



Inspire and Challenge.

At Belmont Day School, we foster intellectual curiosity, honor differences, and empower meaningful contribution with excellence, respect, honesty, responsibility, caring, and joy.

Grade 5 Teacher, Specializing in Math and Science

We seek an innovative and versatile upper elementary educator to serve as one of two fifth grade homeroom teachers and provide parental leave coverage beginning January 3 and ending on June 16, 2023. A qualified candidate will possess a strong enthusiasm, deep knowledge of, and familiarity with fifth grade students. This is a full-time, exempt, and benefit-eligible position. This is a temporary position that reports to the lower school head.

Responsibilities

- Create a rich, engaging, stimulating program for fifth graders
- Have both the developmental and pedagogical background to embrace this age group
- Serve as a homeroom teacher, helping to lead community meetings, and engaging with students routinely by providing coverage at lunch, recess, and dismissal, or as needed
- Collaborate with all members of the fifth grade team and all school faculty to design curriculum and support co-curricular programming and the development of students beyond the classroom
- Deliver math instruction using the Singapore Math curriculum
- Differentiate instruction and create a responsive curriculum to meet the individual needs of all students and support foundational skills
- Create an inclusive learning community that integrates diversity, equity, and inclusion and social justice pedagogy
- Utilize anecdotal, informal, and formal benchmark assessments to assess and monitor growth in all curriculum areas (particularly math) and use data to inform comprehensive student reports.
- Lead and assist in parent-teacher conferences focused on the social, emotional, and academic growth of students
- Contribute to and benefit from working with colleagues in a vibrant learning and teaching environment
- Incorporate technology in the classroom in innovative and creative ways to enhance student learning
- Teach and exhibit our school's six core values of respect, responsibility, honesty, caring, joy, and excellence

Competencies

- Knowledge of fifth graders and their developmental progression
- Ability to develop and adapt curriculum and differentiate instruction in multiple subject areas, especially math and science
- Ability to infuse diversity, equity, inclusion, and social justice concepts and themes into academic and social-emotional curriculums and inform teaching, classroom management, and parent relationships
- Establish and maintain strong home-school partnerships with families to ensure student success
- Strong collegial and interpersonal skills
- Great written and oral communication skills
- Flexibility, sense of humor, energy, and optimism

Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree required; advanced degree preferred
- Teaching upper elementary preferred; fifth grade teaching experience preferred
- Training and/or experience with Singapore Math is highly preferred

Please send a cover letter, resume, and references to careers@belmontday.org. Please include "Grade 5 Teacher - parental leave" in the subject line.

Belmont Day seeks candidates who will add to the diversity of our community. The school will always be maintained as a nonsectarian institution. The school is an equal opportunity employer. The school complies with all legal requirements in connection with admissions and access to programs, facilities, and employment practices regardless of race, color, religion, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, national origin, genetics, age, or disability.