

LOWER SCHOOL SPANISH TEACHER (Part-time (.8) beginning August, 2019)

Responsibilities

Head-Royce School is seeking a dedicated Lower School Spanish educator to teach introductory Spanish in grades K-5. The Spanish teacher will introduce K-5 students to the Spanish Language and cultures of the Spanish speaking world, by establishing an appropriate and engaging learning environment and offering varied learning activities. Our educational philosophy focuses on preparing students with the skills necessary to succeed as global citizens in the 21st century. Our faculty create classrooms that encourage students to participate in experiential learning, take risks, view the world through multiple lenses, utilize innovative tools, and demonstrate proficiencies through a range of assessments that include real world problems and performances. Beyond the classroom, teachers are expected to take on Lower-School-wide duties and participate in the life of the community.

Skills

- Collaborative, collegial, flexible teacher; able to work both with core classroom teachers and the World Language department to adhere to similar curricular scope and sequence through the grades
- Clear communicator with students, colleagues and parents/guardians
- Demonstrates expertise in teaching Spanish to children in grades K-5
- Demonstrates success partnering with parents to support the educational needs of their students
- Strong writing, organizational, planning, and leadership skills
- Possesses a growth mindset, a love of learning, and patience

Qualifications

- Bachelor's Degree in Spanish
- Familiarity with best practices for pedagogical approaches for teaching another language
- 3-5 years experience teaching primary and elementary level students

Additional Qualifications we hope to find, but not required:

- Advanced degrees (Master's or Credential) in Education

Head-Royce School Overview

Located on a 12-acre campus in Oakland, California, Head-Royce is a pre-eminent, co-educational, independent, K-12 day school with a 131-year history. Our mission is to inspire in our students a lifelong love of learning and pursuit of academic excellence, to promote understanding of and respect for diversity that makes our society strong and to encourage active and responsible global citizenship.

Head-Royce enrolls 890 students in the three separate divisions — Lower, Middle and Upper Schools — and provides a dynamic, whole-child education to every student. With our Strategic Plan, Bridge to 2022, the school's current initiatives include advancing an innovative, student-centered program, promoting an inclusive community, driving deeper civic engagement, sustaining a culture of balance and well-being and carefully stewarding our resources.

Other Considerations

Compensation:	Competitive among comparable schools
Location:	Oakland, California
Travel:	(minimal)
Education:	Bachelor's degree required, advanced degree(s) a plus
Start Date:	August, 2019
Website:	headroyce.org

To Apply

Interested candidates are asked to submit a letter of interest and a current resume. Files should be sent via email to LSJobs@headroyce.org with the subject line "LS Spanish Position."

Head-Royce School is an equal opportunity employer and makes employment decisions on the basis of merit. We want to have the best available person in every job. School policy prohibits unlawful discrimination based on age, color, creed, disability, gender, marital status, national origin or ancestry, race, religion, registered domestic partner status, sexual orientation, physical or mental disability, a medical condition including genetic characteristics, or any other consideration made unlawful by federal, state, or local laws.