

**Peninsula School**  
**Lower School Spanish Activity Teacher**

We have an open position for a part time Spanish Activity teacher. This position is a 10% Head Teacher position. The teacher filling this position will consistently teach during Lower School Activity time on Friday (12:30-1:30). He or she will also teach in each of the five to six Lower School classrooms with students aged 6-10, two or three times a week, for four to five weeks in each semester of the school year. It is possible to schedule classes so that some weeks have multiple lessons and other weeks the only commitment is during Friday Activities. We hope to find someone with a flexible schedule.

The actual teaching schedule in the individual classrooms will be determined after the teacher is hired.

Want to learn more? See below, our standard Activity Teacher job description for all Activity positions.

**ACTIVITY TEACHER JOB DESCRIPTION**

The Activity teacher is responsible for developing, planning, and implementing their program. They are responsible for making sure their studio/classroom is ready for use. They attend staff meetings and in-service days. They plan field trips and attend performances. They attend parent/teacher conferences (upon request), and otherwise perform the duties of an Activity teacher consistent with the values, goals, and standards of Peninsula School.

**Specifics**

**Classroom**

Classroom teaching is an integral part of many of the Activities, although not all. Science, Art, PE, Clay, Math, Lower school Music, Library, and Lower School Spanish, all incorporate classroom teaching.

There are eleven groups K-8<sup>th</sup>, and two Nurseries. The Activity teacher is responsible for scheduling classes for their particular program.

The program should support relevance and cohesiveness of lessons, as children age through the school.

**Activites/Studio time** Spanish Fridays 12:30-1:30

Activities/Studio time is open Monday-Friday 12-3. Not all Activities are open on the same days, although many overlap. Most are open 12:30-2:30 for contact with children, and a half hour prep/clean up time on either end.

Teacher should be:

Adept in facilitating group dynamics among mixed ages.

Available to answer questions, assist with skills, and encourage students developing ideas.

**Choice Program**

Activity teachers who are employed 50% or greater participate in a minimum of one 2-3 week mini course program. Full time Activity teachers (80% or more) participate in two or more “choices” per year.

**Abilities**

Work with multiple ages and mixed age groups

Collaborate with classroom head teachers

Teach children in a way that fosters creativity, self-esteem, and self-expression

Embrace play as an essential part of learning

**Qualifications**

A minimum of three years teaching experience

In-depth knowledge of child development and childhood education

Mastery of field

Experience in collaborative teaching

Bachelor’s degree or higher required

International degrees must be evaluated by an approved agency.

This position is open and a qualified candidate can start immediately. It is a non-exempt, hourly position, with an hourly wage of \$25.

Peninsula School offers competitive compensation and a progressive, diverse community dedicated to learning and engaged citizenship. Interested candidates should email a resume and a letter of interest to [lucille@peninsulaschool.org](mailto:lucille@peninsulaschool.org). All viable candidates will be sent an application to complete and return.