

Job Title: Interim 7th Grade English Teacher

**Department**: SAA-SDS Junior High

**Contract Period**: March 17 - May 23, 2025 **Reports to**: SAA Lower School and SDS Deans

**Job Summary:** In accordance with our school's mission, teachers at SAA-SDS must demonstrate a passion for cultivating a rich intellectual life in students while deepening their students' relationship with God. The teacher should have a passion for working with junior high students and an enthusiasm for teaching literature, grammar, and composition. He or she is expected to develop daily instructional plans that demonstrate knowledge of best practices.

## **Essential Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Recognize and support the unique Catholic, Dominican Mission of St. Agnes-St. Dominic by living out the Four Pillars of Study, Prayer, Community, and Service
- Model competence in teaching by demonstrating thorough knowledge of curriculum and subject matter and communicating effectively with students and families
- Plan and teach engaging, academically rigorous lessons that are real, relatable, and relevant
- Design and maintain a class environment favorable to academic and personal growth of both boys and girls, separately in single-gender classes
- Engage in professional learning, including co-planning, department meetings, grade level meetings and other learning work
- Build strong relationships with students, inspiring them to hold themselves to a high standard of academics and character
- Establish and uphold classroom expectations that support students to develop increased agency, responsible autonomy, and ownership of learning
- Teach students that the learning process includes taking academic risk, making mistakes, and applying feedback
- Monitor students in a variety of educational environments to provide a safe and positive learning environment
- Cooperate with school administration; effectively work with all staff members to promote positive relationships with students and parents/guardians
- Perform other related duties, as assigned, to ensure the efficient and effective operations of St. Agnes Academy-St. Dominic School

## An ideal candidate would possess the following qualifications:

- Minimum of Bachelor's degree, preferably in English or Language Arts Education
- Experience teaching English/Language Arts to students in grades 6-12, and a passion for working with Junior High students
- Proficiency at teaching literature, grammar, and composition
- Ability to create a class environment in which students feel safe, supported. and challenged to engage deeply in meaningful work
- Committed to collaboration with colleagues

Competitive compensation is available.

The ideal candidate will be excited about the opportunity to work collaboratively in an inclusive, values-based, Catholic, independent school community.

Click **HERE** to submit an application and upload a resume and cover letter.

St. Agnes Academy – St. Dominic School is a Catholic, independent PK2-12 school in Memphis inspired by the Dominican Pillars of Study, Prayer, Community, and Service. We prioritize relationships while preparing our students for their future. Our innovative and caring faculty is committed to growing well-balanced students - mind, body, and spirit – in a supportive faith filled environment.

St. Agnes Academy – St. Dominic School is an Equal Opportunity Employer dedicated to promoting diversity in the workplace and strongly urges all qualified individuals to apply.