



ST. JOHN'S PREP

Middle and High School Latin Teacher

About St. John's Prep

St. John's Prep is an inclusive, Catholic, Xaverian Brothers Sponsored School for young men in grades 6 through 12. Founded on the Xaverian values of compassion, humility, simplicity, trust, and zeal, we educate students to be, do and stand for good in the world. We enroll approximately 1,500 students from more than 90 communities in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Maine.

Position Overview and Responsibilities

St. John's seeks to hire a full-time Latin teacher to teach one section of middle school Latin and four sections of Latin in the high school. The ideal candidate would be able to teach all levels of Latin language, literature, and culture, while using technology as a vehicle for learning gains. We are particularly interested in candidates experienced with the ACL Standards for Classical Language Learning and ACTFL "5 Cs and 3 Modes" of language and culture learning.

The ideal candidate will also:

- Collaboratively develop curricula and implement engaging lessons that incorporate a range of authentic learning approaches in the target language with varied content to both support and challenge diverse learners to reach their fullest potential.
- Value and excel at interdisciplinary learning through technology, and place a strong emphasis on holistic language learning utilizing grammar, vocabulary development, reading, and writing.
- Thrive as a dual-purpose instructor – teaching academic content, but also focusing on the whole student – building enduring personal relationships and helping them find teachable moments related to habits of mind and character.

Skills and Competencies

- **Content Expertise:** Has experience teaching Latin language, literature, and culture with a global perspective in mind.
- **Communication Skills:** Communicates consistently and effectively with parents, students, and colleagues.
- **Inclusive Mindset:** Commitment to multiculturalism and diversity that is manifested in

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classroom practice, communication, and curricular decisions.

- **Student-Centeredness:** Must display a deep appreciation for student-centered, engaging, and innovative teaching practices.
- **Collegiality:** Each teacher regularly collaborates with colleagues concerning best practice in an effort to meet the learning needs of all students.
- **Value-Add Orientation:** Must be a self-directed individual who is solution oriented, embraces challenges, and displays a thorough work ethic. Shows a commitment to school-wide initiatives, campus involvement, committee work, and professional development.
- **Enthusiastic:** Finds joy in their work, a balanced perspective and enthusiasm for the daily experiences of school life.

Education and Experience

- A minimum of 1-3 years of teaching experience (or applicable practicum experience).
- A bachelor's degree (master's degree preferred) in Latin education and/or Latin language, literature, and culture.
- Fluency in the Latin language is required.

All members of the faculty are expected to give witness to our mission at St. John's. In addition to classroom teaching responsibilities, we encourage all members of the faculty to be involved in the life of the school beyond the classroom through a wide range of co-curricular, intramural, and interscholastic programs. For more information about St. John's Prep, including our academic, spiritual, and student life programs, please visit www.stjohnsprep.org.

St. John's Prep is committed to building a diverse and inclusive campus community. We welcome applications from underrepresented groups. We seek applicants who demonstrate a commitment to multiculturalism and diversity that is manifested in classroom practice, student engagement, interpersonal communication, and curricular decisions. For more information about our academic, spiritual and student life programs, please visit www.stjohnsprep.org.

Interested candidates are asked to send a cover letter, résumé, and academic transcripts to Tracii Schaeublin, Assistant Head of School for Human Resources, at tschaeublin@stjohnsprep.org. Please, no phone calls.

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