

Deerfield-Windsor School

Opportunity Statement & Job Description

Upper School History Teacher

Deerfield-Windsor School exists to inspire in its students a passion for learning, a commitment to personal integrity and a dedication to social responsibility.

For over 50 years, Deerfield-Windsor has served the Southwest Georgia community, helping students grow intellectually, morally, creatively and physically. The school's combination of academic, artistic and athletic rigor ensure that students can pursue their passions. Deerfield-Windsor enrolls approximately 555 students on two campuses.

Deerfield-Windsor School seeks an experienced Upper School History teacher. The candidate hired would have a unique opportunity to work with department colleagues to continue to develop a program that prepares students for college level coursework.

Required Qualifications: The Upper School History Teacher will

- possess a Bachelor's degree. Master's degree is preferred.
- possess experience teaching high school students. Independent school experience or related is preferred.
- actively participate in extracurriculars through coaching or sponsoring activities
- demonstrate passion for working with children and an understanding of the developmental needs of the age group.

Desired Qualities: Upper School History Teacher will

- possess an interest in cross-curricular teaching.
- have experience teaching AP level courses or interest in teaching AP courses.
- be an engaged learner, active team member, and collaborative decision-maker.
- model flexible and adaptable behavior in classroom activities and experiences.
- understand and advocate for Deerfield-Windsor's Mission in all situations.
- be a clear communicator who possesses excellent listening, verbal, and writing skills.
- foster an environment of creativity, innovation, and openness to new ideas.
- be a relationship-builder, demonstrating personal flexibility, and a sense of humor.
- be detail-oriented and have strong organizational skills.
- maintain confidentiality in all situations.
- possess cheerful demeanor and creative energy.

Primary Duties & Responsibilities: The Upper School History Teacher will

- plan, prepare, and deliver lesson plans and experiences that facilitate active and meaningful learning.
- display strong content and pedagogical knowledge of level curriculum being taught.

- develop lesson plans and assessments that meet established learning objectives and expectations in conjunction with grade level, Humanities Department, and division goals.
- review and evaluate student writing and facilitate the analysis of historical texts.
- participate actively in professional learning opportunities and demonstrate a growth mindset toward learning.
- integrate technology into the curriculum in a meaningful way that is suitable to the age and needs of the students and subject matter being taught.
- collaborate with Humanities Department colleagues to establish continuity within the curriculum.
- collaborate with colleagues (english, social studies, math, science, technology, art and music) to establish meaningful connections for learning.
- provide regular feedback (written and verbal) to students and parents.
- partner and communicate proactively and effectively with parents in formal and informal conferences, written reports, email, and phone communication.
- serve as a KnightLife leader (advisory program).
- support the Deerfield-Windsor School Mission through teaching and participating as a member of the faculty.
- actively participate in extracurriculars through coaching or sponsoring activities.
- perform other duties as assigned by the Division Director.

Application Process:

The position will remain open until filled. Compensation is competitive and is commensurate with experience. Please email a resume, letter of interest, and contact information for at least three professional references to:

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No phone calls, please.

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