



## K-12 Music Teacher

### Overview:

Our goal is that all of our students will have fun while being introduced to the world of music, creating in them an appreciation for vocal and instrumental music and encouraging them to develop their God-given musical abilities. Our traditional music program includes weekly music classes for all of our elementary classes, from the first level of preschool through sixth grade, and several middle school and high school elective classes that meet daily for one semester at a time. The elementary classes have a strong focus on vocal music, with the addition of rhythm instruments at lower levels and recorders from third through sixth grade. The secondary elective classes include middle school choir, concert choir and music ensemble, which is designed to bring together musicians to play music and perform together.

Our desire is that the program will continue to grow stronger in the area of instrumental music, with the possibility of orchestra and band classes in secondary as an initial starting point. We are also in the process of building a new Fine Arts Center, which will provide larger facilities for concerts and musical performances.

There are also two annual concerts that are organized by our music teacher, which provide an opportunity for the students to perform. The Christmas concert is in December and the Spring Concert is in May.

### Schedule:

A sample schedule is as follows:

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:45-8:30					6 <sup>th</sup> grade
8:35-9:20				Kindergarten	
9:45-10:30		Pre-K 1	Pre-K 2		3 <sup>rd</sup> grade
10:34-11:24	MS Choir	MS Choir	MS Choir	MS Choir	MS Choir
11:54-12:44	Concert Choir	Concert Choir	Concert Choir	Concert Choir	Concert Choir
1:00-1:35	5 <sup>th</sup> grade		4 <sup>th</sup> grade	1 <sup>st</sup> grade	
1:45-2:30		2 <sup>nd</sup> grade			

### Curriculum:

Although we have a lot of resources that are available for both elementary and secondary music classes, including a complete set of McGraw-Hill and World of Music teacher editions for first through sixth grade, we do not currently have an established curriculum. We hope that the teacher who is hired for this position will be able to help us organize the program better in a way that ensures that musical goals and methods are being taught consistently from year to year.

### Resources:

File cabinet of sheet music; CD player; music videos and CDs; piano, two guitars, recorders, boomwhackers, small rhythm instruments, two xylophones; World of Music teacher editions, McGraw-Hill curriculum teacher editions; various costumes.

**Qualifications:**

- 4-year degree in Music, Music Education, Elementary Education or related field
- Teaching certification and 2 years experience preferred
- Evangelical Christian testimony with active local church experience
- Sense of calling to teach in a third-world setting
- Willingness to make a three (or more) year commitment
- English is first language