



## Middle School Art Teacher

### About TFS

Tallulah Falls School is an independent, coeducational college-preparatory boarding and day school nestled in the northeast Georgia mountains serving more than 500 students in grades four-12. Our students, faculty, staff, parents, and supporters form a close-knit school family where everyone feels a sense of belonging and purpose. We all work together as a team to accomplish a common mission.

### Job Summary

Tallulah Falls School seeks a student-centered, energetic, and inventive Middle School Art Teacher with the ability to instruct highly motivated students. The candidate must possess a desire to be a part of a special team to capture hearts, elevate character and intellect, and prepare our students to thrive in life. **The candidate will contribute to the academic and extracurricular life of the school through a willingness to coach and/or sponsor a club.** Salary is commensurate with education and experience. Those fortunate enough to influence young lives at TFS receive a competitive benefits package.

### Responsibilities

- Provide an engaging environment conducive to facilitating a positive learning experience for all students.
- Provide a superior level of instruction for students daily.
- Design and implement an engaging curriculum that nurtures creativity, critical thinking, and artistic skill development.
- Foster a positive classroom environment where all students feel valued and empowered to express themselves.
- Incorporate a variety of art forms, techniques, and mediums to inspire students' exploration and creativity.
- Collaborate with teachers to integrate art into interdisciplinary projects and school-wide initiatives.
- Organize student exhibitions, art shows, or community projects to showcase student work.
- Support students in developing their artistic voice while emphasizing growth, effort, and self-expression.

- Maintain an organized and welcoming art studio environment that encourages experimentation and collaboration.
- Artistic support and participation in the school's annual Madrigal.
- Communicate effectively and in a timely manner with parents and school administration.
- Seek improvement through professional development.
- Building relationships and mentoring young people
- Other duties as assigned.

### **Requirements & Qualifications**

- Required Bachelor's degree in Art of Art Education.
- Georgia teaching certificate or state equivalent in the field of Art.
- Significant teaching experience.
- Demonstrate knowledge of art curriculum and ability to implement it.
- Maintain a high degree of ethical professionalism.
- Exhibit superior classroom management skills.
- Maintain thorough records and plans.
- Incorporate the use of technology into the classroom.
- Adhere to and enforce all school policies.

### **Standard Physical Requirements:**

- Must be able to sit and/or stand for an extended period of time.
- Must be able to bend, reach, lift and climb.
- Must be able to understand written and verbal instructions.
- Must be able to lift, carry, move and handle equipment, boxes weighing up to 20 pounds.
- Must be able to communicate and respond to questions from various levels both within and outside the organization.
- Must have manual dexterity sufficient to perform specified duties.

In addition to completing the employment application, interested candidates should email a cover letter, resume, and a list of three professional references to the attention of Carol Madden at [carol.madden@tallulahfalls.org](mailto:carol.madden@tallulahfalls.org). No phone calls, please. The employment application can be found here- <https://www.tallulahfalls.org/about/employment-opportunities.cms>

*Tallulah Falls School is an equal opportunity employer.*

*All job applicants at TFS will undergo testing for the presence of illegal drugs as a condition of employment. Any applicant with a confirmed positive test result will be denied employment. Applicants will be required to submit to a specimen test at a laboratory selected by Tallulah Falls School and sign a consent agreement to release TFS from liability.*