## **Christian Elementary Teacher Needed**



Oceana Christian School is seeking a candidate to add to our elementary teaching staff as a full-time classroom teacher. At OCS, we strongly believe that each student is a unique individual created by God. Our goal is to glorify our Creator by integrating moral character, Biblical faith, and quality education. We encourage a love of learning in our students through a positive environment with committed teacher guidance to prepare each student for life.

### **General Qualification**

- The applicant must be a mature, sincere Christ-follower.
- Must hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university and a teaching certificate.
- Must be active in a Bible-believing church and must be in agreement with the FBC Statement of Faith found at <a href="https://gofbchart.org/about/">https://gofbchart.org/about/</a>. (Oceana Christian School is a ministry of First Baptist Church of Hart.)

## **Teaching and Instructional Practices**

- Integrates Biblical principles and the Christian lifestyle into student learning throughout all curriculum, encouraging a love for God and His Word.
- Prepares lessons for all core subjects using a variety of activities and instructional methods to stimulate an interest in learning.
- Maintains an open line of communication with parents, informing them on a regular basis of the current learning activities.
- Plans a program of study that, as much as possible, meets the individual needs, interest, and abilities of the students, challenging each to do his or her best work.
- Actively monitors student interactions and nurtures development of Godly character in and out of the classroom and while supervising assigned recess duty.
- Successfully manages the classroom and determines when disciplinary action is necessary.
- Observes and evaluates students, assessing learning regularly and providing progress reports as required.
- Creatively teaches the whole child- spiritual, intellectual, physical, social, emotional.
- Participates in all-school activities (some after school hours required).
- Possess an ability to engage and communicate with children in a way that prompts growth in character in faith.

### Non-instructional and Professional Skills

- Partners with others to ensure student success through teamwork and shared wisdom.
- Cooperates with the administration in implementing all policies, procedures, and directives governing the operation of the school as stated in the OCS Personnel Handbook.
- Maintains a clean, attractive, well-ordered classroom.
- Utilizes educational and professional growth opportunities.
- Completes tasks in a timely and prompt manner.
- Attends and participates in scheduled devotional, staff, and other designated meetings and/or trainings.
- Contributes to the general improvement of the school program and mission advancement.
- Possess (or has a willingness to learn) computer skills for use in the classroom and in home/school communication.

### **Personal Qualities**

- Demonstrates the character qualities of enthusiasm, courtesy, flexibility, integrity, gratitude, kindness, self-control, perseverance, and punctuality.
- Submits respectfully and is loyal to constituted authority.
- Develops and maintains rapport with students, parents, and staff to promote a
  positive learning environment.
- Recognizes the need for good public relations, representing the school professionally to the general public.
- Models a consistent walk with Jesus Christ in speech, actions and attitude.
- Models flexibility OCS is a PreK-6 self-contained school with many variables changing our daily routine. Staff at OCS are a team, and as such can be called upon to assist in various areas of the building when needed.

OCS has the mission of "Partnering with Parents to Build Strong Students" through an emphasis on "Moral Character, Biblical Faith, and Quality Education." Are you ready to join our team?

# If interested, please send completed job application, resume and cover letter to:

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