

## **High School World Language (Spanish) Teacher**

Sacred Heart Schools, Atherton (SHS) is rooted in a strong and deep history. Founded in 1898 by the Society of the Sacred Heart, an international congregation of Catholic women religious, it is a Roman Catholic, independent, coeducational school dedicated to the educational philosophy expressed in the *Goals and Criteria* of Sacred Heart Schools. SHS is made up of three divisions: Preschool & Kindergarten, Lower & Middle Schools (grades first through eighth) and Preparatory (grades nine through 12).

Located on a beautiful 64-acre campus in the San Francisco Bay Area, SHS is one of 24 schools in the U.S. and Canada Network of Sacred Heart Schools and is affiliated with a network of over 200 Sacred Heart schools worldwide. The school's mission is to educate the whole child to be a leader who loves God and serves others.

The school community is seeking a qualified **High School World Language Teacher** for the 2019-2020 school year. The applicant will be required to teach Spanish to grades 9-12.

### **Qualifications and job description:**

Candidates must possess:

- Demonstrated commitment to equity and inclusion.
- Demonstrated ability to teach adolescents with joy and verve.
- A strong understanding of and commitment to pedagogy aligned with the American Council for Teaching Foreign Languages' (ACTFL) World Readiness Standards for Learning Languages.
- Native or near-native fluency in Spanish.
- Demonstrated ability to integrate innovative technology to support student learning.
- Demonstrated ability to support all learners, including those with an identified learning difference.
- Obvious passion for Spanish language and all aspects of culture in regions where Spanish is spoken and for fostering that passion in adolescents.
- BA degree in a relevant field and three years of relevant teaching experience.

**A detailed job description and information about the school can be viewed at the school website:**

<http://www.shschools.org/Page/About/Careers--SHS>

**Salary:** This position offers competitive compensation based on years of experience and education level, and health and welfare benefits subject to plan parameters, including medical, dental, vision, Life & LTD, 403(b) retirement plan and more.

**Please email resume and cover letter to [HR@shschools.org](mailto:HR@shschools.org) attn.: Kathy Tuccio, Director of HR**

#### **STATEMENT OF NON-DISCRIMINATION**

*Sacred Heart Schools, Atherton believes that each individual is entitled to equal employment opportunity without regard to race, color, age, disability, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, marital status, ancestry, genetic information, citizenship, veteran status, or any other class protected under federal, state or local laws.*

*As a faith-based institution, we reserve the right to use religion as a criterion in hiring decisions, as permitted by law, as it relates to performing essential job duties.*