

Dragon Camp Teacher

Reports to Director of Auxiliary Programs

Schedule: Monday-Friday, Full-day or Half-day

- Full-day (all ages): 7:45 a.m. 3:45 p.m., with 1 After Care session per week (3:30 5:30 p.m.)
- Half-day (Early Childhood only): 7:45 a.m. 12:15 p.m.
- After Care only (all ages): 3:15 5:30 p.m.

St. George's Episcopal School is a coeducational, independent school serving approximately 395 students from nursery through eighth grade and employing approximately 100 faculty and staff. Here, each child grows academically, creatively, emotionally and spiritually while developing a sense of self-worth and moral responsibility. This is a family-like atmosphere of care and concern with a highly trained and dedicated faculty. Educational excellence at St. George's begins with the simple premise that each child is unique—that is, each child's strengths are worth cultivating and celebrating, and each child's challenges are worth identifying and embracing, for only then will grit and perseverance accompany growth and development. This is why our graduates develop into lifelong learners and consequently find acceptance and success in the finest high schools in New Orleans. This is also why our parents, grandparents, alumni, friends and students have an enduring love for the school.

Dragon Camp Sessions:

Session 1: June 12 - June 30, 2023

Required orientation and classroom set-up: Sunday, June 11th

There will be no camp Monday, June 19th, in observance of Juneteenth.

Session 2: July 10 - July 28, 2023

Required orientation and classroom set-up: Sunday, July 9th

Position Summary:

St. George's Episcopal School is searching for enthusiastic, creative teachers to work at Dragon Camp for the summer of 2023. Camp Teachers who are warm, energetic and reliable are likely to be successful team members at St. George's. **Dragon Camp is a summer day camp for children 12 months - entering 3rd grade.** Dragon Camp provides a safe, exciting and engaging program that focuses on the interests of the children in each classroom. Children will engage in a variety of small-group, whole-group and outside-play activities, including water play. In the classroom, teachers use the Project Approach to build on children's natural curiosity and engage them in learning about the world around them. In Grades 1-3, children engage with STEAM-focused activities to promote mathematical and investigative thinking.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Oversees planning and implementation of classroom curriculum, as well as daily implementation of program activities.
- Communicates verbally with the camp director on a daily basis.
- Ensures safety and well-being of all campers at all times.
- Ensures the classroom is kept clean and orderly.
- Attends orientation; organizes pre-session set-up and end of session clean-up.
- Maintains regular contact with parents.
- Attends any and all training, planning sessions and staff meetings at the discretion of the camp director.
- Adheres to all policies, procedures and guidelines as outlined at staff orientation and in the handbook.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree preferred but not required.
- Experience working with preschool/lower school-age children is strongly preferred.
- Experience with or interest in applying the Project Approach framework.
- Dependability and punctuality
- Able to sit on the floor for extended periods of time (Early Childhood positions only)
- Able to lift 30 lbs (Early Childhood positions only)

St. George's Episcopal School as an Equal Opportunity Employer

St. George's aims to employ a collaborative, creative, joyful and diverse faculty and staff. We hire without consideration to race, religion, creed, color, national origin, age, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, veteran status, disability or any other category protected by applicable law. We are committed to an inclusive school culture and to recruiting and hiring faculty of diverse backgrounds and experience.

Please send a PDF of your resume and cover letter to the Director of Human Resources, Jé Gales at je.gales@stgnola.org.