

EVANSTON TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL
DISTRICT #202
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JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION: **Physical Education Teacher**

REPORTS TO: **Physical Education Department Chairperson**

The mission of the Physical and Wellness Education Department is to educate, encourage, inspire, and motivate students to gain a deeper knowledge of, and appreciation for, physical activity and wellness as life-long endeavors.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Professional Educator Licence (PEL)
- Health Education endorsement (preferred but not required)
- CPR and AED certified (or currently working towards this certification)

Essential Functions, Skills, and Expectations:

- Establish and manage student learning in a safe, positive, and respectful learning community.
- Engage students in using the skills, habits, and equipment essential to PE/Health/Driver's Education.
- Competent in teaching various sport, fitness, and social emotional learning topics while building direct connections to lifelong wellness.
- Competent in teaching the most current health and wellness topics and apply/connect to lifelong wellbeing
- Competent in utilizing the most current technology. (Google Classroom, Google Applications, Polar Heart Rate Monitors, etc.)
- Know, understand, and utilize the current content, thinking, and research specific to PE/Health/Driver's Education
- Understands and demonstrates differentiated instruction within daily lessons.
- Strong use of disciplinary literacy within the content area.
- Demonstrate a commitment to social justice, equity, excellence, and high expectations for all students and a commitment to each student's physical and academic well-being.
- Assess student progress, analyze results, and adapt instruction to improve students' physical fitness levels and academic achievement, utilizing formative and summative assessments.
- Demonstrate a commitment to professional growth by monitoring own learning and collaborating with colleagues.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: 10 months (185 days)

WORK ENVIRONMENT: The usual and customary methods of performing the job's functions require the following physical demands: occasional lifting, carrying, pushing, and/or pulling; some climbing and balancing; some stooping, kneeling, crouching and/or crawling and significant finger dexterity. Generally the job requires 25% sitting, 50% walking and 25% standing. The job is performed under minimal temperature variations and in a generally hazard free environment.

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