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DATE:
Posted: April 25th, 2025

Job Posting: Elementary School Specialist

Location: The Hawbridge School – Saxapahaw, NC

Reports to: Lower School Director

Position Type: Full-Time (10-month), Beginning August 2025 (25-26 School Calendar)

Why The Hawbridge School?

Located in the heart of Saxapahaw along the Haw River, our school community values creativity, environmental stewardship, and hands-on learning. As an educator here, you'll enjoy small class sizes, supportive colleagues, and the opportunity to truly innovate in your field.

Position Overview:

The Hawbridge School, a public charter school serving students in a creative, inclusive, and intellectually stimulating environment, is seeking a dynamic Elementary School Specialist to join our Lower School team. We invite educators with a passion for engaging young learners through the arts or other specialized disciplines to apply. This position offers a unique opportunity to shape a role around your expertise, whether it's a world language, visual arts, music, theater, movement, media, maker education, gardening/horticulture, environmental studies, or another specialty that will enrich our students' educational experience.

Key Responsibilities:

- Design and implement developmentally appropriate lessons that engage elementary students in your area of specialty.
- Collaborate with classroom teachers to integrate specialty content with core curriculum where appropriate.
- Foster creativity, curiosity, and critical thinking in a nurturing environment.
- Organize and lead school-wide events, showcases, or performances related to your field.
- Cultivate a classroom culture that reflects The Hawbridge School's commitment to diversity, equity, inclusion, and sustainability.
- Maintain ongoing communication with families and the school community about student learning and classroom activities.
- Participate in staff meetings, professional development, and school events.
- Support the school's mission by integrating environmental sustainability, outdoor education, and community involvement into lessons and activities.



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Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree required; teaching license or certification in your specialty area preferred
- Experience working with elementary-aged students in a school or enrichment setting
- Strong classroom management and student engagement skills
- A collaborative spirit and willingness to contribute to a close-knit school community
- Passion for progressive education and student-centered learning

Additional Requirements:

- Must pass a background check and other necessary employment screenings.
- Willingness to participate in school events and extracurricular activities.
- A strong commitment to inclusivity and student success.

Compensation and Benefits:

- Competitive salary based on experience and qualifications.
- Health insurance plan through the state health plan.
- Participation in the state retirement system.
- Professional development opportunities.
- Collaborative and supportive work environment.

To Apply:

Please send a resume, cover letter, and three professional references to Taneeka Hanna, thanna@hawbridgeschool.org. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

The Hawbridge School is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applicants from diverse backgrounds. We are committed to creating a supportive and inclusive environment for all students and staff.