

The Gregory School - Spanish Teacher

Position/Title	Middle school - Upper School Spanish Teacher
Reports To	Dean of Faculty and Academic Programming
Job Overview	<p>The Gregory School has a 5th through 12th-grade curriculum that spirals through strands of Spanish each year. Classes cover the four different language skills, and introduce students to the diversity of speaking communities around the globe.</p> <p>The successful candidate will be able to teach different levels of Spanish, ranging from Spanish 5 (for 5 graders) to AP Spanish Language. In addition, an ideal candidate will support students to create independent classes in the areas of Latinamerican/Spanish culture, literature, and language. The focus is on active learning, through discussion, practice work, oral communication, or other hands-on activities. The curriculum and assessment models used at the Gregory School are based on current best practices in terms of cognitive science.</p> <p>The successful candidate is eager to join a community where professionalism and collaboration are valued. Teachers joining The Gregory School faculty are open to growth and participation in rich curricular conversations. Being part of The Gregory School community includes creating Friday exploration courses and interim week activities that extend learning beyond the classroom curriculum.</p>
Key Tasks and Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In collaboration with the language department, prepare lessons in accordance with TGS Middle - Upper school Spanish Curriculum. ● Incorporate cultural lessons into all levels, addressing the Spanish-speaking world. ● Introduce unit lessons which incorporate differentiation, social justice, and TGS' 6Cs. ● Be open to organize a Spanish or International Club and generally promote the language and diverse culture of TGS. ● Make effective use of Google Classroom and Powerschool for communication with students and parents in relation to assignments and grades. ● Work as an effective team member as part of the Language Department. ● Communicate with parents appropriately as needed. ● Utilize effective classroom management skills. ● Advise a group of 10-13 students.
Qualifications	<p>Candidates will have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bachelor's, Master's, or Ph.d. degree in a Spanish-related field. ● Mastery of spoken and written Spanish; deep knowledge of different dialects and their cultures. ● Prior experience teaching Spanish at different levels. ● Teacher certification preferred. ● Ability to work well with people, especially teens. ● Strong communication and organizational skills.