Elizabeth Meyer School • John Middleton Elementary School • Oliver McCracken Middle School

1st Grade Teacher

Description: We are seeking a dedicated and enthusiastic 1st Grade Teacher to join our elementary team. The ideal candidate will foster a nurturing, inclusive classroom environment where young learners feel safe, supported, and inspired to grow academically, socially, and emotionally.

Reporting Structure: Reports to the Building Principal

Qualifications:

- Valid Illinois Professional Educator License (PEL)
- Elementary Education endorsement
- EL Endorsement Preferred

Responsibilities:

- Create and implement developmentally appropriate lesson plans aligned with state and district standards.
- Teach core subjects including reading, writing, math, science, and social studies with an emphasis on early literacy and numeracy skills.
- Use a variety of instructional strategies and resources to support diverse learning needs and learning styles.
- Differentiate instruction to meet the needs of all students, including those with IEPs, 504 plans, and English language learners.
- Foster a positive, structured, and inclusive classroom environment that promotes student engagement, independence, and social-emotional growth.
- Collaborate with colleagues, support staff, and families to support student success.
- Communicate clearly and consistently with parents/guardians regarding student progress, classroom activities, and school events.
- Participate in professional development opportunities, staff meetings, and school-wide initiatives.

Salary & Benefits:

- Salary and work schedule as defined in current <u>Collective Bargaining Agreement</u>
- Health, dental, and vision benefits
- Retirement plan options: TRS

Application/Selection Procedure:

Complete on-line application at www.sd735.org. Please upload a letter of interest, resume, certification and letters of recommendation. Select applicants will be contacted to provide additional information.

Skokie School District 73.5 is located in culturally diverse Skokie, Illinois, a suburb of Chicago. There are approximately 1,100 students in the three building school district. Nearly fifty percent of the students come from homes where a language other than English is spoken and more than 60 languages are spoken. District 73.5 seeks a diverse candidate pool that is reflective of the diversity of our student body.