



ST. THOMAS MORE COLLEGIATE

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FTE Drama – English Language Arts Teacher

Start Date: August 29, 2018

St. Thomas More Collegiate, a progressive co-ed Blessed Edmund Rice Christian Brother Catholic Independent high school in Burnaby, B.C., is seeking a full-time Drama-English Language Arts teacher to help provide the vision and expertise that will allow us to continue our long-standing tradition of excellence in the Performing Arts and English at STMC.

STMC is seeking an experienced, skilled, and innovative teacher of Drama & English Language Arts to inspire our students. Ideally, the successful candidate will be an experienced, flexible, technologically proficient, dynamic, collaborative, and inspirational educator who is looking to become a part of a vibrant teaching and learning community. This highly motivated individual will be responsible for growing and leading our Drama programme, as well as being a valued member of our English Language Arts department.

The successful candidate will actively engage in planning, implementing and assessing student learning. Applicants must be confident in curriculum development and demonstrate an approach to teaching that is reflective of the way in which 21st Century students learn.

Potential candidates must be a member, or be in the process of becoming a member, of the British Columbia College of Teachers. The school also looks favourably upon those candidates that are willing to contribute to the co-curricular life of the school.

All applicants must have an academic background that ideally includes an undergraduate degree with a major in English, combined with teaching certification that includes experience-teaching grades 8 to 12

Letters of application, accompanied by a resume, and the names of two referees, should be received by **June 8, 2018**. Interviews to commence immediately following the closing date.

Questions relating to the specific position can be sent directly to STMC's Principal, Mr. Stephen Garland via careers@stmc.bc.ca



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The successful applicant will have the following qualifications and experience:

- Must either hold a valid BC Teaching Certificate, or be eligible for an Independent School Teaching Certificate.
- Undergraduate degree in Fine Arts and/or English
- A comprehensive understanding of current educational practices outlined in the BC Ministry of Education documents
- Knowledge of differing learning needs and a toolbox of strategies for facilitating student success in the study of design skills
- Excellent management, organizational, interpersonal and relationship skills
- Excellent oral, written, communication and presentation skills
- Ability to build collaborative and effective relationships with students, staff, parents and the community
- Be an active and positive participant in the co-curricular Drama/Musical Theatre by providing expertise and support for the annual production.

*****Only those selected for interviews will be contacted*****

Contact Information:

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Notes:

The position of St. Thomas More Collegiate is to hire, when available, qualified Catholic applicants who in addition to carrying out their professional responsibilities will exhibit conduct consistent with Catholic denominational standards and model espoused by Blessed Edmund Rice in their professional and personal life.