



Donelson Christian Academy is a Pre-K through 12 regionally-accredited, coeducational, college-preparatory, Christian day school enrolling 950 students. Founded in 1971, the 25-acre campus is in a residential section of Donelson, TN, a suburb twenty minutes from downtown Nashville, TN. The Academy seeks to serve Christ by assisting parents in providing students with a challenging, college preparatory education taught from a non-denominational biblical worldview that develops the whole person into a Christ-like leader in the home, church, and community.

The Academy seeks a passionate and innovative **6th Grade Science Teacher** who strongly emphasizes STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) education. The ideal candidate will inspire curiosity and foster a love for STEM disciplines while creating an engaging, hands-on learning environment that prepares students for future academic success. The teacher must deliver lessons that develop students' science knowledge and educational skills, develop strong partnerships with parents, mentor students from a Biblical worldview, and model Christ-like character to all students in a collegial environment.

### **Teacher Responsibilities:**

- Plan and teach lessons to facilitate student understanding of 6th-grade science and math
- Prepare and present learning materials such as notes, review/reinforcement materials, assignments, and assessments
- Integrate a Biblical worldview into lessons
- Provide opportunities that help students develop academic skills such as content reading, critical thinking, experimentation, new uses of technology, etc.
- Maintain a classroom that ensures an outstanding instructional and learning environment
- Promptly grade assignments, quizzes, tests, and other assessments
- Document student progress
- Plan and facilitate parent-teacher conferences
- Communicate with parents regularly and be available to meet with parents
- Supervise assessments and end-of-semester examinations
- Support students with tutoring sessions when needed
- Practice the ministry of presence by attending fine arts and athletic events
- Have an interest in and availability to coach or lead extracurricular programs
- Attend weekly chapels and lead a weekly student advisory group
- Fulfill assigned duties such as supervising students in the cafeteria, car line, study hall, etc.
- Participate in meetings with department colleagues and school staff

### **Teacher Requirements:**

- Bachelor's degree or higher in science education or the equivalent
- Belief, support, and acceptance of Donelson Christian Academy's Statement of Faith
- Proficient in best-practice use of technology in the classroom
- A thorough understanding and implementation of best practices in teaching
- Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills
- Both highly organized and flexible
- Ability to engage, connect, and inspire students with a cheerful disposition
- Display an "Always Learning Attitude," acquiring professional knowledge about current developments in education
- Desire to be a Christian role model

Applicants interested in impacting students through teaching 6th-grade science and math while modeling Christian principles beginning July 31, 2025, should send a cover letter, resume, completed application found at <https://www.dcawildcats.org/about/employment>, transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to:

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### **DCA Statement of Belief**

The foundation of the Academy shall be the Word of God as interpreted by the following statements of faith.

We believe the Bible to be the inspired and only infallible, authoritative Word of God. (II Timothy 3:16)

We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons-Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (I John 5:4-6)

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory. (I Corinthians. 13:3, I Peter 2:21-24, John 3:1)

We believe that for salvation of the lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential. (Romans 3:21, Galatians 4:4-7)

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life. (Galatians 5:22-25)

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life; and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.  
(John 5:24, 28, 29)

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. (John 17:21-23)

We believe in the God-given value of human beings as unique image-bearers of God who are created male and female by Him. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God and we live consistently with the sex and gender God has given. (Genesis 1: 26-27, Psalm 139: 13-14, Matthew 19:4-6)

We believe in the Biblical model of marriage as a covenantal relationship created by God for a man and a woman. Sexual intimacy is a gift from God and has its proper place only within the context of marriage. (Genesis 2: 22-24, Matthew 19: 4-6, Romans 1: 21-27, 1 Corinthians 6: 9-10, 18, Ephesians 5: 31-32, Hebrews 13:4)

**Donelson Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, nationality, or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. Donelson Christian Academy does not discriminate based on race, color, or national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.**