

# **Job Description**

Job Title: Art Teacher (Middle and Upper School)

Revision Date: 2/24/2022

Job Class: Academy PT Hourly

Exempt Status: Non-Exempt

Reports to: Upper School Principal

## **Summary**:

We are seeking a middle/upper school Part Time Art Teacher to join our First Baptist Academy community. Candidates should be able to demonstrate instructional and aesthetic expertise in the visual arts and to collaborate effectively with academic leadership and faculty to design instruction that is coherent, purposeful, and engaging.

We believe the truth of scripture provides the framework through which all of reality can be understood. In concert with all other areas of school life, our academic and arts programs prepare students to grow as lovers of God who seek truth, serve others, and steward creation and culture. We are committed to providing an environment that meets each student at their unique point of need and equips them for pursuit of their full, God-given potential. We seek teachers who are committed to the development and discipleship of the whole child, both within and outside of the classroom. Co-curricular expectations include middle and upper school student life activities.

## Specific Responsibilities:

- Demonstrate instructional and aesthetic expertise in the visual arts
- Collaborate effectively with academic leadership and faculty to design instruction that is coherent, purposeful and engaging
- Plan lessons and develop curriculum to help students master essential techniques and concepts in visual art
- Engage students in the creative process; help them practice self-expression and creative communication
- Expose students to a variety of artistic sources

- Assess, track, and communicate student progress
- Performs related duties, as assigned by Supervisor

### Requirements:

- Demonstrated personal relationship with Jesus Christ and a passion to help others follow Jesus.
- Knowledge of Scripture and its application to all of life, particularly pedagogy, school community, and related disciplines.
- A Bachelor's degree with focus in Visual Arts or related discipline.
- Three years of demonstrated, effective teaching experience in Visual Arts at related grade levels (PREFERRED).
- Ability to collaborate well with colleagues in all areas of education including planning, assessment, student care, and student life.
- Ability to work effectively with a variety of learners.
- Understanding of and ability to meet the discipleship and developmental needs of students in grades 6-12.
- Experience in the use of technology for instruction.
- Ability to communicate graciously and effectively, both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to exercise discretion and utmost professionalism in confidential and sensitive student/family matters.
- Highly motivated and energized individual with strong initiative
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills

## **Conclusion:**

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by the person assigned to this position. This is not an all-inclusive list of responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel. Further, this job description is not intended to limit or in any way modify the right of any supervisor to assign, direct and amend the work of any employee under his/ her supervision. I understand that employment is at the will of the employer and either the employer or the employee may terminate the employment with or without cause at any time.

I have received, reviewed, and fully understand the Job Description for Art Teacher. I further understand that I am responsible for the satisfactory execution of the essential duties and responsibilities as listed herein.

Employee Signature	Date	
Employee Printed Name		