

### **Mission Statement**

"Sacred Heart-Griffin is a Catholic, Dominican college preparatory high school that welcomes a diverse population to pursue academic excellence within the Dominican values of study, prayer, service and community."

#### Social Studies Teacher

Type of Employment: Full-time

Grade Level(s): 9-12

## Salary/Benefits:

- Salary commensurate with level of education and years of experience
- Dental insurance
- Health insurance
- 401(k) matching
- Flexible spending account
- Life insurance
- Paid time off
- Professional development assistance
- Retirement plan

#### Priority Skills/Qualities

- Deep understanding and support of SHG Mission
- Builds relationships
- Exhibits strong leadership skills
- Models a restorative mindset
- Continuously seeks ways to improve
- Constantly grows and develops teaching practice

# Responsibilities

- Full time positions are six (6) teaching periods and one (1) supervisory period.
- The teacher is also expected to collaborate with colleagues and attend professional development.
- The teacher should get involved in the school community by supporting students outside of the classroom through sports and activities.
- The teacher must be willing to communicate with parents by keeping grades updated, posting weekly lesson plans, attending parent teacher conferences and more.
- Demonstrate appropriate long and short-term preparation for classroom instruction.
- Holds high expectations for all students and sees themselves as facilitators of student learning.
- Organizes and uses a variety of teaching techniques, strategies, materials, and technology to maximize the learning of each child, individually and in group settings.
- Assess student progress, provides students and parents with specific feedback, and uses the results to adjust instruction as needed.
- Provides opportunities for academic support and challenge.
- Establishes clear objectives fore all lessons units and projects and communicates these objectives to students.
- Keeps abreast of current development in their fields and continues to deepen their understanding of their disciplines.
- Develops classroom rules on behavior procedures, and maintains fair and just order in the classroom.
- Develops a strong classroom community.

### Qualifications

- A license to teach in Illinois or other state
- Bachelor's Degree in Education, Social Studies, or a closely related field
- Preference given to those with AP/Dual Credit experience

School Website: shg.org

Job Posting Date: July 15, 2024

How to apply: Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to Cindy Klenke at klenke@shq.org