

**Division/Department:** Whole school **Job Type:** Full-Time, 12-month

**Supervisor**: Assistant Head of School

#### **Position Overview:**

Trident Academy, a K-12 school dedicated to serving students with learning differences, seeks an innovative and dynamic **Director of Entrepreneurship and Experiential Learning** to lead and expand hands-on, real-world learning opportunities for our students. This newly created position will be responsible for developing and teaching a comprehensive experiential learning program that fosters creativity, problem-solving, and business intelligence, equipping students with essential life and career skills. The director will collaborate with faculty, community partners, and industry leaders to provide meaningful learning experiences that align with the unique needs of our students.

# **Key Responsibilities:**

- Program Development & Implementation: Design and lead an engaging entrepreneurship and experiential learning program tailored to students with learning differences.
- **Curriculum Integration:** Work with faculty to embed entrepreneurial thinking, financial literacy, and problem-solving into the curriculum across all grade levels. Additional Training will be provided by the school.
- Community & Business Partnerships: Establish and maintain relationships with local businesses, entrepreneurs, and organizations to create internship, mentorship, and real-world learning opportunities for students.
- Experiential Learning Coordination: Organize field experiences, business incubators, student-run enterprises, and hands-on learning projects that encourage innovation and self-advocacy.
- **Student Engagement & Support:** Guide students through the process of identifying problems, developing solutions, and pitching their ideas, fostering confidence and public speaking skills.
- **Assessment & Growth:** Evaluate program effectiveness, collect feedback from students and faculty, and continuously improve the learning experience.

• Event & Showcase Coordination: Organize school-wide events such as pitch competitions, innovation fairs, and business showcases to celebrate student achievements.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Passion for working with students with learning differences and an understanding of best practices in differentiated instruction.
- Strong leadership, collaboration, and communication skills.
- Ability to build partnerships with external organizations and businesses.

### **Preferred Skills & Attributes:**

- Experience with grant writing or securing funding for experiential learning initiatives.
- At least 1-2 years of experience teaching in areas such as STEM, entrepreneurship, and/or design thinking.

## Why Join Trident Academy?

Trident Academy is a place where we celebrate unique thinkers and embrace inclusivity. We're looking for someone who wants to make a real difference by equipping students with skills that will last a lifetime. If you're passionate about working with students who learn differently, love bringing fresh ideas to education, and believe in learning by doing, we encourage you to apply!

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