2017-2018 Instructional Math Fellow

Application Process

We are looking for highly motivated individuals to serve as Instructional Math Fellows for the 2017-2018 school year. The purpose of the Instructional Math Fellow is to deliver high-quality professional learning to teachers across the District that results in improved teacher practice and increased levels of student performance. The Instructional Math Fellow is a key provider of District-wide professional learning for teachers as it relates to District instructional priorities in math and advancing the Eureka curriculum. Instructional Math Fellows carry the vision, message, and knowledge delivery of the District instructional practices to teachers.

This is an exciting opportunity for candidates to broaden their impact on students across SCS, while supporting other teachers in effectively implementing the TN State Standards and new curriculum. We are looking for candidates who exhibit a deep knowledge of the math standards, as well as the College and Career Ready instructional shifts in education. Candidates should have experience leading and/or facilitating professional development and a desire to learn and grow. You can view the job description here: http://vlp.scsk12.org/docs/InstMLFellowJD.docx and apply here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FellowApplication2017. For questions about the role or the process, please reach out to Thomasena Stuckett tstucketttd@scsk12.org .

Application Process Overview

Instructional Math Fellows are selected through a rigorous multi-step selection process designed to give applicants multiple ways to demonstrate knowledge, experience, and skill set as a teacher leader.

Step 1: Online Application: Please complete the application online using this link. https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FellowApplication2017

Step 2: Lesson Video: Submit a 4-5 minute clip of instruction in your classroom from the Eureka curriculum.

Step 3: Panel review: you will be asked to prepare a 10-minute presentation that includes an overview of your preparation of your video-taped lesson.

Step 1 Details: Online Application (March 6-31, 2016)

The first step in the application process is an online application that includes basic information, short answer responses, a 4-5 minute video upload, and a resume upload. Applicants will respond to the following three questions.

Part 1: Online Application questions

1. How do you plan for instruction using the Eureka curriculum? What are the actions you take when preparing to deliver a lesson?
2. When you consider the use of the Eureka curriculum in your classroom, where have your students excelled? Where have they struggled? How do you know?
3. Where do you feel you have been most successful in utilizing the Eureka curriculum in your classroom? What's been most difficult.
4. Given your response to question #3, how would you approach supporting other teachers in implementing this curriculum?

By 5:00 p.m. on March 31, the Online Application will close. Selection of the applicants moving to Step 2 will be notified if they will be moving to Step 2 in the process.

Step 2 Details: Video Clip of Instruction (March 6-31, 2016)

Please record a 4-5 minute video clip teaching your students a lesson from the Eureka curriculum.

For Eureka K-5, please focus on concept development. For secondary Eureka instruction, you may record any portion of a lesson.

To upload: Visit http://vlp.scsk12.org/application/portal Click on the "Create an account" link at the bottom of the login box. Once an account is created, log in and add content. Please save your clip as **ModuleX.Lesson.X.LastName**. Email baxterj@scsk12.org with an questions.

Step 3 Details: Panel review

Following step 2, a selection committee will contact selected applicants to participate in a panel review. You will be asked to prepare a 10-minute presentation that includes an overview of your preparation of your video-taped lesson. Detailed directions and a template will be provided should you advance to the step 3 of the process.

Proposed Timeline & Dates

Monday, March 6-31 - Teachers submit applications (Step 1 & Step 2)

Monday, March 13th – Friday, April 7th – Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

Friday, March 17th - Friday, April 7th – Applicants are notified that they are eligible for Panel review and will be assigned panel review appointments. Notification timeline depends on submission timeline.

Friday, April 14th -All applicants will be notified of their status.