

HOOD RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
115-MIDDLE SCHOOL ENGLISH/LANGUAGE ARTS TEACHER (1.0 FTE) HOOD RIVER MIDDLE SCHOOL (695)

Job Details:

This posting will remain open until filled. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Only those applicants invited to interview will be contacted. You can monitor the status of this vacancy by visiting our website at www.hoodriver.k12.or.us. This is a FULL-TIME, Regular position, beginning with the 2019/20 school year.

Application Process (all materials need to be included in your TalentEd/Recruit & Hire application):

- Recruit & Hire electronic application;
- Letter of interest addressed to Ocean Kuykendall, Hood River Middle School Vice Principal;
- Current Resume;
- Three (3) recent letters of reference;
- Copy of your Oregon Teaching License.

Official college transcripts will be required upon hire.

Job Purpose Statements: The job of “Teacher - Classroom (Secondary)” is done for the purpose/s of developing students’ academic and interpersonal skills through academic courses of study and implementing District approved curriculum; documenting teaching and student progress/ activities/outcomes; addressing specific educational needs of students; providing a safe and optimal learning environment and providing feedback to students, parents and administration regarding student progress, expectations, goals, etc.

Essential Job Functions:

- Advises parents and/or legal guardians of student progress for the purpose of supporting teacher’s expectations, developing methods for improvement and/or reinforcing classroom goals in the home environment.
- Assesses students for the purpose of providing feedback to students, parents and administration regarding students’ progress, expectations, goals, etc.
- Assists other teachers for the purpose of implementing curriculum.
- Collaborates with school personnel, parents and various community agencies for the purpose of improving the quality of student outcomes, developing solutions and planning curriculum.
- Demonstrates methods required to perform assignments and/or skills (e.g. lab experiments, athletic techniques, etc.) for the purpose of providing the students with the necessary skills to perform the tasks safely and/or accurately.
- Directs instructional assistants, volunteers and/or student aides for the purpose of providing an effective school program and addressing the needs of individual students.
- Instructs students for the purpose of improving their success in academics through a defined course of study.
- Monitors student activities (e.g. classroom, lunch, grounds, etc.) for the purpose of providing a safe and optimal learning environment.
- Prepares teaching materials and reports (e.g. grades, attendance, anecdotal records, etc.) for the purpose of implementing lesson plans and providing documentation of teacher and student progress.
- Maintains consistent and predictable attendance to meet the needs of the students and the expectations of the district.
- Reports incidents (e.g. fights, suspected child abuse, suspected substance abuse, etc.) for the purpose of maintaining personal safety of students, providing a positive learning environment and adhering to Education Code, district and/or school policies.

Other Job Functions

- Assists other staff as required for the purpose of supporting them in the completion of their work activities.
- Participates in various meetings (e.g. parent conferences, in-service training, site meetings, etc.) for the purpose of receiving and/or providing information and/or meeting credential requirements.
- Accepts and carries out other duties as assigned for the purpose of meeting student and district needs.

Job Requirements/Qualifications:

- Valid Oregon Teaching License, endorsed to teach English/Language Arts at the middle school level.
- Prior experience teaching middle school preferred.
- Prior experience teaching in a bilingual education program.
- Preference will be given to applicants who are bilingual in English/Spanish.
- Experience using a variety of instructional strategies preferred.
- Ability to adapt teaching methods to meet the various learning styles of students.

Skills, Knowledge and/or Abilities Required:

- Skills to motivate students, communicate with people from varied educational and cultural backgrounds, direct support staff, and evaluate performance.
- Knowledge of age appropriate teaching methods, state curriculum framework, education code, appropriate instructional subjects.
- Abilities to stand and walk for prolonged periods, do a variety of specialized and responsible tasks, maintain records, establish and maintain cooperative working relationships with students, parents, other school personnel, meet schedule and deadlines. Significant physical abilities include lifting/carrying, reaching/handling, talking/hearing conversations, near/far visual acuity/depth perception/accommodation/field of vision.

Licenses, Certification, Bonding and/or Testing Required:

- Valid Oregon Teaching License, endorsed to teach middle school English/Language Arts.
- Pass a criminal background check.
- Pass a pre-employment, post-offer drug test.

Note: Initial salary placement is made by the HR Director and is based on level of education and years of verified, contracted experience, up to 16 years.

HOOD RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. Reasonable accommodations for the application and interview process will be provided upon request and as required in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Disabled persons may contact Hood River County School District at 541/387-5016 for additional information or assistance. Speech or hearing-impaired persons may contact Hood River County School District for assistance through the Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service by dialing 1-800-735-2900.

<i>Primary Location</i>	115-Hood River Middle School
<i>Salary Range</i>	\$40,735.00 - \$79,027.00
<i>Shift Type</i>	Full Time-Regular

Job Contact Information

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