

PART-TIME MUSIC TEACHER POSITION

St. Michael's Episcopal School seeks a qualified part-time music teacher for the 2018-2019 academic year. This is a ten month position beginning in July.

Key responsibilities...

- teach K-2 music classes;
- provide accompaniment for student performances and chapels;
- help direct K-2 performances; and possibly
- direct middle school theater productions, including musicals.

The successful candidate will have...

- excellent verbal and written skills and ability to communicate with students, parents and colleagues;
- a minimum of 3 years of experience teaching (preferably in lower school) music; and
- a bachelor's degree in education, music, or a related field. An advanced degree is preferred, though not required.

The ideal candidate will have...

- used a variety of instructional strategies and assessment methods to meet the cognitive and affective needs of all students;
- worked cooperatively with colleagues on a consistent basis;
- integrated technology effectively into student learning;
- demonstrated kindness, enthusiasm, a sense of humor, investment in continued learning and professional growth, and a passion for supporting children as they grow and learn;
- worked actively to cultivate an inclusive environment and support a school community grounded in empathy, social responsibility, and an appreciation and respect for individual differences;
- employed effective classroom management skills;
- maintained accurate and timely documentation of grades, behavior, academic concerns, and parent communication; and
- directed student musicals and/or theatrical performances.

St. Michael's Episcopal School provides children with superior academic instruction in an environment that acknowledges and develops the Christian values of kindness, respect, acceptance, integrity, responsibility, resilience, and compassion. The K-8 co-educational community is small enough (375 students and 48 faculty-staff) for everyone to know one another, and large enough to provide rich curricular and co-curricular opportunities. Its student-teacher ratio is 10:1, and average class size 18 to 19 students. The Middle School is located on a 70-acre campus. In 2018, the Lower School moves into a brand new building on this campus. Students hail from 29 different zip codes. St St. Michael's, we do small in a BIG way! Founded in 1957, St. Michael's is accredited by the Virginia Association of Independent Schools (VAIS) and a member of the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS). St. Michael's values diversity as an important element of serving its mission and thus considers applicants for all positions without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age, marital or veteran status, disability, or any other legally protected status.

Candidates should forward a cover letter, resume, and educational philosophy to <u>employment@stmschool.net</u>.