

CMS, EMS, CHS

Responsibilities:

- Plan, prepare, and deliver engaging dance lessons for middle school and high school students that include various dance styles (e.g., ballet, jazz, modern, hip-hop).
 - Organize and direct quarterly school dance performances, recitals, and other related events.
 - Assess and evaluate students' progress and provide constructive feedback.
 - Maintain a safe and supportive classroom environment.
 - Attend staff meetings, professional development sessions, and school events as required.
 - Promote a positive and inclusive atmosphere for all students.
 - Ensure high-quality performances.
 - Follow the district-wide pacing guide and use the district-provided resources for lesson planning and instruction.
 - Effectively collaborate with other building and District staff members to create a cohesive and supportive learning environment.
 - Share classroom and community events on the YCSD social media platforms.
 - Take students on Dance field trips to performances and cultural institutions.
 - Arrange quarterly performances.
 - Participate in district-wide Fine Arts events and initiatives.
- Demonstrate knowledge of subject matter and present clear, complete, and accurate explanations utilizing a variety of engaging instructional techniques and media suitable to the level of learners
- Schedule guest speakers who reflect the diverse demographics of the YCSD student body to share their experiences and insights in the Dance world.
- Nurture a classroom environment that encourages students to pursue careers as dancers, Dance educators, and other creative professions.
- Maintain an organized and well-managed classroom environment that is conducive for learning.
- Communicate and collaborate effectively with students, parents, and colleagues.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Dance Education or a related field.
- Valid Dance teaching certification.
- Experience teaching Dance at the middle or high school level is preferred.
- Proficiency in teaching cultural dances.
- Strong organizational and communication skills.
- Ability to inspire and motivate students.
- Passionate about Dance education and dedicated to student success.
- Track record of adhering to District policies, procedures, and goals.