



## **Part-Time Middle/Upper School Orchestra & IB Music Teacher (Grades 5-12)**

Brooklyn Friends School seeks to hire a part-time (2 hours a day) Orchestra/IB Music Teacher to teach 5th-12th Grade Orchestra and IB Music. An MA or MFA degree is preferable. Candidates should have a strong background in teaching string instruments and conducting school orchestras, as well as experience teaching middle and upper school students. Training and experience teaching IB Music (International Baccalaureate) is a plus. Comfort with and desire to utilize interactive, creative and inspirational teaching techniques, assessments, and technology in the classroom is desired.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Teach up to six sections of orchestra across middle and upper divisions
- Teach IB Music to 11th or 12th grade
- Collaborate and plan with colleagues and the chair of the Performing Arts department to develop curriculum
- Other duties specified by division

### **Skills and Experience:**

- Background in teaching string orchestra to preadolescent and adolescent students
- Experience with student-centered and progressive teaching methods preferred
- Experience in developing curriculum
- Experience with anti-bias and culturally responsive pedagogy
- Strong organizational skills
- Proficiency with incorporating technology into the classroom
- High energy and a strong ability to connect with adolescents
- Strong communication skills, both written and verbal
- Ability to meet and adhere to multiple deadlines
- Demonstrated commitment to professional development and lifelong learning

### **Desired Qualifications:**

- Bachelor's degree with a master's degree preferred
- Three or more years of teaching experience preferred
- Experience working as part of a collaborative team of teachers

**Interested applicants should submit resume and cover letter to**  
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