VACANCY FOR AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER FOR AN ENGLISH IMMERSION SCHOOL IN GUNMA, OTA CITY, JAPAN

Position: Certified / Experienced Teacher

REQUIREMENTS

• English: Fluent

Valid Teaching License for Elementary School

• At least two (2) years of teaching experience in the elementary school

DESCRIPTION

This is a full-time elementary school teaching position from April 1, 2026 at an innovative English Immersion School with a full program from Grade 1 to Grade 6. The school is a dual language in English and Japanese. The elementary school classes all have two teachers, one who delivers the curriculum in English and one who delivers it in Japanese using a developmental, integrated approach and a multiple resource that an ability to collaborate well with others is imperative

Hours 8:15-5:00, Monday to Friday every day the school is in session. It is an renew annual contract. All of the teachers and staff are on the Japanese private school health and insurance system. Prior or current in Japan would be an asset.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Provides instructional leadership that promotes positive student achievement as well as a focus on the importance of social and emotional learning.
- Challenges all students in a positive manner to achieve their highest potential.
- Uses responsive Classroom Approach, collaborates with students, staff, and parents in the process of discipline, decision-making, and addressing school issues.
- Helps facilitate communication among staff, students, parents, the school system and the greater community.
- Interacts in a positive manner with students, staff and parents on a daily basis, and sets a positive tone for the school.
- Coordinates with a teacher-partner, Head and Lead teachers to ensure implementation of the curriculum and extra-curricular activities
- Co-plan parent meetings with teacher-partner and administrators, when necessary.
- Performs related work as required
- Values diversity in students, families and staff.
- Keeps informed on current educational teaching methods and techniques and shows willingness to grow professionally and personally.

Send copies of your resume, university diplomas and transcripts, teaching certificate and contact information for a minimum of 2 referees (those in a supervising/ administrative position) to:

tsuda@gka.ed.jp or Naomi TSUDA, Gunma Kokusai Academy 69-1 Nishhoncho, Ota, Gunma, 373-0033 Inquiries: call 0276-33-7711 for Naomi Tsuda,

All candidates will be required to conduct a demo lesson on campus or send a teaching video either before or after the interview. A pre-employment test is also conducted as part of the interview process.

Please apply on or before July 31.