ABOUT QUEST

Quest Preparatory Academy is a K-8 public charter school in Las Vegas, Nevada. Founded in 2008, Quest is one of the longest-standing and most racially and economically diverse charter schools in Nevada. We serve 500 students in grades K-8.

At Quest Preparatory Academy, we believe that every student and their success matters! We strive to cultivate a learning environment where students have optimal opportunities to grow and learn. Our vision is to provide a uniquely designed, academically rigorous, caring and nurturing learning experience in a tuition-free, public school setting. We are a close-knit community of teachers, leaders, and families, committed to providing our diverse student population with the high-quality educational experience that they deserve. Quest is operating the Blended Learning-Week in Person/Week Distance Learning with ability to Opt-In for Full Distance Learning.

In this blended model, Students exempted (I.E.P, 504, EL, and Kindergarten may attend daily. 50% of students in 1st - 2nd grade that is better suited to in-person instruction under Section 8 of Directive 028 may attend their hybrid model full time in person one week while the other 50% attend virtually for one week. If you are willing to go the extra mile to ensure that all students maximize their potential, we encourage you to apply to join our team! We are currently recruiting candidates for Elementary school teaching positions.

KEY DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

Teachers at Quest plan, organize, and implement an instructional program that guides and encourages students to develop and fulfill their academic potential. Teachers at Quest are responsible for the following:

- Utilizing strong content knowledge to effectively prepare standards-based lessons that are aligned with the Nevada Academic Content Standards
- Delivering enticing and rigorous instruction that challenge students' critical thinking and facilitates active learning
- Differentiating instruction to accommodate multiple learning styles and abilities
- Assessing students' academic and developmental growth through observation and a variety of assessment methods
- Tracking and monitoring assessment results in order to regularly refine teaching practices and design differentiated lesson plans
- Using relevant technology to support and differentiate instruction
- Applying the values of urgency, rigor, and consistency to create a positive learning environment that promotes high expectations and provides opportunities for all students to experience success
- Maintaining positive, professional relationships with students, families, and colleagues
- Communicating with students, parents, school staff to ensure that students are on-track in their learning and making progress towards goals
- Keeping comprehensive records on all students
- Participating in before and after school traffic duty, lunch and recess duty, and other duties as assigned

QUALIFICATIONS

A teaching position at Quest is a full-time, salaried, 10-month position. Ideal candidates will have the following education, experience, and qualities:

- B.A./B.S. or M.A. degree in teaching from an accredited institution. Be eligible for, or possess Nevada certification in teaching and meet any additional professional teacher education requirements of the school, district, and state
- Two or more years of teaching experience as an elementary or middle school teacher preferred
- Unwavering commitment to improving student outcomes
- Creative and dynamic teaching methods that reflect a passion for diverse students.
- A reflective practitioner who will do "whatever it takes" to move student achievement with a proven track record of student growth
- In-depth content knowledge demonstrated use of data-driven practices, and robust instructional strategies.