

UPPER SCHOOL SPANISH TEACHER

Appointment: Full-time

Reports to: Upper School Director

Andrews Osborne Academy (AOA) is an independent, coeducational, college preparatory day (PK to grade 12) and boarding (grades 7-12) school near Cleveland, with a beautiful 300-acre campus located in Willoughby, OH. Our Academy offers early childhood, elementary, middle, and secondary education to committed students in a multicultural setting. AOA is known throughout the region for offering a community built upon deep and meaningful relationships between and among teachers, students, families, and staff, and for developing a superlative educational paradigm. That paradigm is invested in two deeply held beliefs - that students need to think critically AND creatively, and that knowledge is deepened through plurality. An AOA education empowers students to develop into empathic and caring global citizens capable of leading the way into a dynamic future.

Job Description:

The Upper School World Language faculty report to the Upper School Director and each teach five (5) classes per academic year, serve as an advisor for students, and take on other duties as assigned by the Upper School Director.

General duties and responsibilities also include but are not restricted to the following:

- Teach five (5) high school Spanish classes as assigned by the Upper School Director
- Provide engaging, meaningful, and interactive lessons and project-based experiences
- Ensure that formal and informal evaluation and feedback allows students, parents, and faculty to get an accurate picture of each student's skill development and performance
- Teach both critical AND creative thinking skills as they apply to the content area
- Serve as an advisor to 8-10 students
- Keep online gradebook up-to-date
- Serve as a Club Advisor (meets during the school day)
- Serve on a Weekend Duty Team rotation to chaperone weekend events

Qualifications:

- Experience teaching Spanish courses at the high school level, including AP
- Bachelor's degree or higher in related field
- Strong commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion and fostering this in community
- Experience with project-based learning preferred, but not required
- Demonstrated skill and enjoyment working with adolescents
- Understanding of human development and characteristics of adolescents
- Warmth, sense of humor, and tact
- Ability to collaborate with colleagues and work as part of a team
- Ability to communicate effectively with students and parents
- High standards of professional conduct

Interested parties should send to Upper School Director, Wesley Wilson, (wwilson@andrewsosborne.org) the following:

1. A letter of interest
2. Resume
3. A list of three references and their contact information

All applicants should know that a formal BCI/FBI background check will be a part of this hiring process.

Andrews Osborne Academy is an equal opportunity employer committed to cultural diversity in our workforce.

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