

Rowland Hall: Middle School Physical Education Teacher

School Overview

Rowland Hall is an independent school in Salt Lake City serving over 950 students in preschool through twelfth grade. Driven by our vision of inspiring students who make a difference, Rowland Hall sets the standard for teaching and learning excellence in a warm, inclusive environment where students form meaningful relationships that cultivate confidence and self-discovery. Transformational academic and co-curricular programs including experiential learning opportunities, self-expression through the arts, and a competitive athletic program ensure students are challenged both inside and outside the classroom. We foster curiosity, compassion, and joy throughout the learning process and graduate young adults who know how to think critically and live with purpose.

Located near the base of the stunning Wasatch Mountain Range and adjacent to the University of Utah, a world-class research university and medical center, Rowland Hall attracts a diverse community of families. The school focuses on recruiting and retaining high-quality employees by offering extensive professional development opportunities, salaries that are competitive with local districts and market rates, and a close-knit, supportive community.

Position Summary

Collaboration and flexibility are key as this person is a member of the Middle School faculty including the physical education department and athletics department as coaching after school is expected. The job entails planning and teaching dynamic, age-appropriate lessons that promote a healthy lifestyle both physically and social-emotionally for our student body; communicating regularly and proactively with students, their families, and colleagues; and, contributing positively to the overall school culture while fulfilling duties as assigned (recess and lunch supervision, field trip supervisor, etc) and serving on all-school committees as requested or desired.

The Ideal Candidate

All candidates should have classroom experience as a physical education teacher as well as experience coaching a variety of sports, ideally at the middle school and upper school levels. They should have excellent interpersonal skills, a sense of humor, and an interest in engaging in the school community, while advocating for students, supporting parents and caregivers, and collaborating with faculty and staff. In addition, they should:

- Be able to develop innovative curriculum and apply a variety of instructional practices that relate to the unique needs of this age group in the realms of physical education and wellness;
- Have the ability and desire to support and promote the mission statement and values of the school;

- Have a proven track record in terms of collaborating and showing a commitment to continued professional growth;
- Work successfully with students, families and colleagues from a range of cultural backgrounds and belief systems.

Additional Details

This is a 0.8 teaching position, with an expectation to coach. Coaching is paid in addition to the salary. The position is exempt and begins August 1, 2021.

To apply, please send a cover, resume, statement of educational philosophy, and list of references in a single PDF to Andrea Beckman at andreabeckman@rowlandhall.org. For more information about the school, please visit www.rowlandhall.org.

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