

VMS Coach

Purpose: Vail Mountain School coaches instruct athletes in the fundamental skills, strategies, and physical training necessary for them to realize a degree of individual and team success in their sport. At the same time, the coach will provide instruction and inspiration that will create a positive team culture inclusive of collaboration, the recognition for interdependence, sportsmanship, lessons in character, and that will lead to the further development of values, pride of accomplishment, prosocial behavior, self-discipline, and self-confidence.

Boys Soccer: Middle School Boys Head Coach

Practices: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 3:15 - 4:15pm

Games: Saturday Mornings

Head Coach Compensation: \$1500-\$2500 Depending on Experience

Season: August to October

Girls Upper School Varsity Basketball Coach

Practices: Monday - Friday 4:30 - 6:30pm

Games: Weekday evenings and Saturdays December - February

Head Coach Compensation: \$5000

Season: December - February

We are looking for a dynamic and personable soccer coaches for our Middle School Boys Soccer Program. A love and understanding of the game is important.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Communicate with parents and athletes regarding practice schedules and game schedules for the week.
- Conduct practices that are both effective and enjoyable.
- Encourage players to uphold strong character and sportsmanship.
- Have fun!

Who You Are:

- A “raise your hand” type of person. As a coach you are interested in supporting your student athletes both at school and on the field. You are ready to help with parent pickup, uniform distribution, and building community with your players and families
- Have general knowledge of CHSAA rules and regulations or applicable rules and regulations based on your sport. You are responsible for implementing these policies for students athletes.
- Responsible for knowledge, understanding and enforcing all aspects of the VMS Athletic Handbook.
- Successful coaching experience in assigned sport as well as the ability to organize and supervise a sports team comprised of students in Middle School (grades 6-8) or Upper School (grades 9-12)
- Substantial knowledge of the technical aspects of the sport and interested in continuing to examine new ideas

- Communicative leaders committed to working directly with the Athletic Director, Athletic Department, Athletic Trainers, and VMS employees to ensure a successful student experience.
- Demonstrate effective problem solving skills
- Promote the sport within the school, county, and beyond. You are ready to be a positive role model
- Promotes the well being of student athletes
- Understand the balance of athletics, academics and family in students' lives

What You Will Do:

- Establish the fundamental philosophy, skills, and techniques that will be taught.
- Operate within your established budget and participate in all discussions with the Athletic Director for the current season and planning for future seasons.
- Complete all assigned "RSchools" (online platform) documentation including proof of CPR, Concussion Training Protocol, and Student Mental Health.
- Handle all equipment and uniform collection including issuing, storing, reconditioning and selection
- Meet and/or communicate with parents and participants prior to the start of the sport season to provide program expectations, procedures and policies
- Transport athletes using VMS transportation to necessary locations. Coaches will be paid an additional \$10/hour after the first hour of required driving.
- Head coaches will delegate specific duties to assistant and JV coaches and use their parent volunteers in appropriate ways
- Assistant coaches will help where assigned and jump in as needed.
- Assist in the necessary preparation to hold scheduled practices/sporting events or and adheres to scheduled facility times.
- Assist in providing documentation to fulfill state and system requirements concerning physical examination, parental consent, and eligibility, and proof of insurance.
- Report in writing, ineligibility status for players following an event to the athletic director, league schools and CHSAA headquarters.
- In conjunction with the Athletic Director, monitor student athlete's grades and conduct in regards to eligibility.
- Supervise athletic participants from the time they report to the practice site or game until they leave at the conclusion of the activity.
- Provide training rules and any other unique regulations of the sport to each athlete participant.
- Direct and guide assistants, statisticians and student managers.
- Instill respect for equipment and school property, their care, and proper use in each player.
- Attend all practices, games, and provide assistance, guidance, and safeguards for each participant.
- Maintain good public relations with news media, parents, officials, volunteers and fans.
- Assist the Athletic Director in scheduling and requirements for tournaments and special sporting events.
- Utilize only team building exercises that do not include harassment or hazing
- Use Magnus Health to complete paperwork on all athletic injuries in a timely manner to ensure student safety and best practices. Magnus Health should be downloaded on the coaches phone.