

SAN MATEO UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CERTIFICATED JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE: SOCIAL SCIENCE CURRICULUM LEADER

REPORTS TO: Director of Curriculum and Assessment

SITE: District Office

CLASSIFICATION: Certificated WORK YEAR: School Days Only

SALARY: \$6,000

APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES: EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2023

JOB ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Facilitate a process of norming instructional materials/content use that aligns with SMUSHD Racial Equity Board Policy, SMUHSD Instructional Framework and the CA History/Social Science Framework in the following core courses:
 - a. Modern World History (College Prep and Advanced Standing)
 - b. US History (College Prep)
 - c. Government and Economics (College Prep)
- 2. Attend and actively participate in four quarterly meetings of the SMUHSD History/Social Science Department Chairs and provide reports of progress and solicit feedback/input.
- 3. Attend SMUHSD training, workshops, and collaborative meetings to engage in collaborative work with Instructional Leaders.
- 4. Attend workshops and relevant professional development at the San Mateo County Office of Education and other educational agencies in order to stay current on recent developments in the content area.
- 5. Attend scheduled TOSA Leader meetings and participate in regular check in meetings to coordinate and receive support in task force development and work.

Employment Standards:

- Incumbent must be able to perform essential functions above with or without reasonable accommodation.
- Incumbent must maintain a positive, helpful, constructive attitude and working relationship with the department supervisor and departmental employees, other District employees, the Board of Education, students, parents and the general public.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Education/Training Experience

- Social Science Teaching Credential
- Five years or more of experience teaching English courses at the secondary level
- Knowledge and experience with the History/Social Science Framework
- Knowledge and experience using a variety of effective instructional and engagement strategies for all students in the History/Social Science classroom including but not limited the *EL-Achieve*-branded, "Constructing Meaning" model

- Knowledge and proficiency effectively integrating technology into the History/Social Science classroom
- An understanding of and commitment to *cultural responsiveness*
- An understanding of and effective strategies for formative assessment practices
- Experience having led formal professional development/adult learning
- Knowledge and experience using various technology tools and software platforms such as Canvas, Microsoft Office Suite including Excel; Google Docs/Spreadsheets; and Aeries.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

- Department of Justice fingerprint clearance
- Evidence of Tuberculosis clearance

The intent of this position description is to provide a representative summary of the major duties and responsibilities performed by incumbents of the position. Incumbents may be required to perform other job-related tasks other than those specifically presented in the description. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the above-stated essential functions.

SMUHSD is an equal opportunity employer in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and all other applicable federal, state and local laws.

Discussion of 2022-23 school year foci related to the Instructional leads:

- 1. Send out an email to teachers about the hybrid role this team will play
- 2. Observation/Equity Walk protocol development & participation
- 3. Participation in the development of Instructional Framework