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SMIC-I MHS Technology Teacher (Design/Yearbook/Broadcast Journalism Focus)

REPORTING STRUCTURE						
Job Family	Teacher	Center	School			
Report To	 SMIC-I K-12 Academic Technology Department Head SMIC-I Senior Director for Secondary SMIC-I Director for Middle School SMIC-I K-12 Vice Principal 	Division	SMIC-International Division			
Job Title	SMIC-I MHS Technology Teacher (Design/Yearbook/Broadcast Journalism Focus)	Department	High School			
Approved By	International Superintendent	Section	K-12 Academic Technology			
Revision No/Date	Created May 25, 2018; Updated February 16, 2023; Effective August 2022					
POSITION DESCRIPTION						
Job Purpose	Contributes toward building a world-class SMIC-I MHS through providing instructional guidance in multimedia technology, while actively contributing to our students and school through associated roles expected of a holistic professional educator in a dynamic system dedicated to honor, excellence, community, and joy.					
Successful SMIC Private School educators have	Passion about bringing quality education to students that includes love for education consistently operating with a commitment to positivity, excitement, and creative problem-solving respect for working in a multicultural environment where multiple work styles are valued and celebrated being a caring contributor who brings enjoyment to the workplace Team spirit commitment that includes a can-do attitude respect for genuine joyful collaboration dedication to positive and supportive interpersonal relationship skills willingness to take initiative desire for transparency ability to take direction easily when needed willingness to make personal sacrifices for the greater school-wide good committed to working in a team-based teaching environment where flexibility and collaboration are key Strong work ethic values that include high standards of quality effective organizational skills being self-directed ability to multitask comfort with big picture concepts while being detail-oriented when implementing school plans serving as a strong positive role model for students at all times Responsible outlook includes a sense of ownership and reliability in getting the job done correctly to the end ability to work under pressure with deadlines yet also demonstrate flexibility with ease when needed					

Work Assignment	Grade Level	Number of Classes per Week	Total
MHS Technology Classes	Grades 6 to 12 as assigned	5 classes/week	20 teaching periods
TOTAL NUMBER OF TEACHING PERIODS / WEEK			20 periods

Technology Teacher Duties

- Work with students in grades 6-12, as assigned for the school year; teaching assignments take into consideration a teacher's area of interest
- Could include teaching HS/MS Yearbook Design/HS Technology, Broadcast Journalism, Exploration, or other academic technology courses, as assigned according to student enrollment and teacher interest.
- Carry out the ongoing development of the school's HS technology curriculum following the *Understanding by Design* (UbD) concepts
- Prepare effective and diverse classroom lessons to implement the school's technology curriculum following the school's accepted methods
- Design authentic subject assessments and measure their effectiveness in meeting curricular goals
- Differentiate lesson plans to meet the needs of both struggling and advanced students.
- Collaborate with grade-level team to plan, teach, and assess interdisciplinary units
- Help direct and coordinate student participation projects for special events during the school year, including (but not limited to) technology competitions and other school events
- Helping maintain and care for the HS technology supplies, assigned computer labs, and material including inventorying those items
- Comfortable working with advanced motivated students who have strong academic backgrounds
- Support the work of Academic Technology Departmental initiatives, which includes supporting technology-related student clubs, etc.

Job Duties

General Teacher Duties

- Positively and productively collaborate with grade level or department teachers
- Actively and positively promote the school's "Expected School-wide Learning Results" (ESLRs): global citizenship, motivated learners, healthy individuals, and persons of character
- Follow the SMIC Code of Ethics and school policies as outlined in the most current version of the *SMIC Staff Handbook*
- Closely follow the SMIC-I "Curriculum, Instruction, and Textbook Policy" as is appropriate for the Chinese context
- Maintain and update timely student records including (class webpages, grading homework, grade books, progress reports, report cards, student attendance, and other required documents)
- Be actively involved in at least 40 hours of administrator approved extra-curricular activities a year as a faculty sponsor/advisor/coach/helper/school committee member
- Create an engaging and organized learning space (classroom) for students
- Actively fulfill assigned supervision duties, which could include passing period duty, lunch duty, study hall assignments, etc.
- Work closely with parents/guardians through providing feedback on progress, answering questions, and being an educational partner regarding their child's learning
- Proactively meet and communicate with parents/guardians, students, and other teachers when necessary to develop interventions for students with academic, emotional/behavioral, or other needs
- Take an active role in required meetings (grade level; departmental; grade level; committees, faculty; etc.)
- Serve as a departmental substitute teacher when needed
- Assist with additional duties as assigned

Organization and Communication skills

- Demonstrates a strong positive commitment toward school improvement
- Demonstrates commitment to education at the secondary grades' level including innovations and best practices
- Knowledgeable about the American-style education system and how secondary school level instruction integrates into it
- Comfortable working in a school that integrates Chinese- and American-style educational philosophies
- Comfortable with computers for school-related purposes including PowerSchool, Rubicon Atlas, Canvas, email, and Microsoft Office programs
- Desires to actively engage in professional development opportunities as provided by the school or through individual initiative
- Flexible and culturally sensitive in adapting to a multi-cultural environment with school community members (students, staff, and families) of many nationalities
- Strong understanding of working with students, parents/guardians, and staff from diverse cultural backgrounds
- Positively and proactively communicate with parents/families and students
- Works effectively with students who exhibit near English proficiency
- Patient in working with members of the school community calmly and positively in tense, high-pressure situations including the following chain of communications command
- Fluent in both oral and written English at a professional standard

Research-based Best Practices Guiding SMIC-I Instructional Frameworks

• *Understanding by Design*, Grant Wiggins & Jay McTighe. ASCD. 2005 *Mindset: The New Psychology of Success*. Carol S. Dweck. Random House. 2006

Education and Work Experience Requirements	 Bachelor's degree in education is <u>required</u> in multimedia or instructional technology but a bachelors' degree in a related field (such as computer science, graphic arts, instructional technology) along with a teaching license is considered with at least 2 years prior full-time teaching experience in a regular secondary school Possess a current teaching license/certificate At least 2 years related full-time academic technology teaching experience in a regular secondary school setting Evidence of current relevant professional development especially in secondary education or technology education 		
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