

# K-12 Teacher Job Description

## Purpose of Position:

Des Moines Christian School Substitute Teachers are student-focused professionals who fulfill the mission of DMC by stepping into the role of the classroom teacher.

### Position:

• Part-time

### Reports To: Division Head

### **Qualifications:**

- Iowa Teaching License or Bachelor's Degree in Education preferred
- Candidates who have a sub authorization in the state of Iowa will also be considered.
- Professing believer in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior and committed to growing in relationship with Him.
- In agreement with the Des Moines Christian School Statement of Faith.
- In agreement with the Des Moines Christian School Biblical Convictions for Christian Education.
- Regularly attends and is actively involved in a church that affirms historic Christian orthodoxy (doctrine, faith, teaching, practice), consistent with the DMC Statement of Faith, through that church's public creed, confession, core beliefs, or statement of faith.

#### **Professional Profile:**

- Committed to the mission of DMC: Equipping minds and nurturing hearts to impact the world for Christ.
- A teacher and learner at heart who loves students of all ages and exudes enthusiasm for shepherding the growth of children.
- Demonstrates consistent spiritual leadership.
- Characterized with integrity and maintains confidentiality.
- Utilizes critical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- Demonstrates effective verbal and written communication skills.
- Demonstrates patience, care, and kindness for all learners and families.
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively as part of team.

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Ensures the DMC mission drives all curricular and extracurricular activities.
- Exhibits a love of teaching and a passion to see each student succeed.
- Follows lesson plans left by the classroom teacher.
- Develops trusting, productive relationships with students to create a safe, positive, and productive learning environment.
- Follows classroom procedures.
- Leaves comments or notes for the classroom teacher.