Girard College Job Posting
Social Studies Teacher – High School

Teach American History, world cultures, civics and related subjects in grades 9 through 12. Our teacher will need to implement developmentally appropriate curriculum and instruction, aligned to Common Core State Standards. Work collaboratively with teachers in other disciplines as well as the residential staff responsible for the high school students. Participate fully in the college academic and residential community. The position reports directly to the High School Dean.

This position will begin in the 2016-17 school year.

Duties and Responsibilities:
• Provide instructional leadership with a high degree of competence, adhering to high expectations within a child centered, standards based context.
• Manage the classroom in a positive, enthusiastic, and professional manner.
• Facilitate and maintain appropriate communication with students and Residential Faculty with regard to student progress.
• Have significant competency in integrating technology into instruction.
• Model and maintain appropriate student behavior.
• Participate in all upper school events.
• Participate in all professional development activities assigned by Girard College.
• Become involved with and supportive of the College community at large, its Mission and Vision, for the benefit of student social, ethical and intellectual education.
• Develop and maintain constructive relationship with parents.
• Adhere to the policies and regulations of Girard College.
• Other responsibilities as assigned.

Qualifications:
• Bachelor’s Degree in an area of History/Social Studies, Master’s preferred
• Instructional Certification Required, PA Instructional Certification in History/Social Studies Preferred.
• Teaching experience at the high school level, especially in a diverse setting.
• Competency in world cultures, American History, Civics
• Excellent communication skills, both verbal and written.
• Proven ability to work collaboratively with all members of the community.
• Experience/ability to integrate technology into instruction.
• Consistently strong recommendations from previous employers and others.
• Preferred - some competencies in a wide range of areas supportive of student learning e.g. coaching, club leadership, the arts.
• Local candidates preferred as there is no relocation reimbursement available.
• This position is exempt from the overtime provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act.

Candidates should email a resume and cover letter to jobs@girardcollege.edu.

Date posted: March 1, 2016
Application deadline: Open until filled