



# *Nativity School PreSchool-Grade 8*

## **MIDDLE SCHOOL MATH TEACHER**

Nativity Catholic School is a PS-8 school in the San Francisco Archdiocese. Located in Menlo Park, Nativity School exists for the education of the whole child, so each child thrives and flourishes spiritually, intellectually, socially, and physically, as a unique person in an inclusive Catholic atmosphere. Our rigorous curriculum fosters innovative thinking and develops academic perseverance, while also celebrating the value of creative expression and each individual's unique contribution to our world.

### **JOB DESCRIPTION:**

Nativity Catholic School is seeking a dynamic and innovative Middle School Mathematics teacher to set high expectations for academic excellence, to lay a solid foundation in conceptual mathematical thinking and operational skill, and to help students make the transition into more abstract algebraic thinking. The candidate will be skilled in developing students' critical thinking and problem-solving skills and will employ a variety of instructional strategies to ensure that all students are challenged to attain mastery of complex concepts. The candidate must be able to integrate technology in a one-to-one classroom environment. Experience teaching honors-level Algebra I and STEM curriculum is preferred. In addition, this person will serve as an advisor to 10-12 students, sponsor a STEM club, and serve on the Academic Decathlon Preparation team.

### **STRONG CANDIDATES POSSESS:**

- Commitment to Nativity Catholic School's Mission and Philosophy.
- Bachelor's Degree in Math, Education or a related field required; Master's preferred.
- Valid California teaching credential or acquire within five years of hire date of hire.
- Experience as a math, science or technology teacher in Grades 5-8.
- Obvious passion for teaching; strong teaching ability; enjoy working with children.
- Design academically challenging, appropriately differentiated math experiences and curricula and use a wide-range of authentic assessment strategies.
- Use thoughtful technology integration to expand learning opportunities and create a collaborative learning environment.
- Cultivate a growth mindset in self and students.
- Contribute to a culture of innovation with high standards for excellence and ethics.
- Commitment to excellence and rigor.
- Enthusiasm to work well with students and colleagues; willingness to be an active, enthusiastic member of our Nativity community with a flexible "can-do" spirit.
- Build cultural competence and global awareness.

### **EMPLOYMENT SPECIFICS:**

Salary is determined per the San Francisco Archdiocesan Salary Scale. This is a Full-time, exempt, with benefits position that reports to the Principal from August 2019 to June 2020.

**To apply send a resume and cover letter to Jessica Patti, Ed.M, Principal at [jpatti@nativityschool.com](mailto:jpatti@nativityschool.com) and indicate Middle School Math Teacher 2019-20 in the subject line of the email.**

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

All school staff of Catholic schools of the Archdiocese of San Francisco shall be employed without regard to race, color, sex, ethnic or national origin and will consider for employment, qualified applicants with criminal histories. (Administrative Handbook #4111.4)