



Middle School Science Long Term Substitute Teacher

Type: 6 Week Position (with potential to extend)

Supervisor: Head of Middle School

Start Date: January 2021

Mission Statement

Catherine Cook empowers students from preschool through eighth grade to be adaptive, confident, and productive stewards of an evolving world. Our community engages with ideals of cultural competence, progressive academics, ethical literacy, and innovation designed to inspire personal excellence and compassionate leadership.

Diversity Statement

Catherine Cook School is committed to creating and sustaining a diverse and compassionate community grounded in a culture of integrity.

Job Description

Catherine Cook School is looking for an experienced Middle School Science teacher who will cover an extended absence on our 8th Grade team. Responsible for teaching 6th and 8th Grade Science classes beginning January 2021, with the opportunity to remain as a full time substitute/classroom assistant for the remainder of the school year. A love for the school setting, a passion for teaching and learning; flexibility; strong communication skills, comfort with public speaking, adept at technology and a sense of humor are essential. Experience serving as an advisor to Middle School age students a plus.

Applicants from diverse backgrounds are particularly encouraged to apply. Likewise, applicants with backgrounds in chemistry, physics, or strong general science are highly encouraged to apply. All applicants must also be open to being part of a learning community and engaging in discussions around diversity, equity, and inclusion.

General responsibilities could include, but are not limited to:

- Communicate thoughtfully, respectfully, and clearly with parents, students, and colleagues
- Work competently within a fully supported one-to-one laptop program
- Serve as a 6th grade advisor
- Attend grade level meetings
- Create thoughtful, well-written progress reports
- Participate actively in professional growth opportunities
- Build cultural competence and global awareness
- Attend Wednesday after school faculty meetings
- Participate in school staff duties such as lunch, recess, and arrival/dismissal duties
- Possess strong educational technology skills
- Be willing and able to move to distance learning if required

Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree, preferably in a field of Science or Science Teaching; Master's preferred

- Experience teaching Middle School Science; experience with inquiry-based science, Chemistry, and distance learning a plus
- Strong education technology skills and comfort with PCs and smartboard technology
- Familiarity with teaching virtually, using Blackbaud, Google Classroom, or other learning management system, and Zoom

Catherine Cook School is an equal opportunity employer. Visit www.catherinecookschool.org to learn more about our school and culture to see if you'd be a good fit. Catherine Cook School is an equal opportunity employer.

Qualified applicants can submit a cover letter and resume to:

Cory Stutts, Head of Middle School at cstutts@ccookschool.org