



## SANTA CRUZ COOPERATIVE SCHOOL

With 67 years of educational excellence, our institution is recognized as an established international school committed to fostering student learning, growth, and character. We seek educators who model our core values and contribute to a collaborative, student-centered learning environment.

### JOB OPENING:

## Secondary Humanities Teacher (Social Studies & English)

#### **Position Summary:**

The Secondary Humanities Teacher provides high-quality instruction in Social Studies and English Language Arts, ensuring students engage in rigorous, inquiry-based, and standards-aligned learning experiences. The teacher promotes critical thinking, communication, and global awareness while cultivating a positive, inclusive classroom environment. The role includes implementing effective assessment practices, supporting diverse learners—including second-language learners—and working collaboratively with colleagues to advance schoolwide curriculum and instructional goals.

#### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Bachelor's degree in Education, Humanities, English, Social Studies, or a related field (Master's degree preferred)
- Minimum 2 years of successful teaching experience at the secondary level
- Knowledgeable in standards-based grading and assessment practices
- Teaching certification (preferred but not required)
- Proficient in Google Suite and educational technology tools
- Fluent in English (spoken and written)

#### **Key Responsibilities:**

##### Instruction & Assessment:

- Deliver engaging, standards-aligned instruction in Social Studies and English
- Develop assessments aligned with standards-based grading practices
- Implement effective classroom management strategies to support student learning
- Differentiate instruction to meet the needs of diverse learners, including English-language learners

#### **Professional Responsibilities:**

- Collaborate with colleagues on curriculum, instruction, and interdisciplinary initiatives
- Communicate clearly and professionally with students, families, and staff
- Participate in professional learning, school initiatives, and community events
- Maintain accurate records, grades, and required documentation
- Contribute positively to school culture and uphold institutional values

#### **Preferred Attributes:**

We value educators who demonstrate:

- Strong oral and written communication skills
- Ability to support and guide second-language learners with empathy and skill
- Excellent organizational and time-management abilities
- Strong classroom management and student engagement strategies
- A collaborative, team-oriented mindset
- Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to build positive relationships with students and families

#### **What We Offer:**

- A supportive and collegial working environment
- Competitive salary and benefits package
- Ongoing professional development and opportunities for continuous learning
- A vibrant, diverse, and welcoming school community

#### **Application Process:**

Qualified candidates are invited to submit the following:

- Resume
- Letter of Introduction
- Letters of Recommendation