

BOSQUE SCHOOL
Albuquerque, NM
TEACHING OPPORTUNITY
Full-Time History

Description

Bosque School is seeking a full-time History Teacher in the Upper School (Grades 9-12) for the 2010-2011 school year. The essential duties/responsibilities of the position include, but are not limited to:

- Teaching five 10th grade History sections (focusing on Medieval History).
- Advising 8 to 12 students.
- Leading a one-week Winterim program.
- Performing other non-teaching duties as assigned by the Head of the Upper School.

Requirements

Bosque School seeks a talented and dedicated professional who is committed to paying attention to aspects of classroom teaching and student learning that include content, pedagogy, assessment, and classroom environment. Candidates should be willing to accept responsibilities beyond the walls of the classroom and the hours of the school day. Candidates should also be committed to being part of a caring and vibrant educational community and supportive of the Bosque School Core Values.

An advanced degree is preferred but not required. Candidates should have an understanding of and capacity to address the developmental needs of academically motivated high school students. They should possess the energy, flexibility, creativity, high expectations, and sense of humor to contribute to an educational environment that encourages and supports a lifelong love of learning, self-esteem, and respect for the community and the world in which we live.

The ideal candidate for this position will have the knowledge and skills to facilitate the learning of 10th grade Medieval History classes.

School Information

Founded in 1994 and located on a 45-acre site in the bosque along the Rio Grande in Albuquerque, New Mexico, the Bosque School's mission is to prepare young men and women to become lifelong learners with the highest character values and academic goals in a natural New Mexico setting with strong family and community involvement. The school embodies the best of traditional independent education while embracing a progressive and inventive approach to learning.

Currently, there are 540 students in grades 6 - 12. There are over 70 faculty members with over half of them holding advanced degrees. The average class size is 16 and the average student faculty ratio is 9-1.

Application Materials

Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume (addressing interest in the position, professional goals, and relevant education and experiences) to Juan P. Flores, Assistant Head of School (jflor@bosqueschool.org), by March 26. Consideration of all candidates will take place until an offer is made and accepted.

NON-DISCRIMINATION And DISABILITY POLICY

Bosque School is an equal opportunity employer and makes all employment decisions, including those related to recruitment, hiring, training, promotion, and recognition of individuals on the basis of their ability and job related qualifications and without regard to race, gender, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, disability, or any other classification proscribed under applicable federal, state, or local law.

The school complies with the law regarding reasonable accommodations for employees with disabilities. Applicants requiring reasonable accommodation in order to participate in the application/interview process are requested to contact the School in order to arrange such accommodation.