



Full-time Position: Teaching Assistant
Start Date: Immediately

School description:

Antilles School is an independent coeducational day school located on St. Thomas, in the US Virgin Islands. Antilles enrolls approximately 500 students in a toddler program through grade 12

Excellence, Diversity and Community are the guiding principles for each day at Antilles. We pride ourselves on inspiring each student to reach his/her potential in a multicultural setting that is one of the hallmarks of our School. Antilles combines educational excellence and character development to transform our students into young adults prepared for college, career, and life. Antilles strives to develop the whole child through challenging academic courses, technology, music, art, and athletics.

Antilles School is committed to maintaining an atmosphere of collaborative learning, to building a diverse community based on mutual respect, and to fostering social and emotional learning as well as social equity, diversity, and inclusivity into our school life.

Position description:

Antilles School is seeking a dynamic and talented assistant teacher to join a committed team of pre-k educators in a collaborative environment that places a high value on flexible thinking and problem solving. An understanding of, and a commitment to, a culturally and ethnically diverse population is essential.

The assistant teacher is responsible for following the lead of the classroom teacher to work with students and prepare materials. The focus of the pre-k curriculum incorporates the core skills of language development, listening, self-help, socialization, reading and math readiness, and fine and gross motor development. The assistant teacher is expected to have a thorough understanding of the school's curriculum, and the developmental stages of their students. Character development and the social and emotional development of each child are as equally important as their academic development. These objectives will be accomplished in a child-centered atmosphere, which encourages the students to be actively engaged in their learning. The assistant teacher supports the classroom teacher in efforts to differentiate learning and meet the needs of the different learning styles.

Qualifications include:

- Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood Education or related field preferred
- Experience in independent schools preferred
- Ability to foster positive relationships based on mutual respect and trust
- Demonstrated understanding and enthusiasm for Early Childhood Education
- Ability to motivate and engage young students
- Ability to communicate and interact effectively with multiple constituencies
- Positive team player with strong work ethic

Send letter of interest, resume, and references to: Liz Morrison, Head of School, Antilles School, 7280 Frenchman's Bay 16-1, St. Thomas, VI 00802 or employment@antilles.vi.