

**HOOD RIVER COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
608-HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE TEACHER (1.0 FTE) HOOD RIVER VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL (692)**

**Job Details:**

This posting will remain open until filled. Incomplete applications may not be considered. 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](http://www.hoodriver.k12.or.us). This is a REGULAR, full time position and will begin with the 2019/20 school year.

**Application process:**

Complete and submit your TalentEd/Recruit & Hire application and include all supplemental documents with your electronic application. <https://hoodriver.cloud.talentedk12.com/hire/Index.aspx>

**Required supplemental documents:**

- Cover letter addressed to Columba Jones, Hood River Valley High School Vice Principal.
- Current resume.
- Three (3) recent letters of reference.
- Copy of your Oregon Teaching License or proof of licensure.

Official college transcripts will be required upon hire.

**Job Purpose Statement:**

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.

The teacher will work closely with the high school Science departmental team to meet the needs of our students. The courses taught will pertain to the chemical and physical properties and compositional changes of substances.

**Essential Job Functions** (Including but not limited to the following):

- 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 student 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.
- Maintains consistent and predictable attendance to meet the needs of the students and the expectations of the District.
- 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.
- 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:**

- Performs other work as assigned by the high school principal or designee

**Job Requirements - Qualifications:**

**Skills, Knowledge and/or Abilities**

- Skills to motivate students, communicate with individuals from varied educational and cultural backgrounds, direct support personnel, evaluate performance.
- Knowledge of age appropriate teaching methods, state curriculum framework, education code, appropriate instructional subjects.
- Abilities to stand and walk for prolonged periods, perform 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.

**Preferred Qualifications:**

- Prior high school science teaching experience preferred.
- Experience using differentiated instructional strategies preferred.
- Experience working with English Language Learners preferred.
- Bilingual English/Spanish preferred.

**Licenses:** Current Oregon Teaching License with a Chemistry or Integrated Science endorsement.

**Testing:** The successful candidate will need to pass a post offer, pre-employment drug test, and a nation-wide criminal background check.

**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>	<b>608 – Hood River Valley High School</b>
<i>Salary Range</i>	<b>\$40,735.00 - \$79,027.00</b>
<i>Shift Type</i>	<b>Full Time- Regular</b>

**Job Contact Information**

<i>Name</i>	<b>Columba Jones</b>
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