BENTLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF VACANCY

POSITION: Temporary English Language Arts (ELA) Teacher

LOCATIONS: Middle School

DESCRIPTION OF THE DISTRICT

Bentley Community Schools is a thriving K-12 school district located in the City of Burton, Michigan. We serve approximately 715 students across three schools and approximately 150 students in grades 6-8. If you are a passionate educator who thrives in a collaborative environment and is dedicated to making a difference in the lives of students, we encourage you to apply!

JOB SUMMARY

Bentley is looking for a temporary ELA teacher to begin work immediately and continue minimally through January 17, 2025 and maximally through June 10, 2025. In this role, the successful candidate will be responsible for fostering a love of language and literature in students in grades 6-8. Thus, the ideal candidate will be a passionate educator with a strong foundation in English Language Arts and the ability to design and deliver effective instruction aligned with State standards. Additionally, this role requires creating a positive and engaging learning environment so that students can develop critical reading, writing, speaking, and listening skills.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

- Develop and implement creative lesson plans that promote student engagement and critical thinking
- Deliver instruction in reading, writing, grammar, vocabulary, and literature analysis aligned with the State and district standards
- Integrate technology and multimedia resources to enhance learning
- Regularly assess students' proficiency levels and adapt instruction accordingly
- Maintain accurate records of student performance
- Communicate student learning to students, parents, and colleagues
- Create welcoming and inclusive classroom environment that is conducive to learning
- Foster respect and understanding among students, staff and families of all backgrounds
- Engage in on-going professional development to stay current with best practices
- Attend staff meetings and collaborate with colleagues to improve instructional strategies
- Perform other duties as assigned

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Possession of a valid Michigan Teaching Certificate with Language Arts (BX) endorsement
- Experience teaching middle school students is preferred
- Possess a strong knowledge of curriculum standards and best practices in ELA instruction
- Exude a passion for literature and a commitment to fostering a love of learning in students
- Possess a creative and collaborative spirit
- Understand and willing to abide by the <u>Michigan Code of Educational Ethics</u> and District policies and administrative guidelines
- Welcome constructive feedback

REPORTS TO: Building Principal

WORKDAY/WEEK: Full-time

STARTING DATE: Immediately

BENEFITS

· Competitive wage; no benefits

- Supportive and collaborative work environment
- Professional development opportunities
- Opportunity to make a positive impact on the lives of your students

POSTING DATE: 12/04/2024

APPLY: www.bentleyschools.org or www.applitrack.com

POSTING DEADLINE: Until position is filled

MINIMUM PHYSICAL AND COGNITIVE SKILLS

- Ability to speak and hear clearly to communicate effectively with students, families, and colleagues
- Ability to stand, walk, and move around the classroom for extended periods
- Ability to lift and manipulate light objects (books, papers, manipulatives, etc.)
- Ability to perform basic computer tasks
- Ability to focus, concentrate, and maintain attention for sustained periods
- Ability to think critically, problem-solve, and make sound decisions
- Ability to manage time effectively and meet deadlines

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