



## Theatre Teaching Artist (Part-Time)

### *Position Description*

#### **Summary of position**

This faculty member will teach theatre to middle school and/or high school students enrolled in the program, approximately 20 students per class, with a total of 3 classes, in various content areas. The ASA Theatre Arts program strives for the highest excellence. It is necessary to have an instructor who is excited about collaboration with students and colleagues.

This is a part-time position with primary work responsibilities from August to mid-June with preparation work often done during summer months.

This position also may include the teaching artist to take a leadership role with one of the Theatre department's production as director, music director, choreographer, or designer based on their expertise. Responsibilities for this will include after school hours, time for auditions, rehearsals and production preparation.

Occasional evening class shows, school or department events and Showcase (end of year performance) will also require after hours' commitment. The administrative support provided by this position will support both the curriculum and productions of the department.

An ideal candidate would feel comfortable and have the skill set to teach students that have no to limited experience to those who have been articulated through the ASA program.

#### **This Position reports directly to Arts Director**

#### **Essential Duties and Responsibilities**

Create a respectful, stimulating, purposeful, and student-centered classroom.

Cultivate critical thinking and active participation in the classroom.

Develop curriculum and assessments aligned to the ASA standards and department scope and sequence.

Communicate clear objectives to students for all learning

Communicate progress/achievement to students and parents.

Work cooperatively with colleagues in a team setting for curriculum design, assessment, and implementation

Participate actively in department level teams

Uphold the school's philosophy, mission, vision, and values



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### **Minimum Qualifications**

Minimum of a Bachelor's degree in theatre or theatre education, theatre emphasis/expertise preferred, from an accredited four-year college or university. MFA preferred.

Proven skills as a performer and teacher with an extensive knowledge of all levels of theatre content.

Proven experience working with students of varying ages and experience.

At least 3-4 years of classroom teaching experience required.

At least 5 years of professional theatrical experience

Leadership experience in theatrical productions

Highly qualified

Valid fingerprint card

### **Required Knowledge, Skills, and Personal Characteristics**

Effective classroom management skills

Utilization of constructivist teaching strategies

Experience with authentic assessment and rubrics

Experience with current technology

A life-long learner interested in acquire new skills and knowledge

Passion, persistence and determination

Impeccable organization

Punctual and reliable, highly accountable

Excellent oral and written communication skills



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Passionate about content area and about teaching

Concerned about holistic development of the individual

Flexible, creative, and has the capacity to innovate

**Salary and Benefits: Commensurate with experience.**

***Interested candidates should submit the following via email to Laura Apperson, ASA Arts Director, [Apperson@goasa.org](mailto:Apperson@goasa.org).***

- Cover letter, Resume, three letters of reference, and the ASA Application for Employment found on our website.