relationships with fellow coaches on the NDA athletic staff and within the conference
- Exceptional organizational skills
- Ensure proper supply, distribution, collection, cleaning, repair and storage of uniforms and Soccer equipment.
- Represent Notre Dame Academy at all conference Soccer meetings and state association meetings
- Proven record of hiring and developing assistant coaches
- Positively engage with the Athletic Director and project a positive image of the school
- Strong communicator with not only athletes and parents but with the Administration and Athletic Department staff
- Ability to systemize communication, process, culture for others to follow within the program
- Proven ability to motivate and engage volunteers
- Be able to effectively and quickly be able to make decisions under pressure
- Understanding of PR/college recruiting processes
- Finally, candidates must complete necessary criminal background and Virtus Training prior to the start of their season

Deadline to submit application is January 30th , 2023

Position open until filled

Potential Teaching Positions available
Religion and Science

Interested candidates should send resume and cover letter and overall philosophy of the game of Soccer to athletics@notredameacademy.com