

Art Teacher

Category: PK-8

Organization: Vista Ridge Academy

Classification: Part-time, hourly

Hourly Wage Range: \$21.38 to \$41.14 (59-102% of the Remuneration Scale)
Hourly rate is based on experience and MAUC Certification

Posted: May 1, 2024

Resumes Due: May 31, 2024

Description: Vista Ridge Academy (VRA) is seeking a part-time art teacher, 6-10 hours a week. VRA is a P-8 school of 110 students, located in Erie, Colorado on a beautiful school campus with spectacular mountain views, complete with a ball and soccer field, playgrounds, and gymnasium. VRA has seven full-time teachers, support staff, a full-time principal, and supportive constituent churches and community. Aside from core subjects, VRA offers, Art, Music, P.E., Bible studies, EdVentures (field trips), and after school sports. Classroom sizes range from 12-24 students for the 2023-2024 school year. VRA serves a diverse population and welcomes students of all faiths and ethnic background who desire an opportunity to learn more about Jesus. Through its Christ-centered community and personally attentive teaching philosophy, VRA nurtures the unique talents of each student as learners and leaders—aiming to grow confident minds, strong bodies, and loving spirits. In collaboration with the Rocky Mountain Conference Department of Education, VRA emphasizes a wholistic approach to educating students academically, physically, and spiritually—according to our core values.

Job duties include:

- Teaching a general art class to seven classrooms, preschool through eighth grade.
- Teaching an elective art class to Grades 6-8
- Working collaboratively with the teaching team for planning and meeting needs of students
- Developing and maintaining a safe, loving, and structured classroom environment through classroom management and restorative practices
- Planning and implementing engaging lessons and units of study
- Communicating (written and verbal) clearly and effectively with parents, students, and co-workers
- Meeting the needs of students coming from diverse backgrounds
- Modeling and sharing Jesus' love with students

Why you should work at VRA:

- Mentorship opportunities
- Prep time for classroom instruction
- Fully equipped classroom with latest technology and 1:1 laptops for students
- Professional growth opportunities
- New teacher support
- Part of a highly effective collaborative team

- Easy access to DIA airport and Avista Adventist Hospital
- Close to the mountains
- Many local attractions and amenities

Come grow with us! More information about VRA can be found at www.vistaridge.org and on Facebook: Vista Ridge Academy.

Experience: Bachelor's degree in Art and current NAD Certification preferred.

Benefits:

- Participation in the Adventist Retirement Plan with employer matching contributions up to 3%.
- Sick Leave – accrual rate at 1 hour for each 30 hours worked up to a max of 48 hours per calendar year (per Colorado Healthy Families Workplace Act).
- Beginning January 1, 2024, family medical leave (CO FAMLI) insurance program through the State of Colorado.
- Workers' compensation

Individuals must have the legal right to live and work in the United States and provide evidence of that right if employed. If you are interested in being a part of a dynamic team, submit your resume, cover letter, with three references.

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