



2022 SUMMER ARTS FOR LEARNING ACADEMY (SALA) PHYSICAL EDUCATION COACH

Reports to: Summer Arts for Learning Academy Site Director
Classification: Seasonal Full-Time Exempt

Request for Qualifications:

Arts for Learning Maryland (formerly Young Audiences of Maryland) is seeking enthusiastic, hardworking Educators to serve as paid Physical Education Coaches for its Summer Arts for Learning Academy operated in partnership with Baltimore City Public Schools in the Summer of 2022.

The SALA Physical Education Coach Job Description:

The Physical Education Coach is a key component of the success of the Academy. P.E. Coaches are required to supervise and lead a series of structured recesses each day of the program. P.E. Coaches may be required to organize additional sports and physical education events on-site within and throughout the program.

About the Summer Arts for Learning Academy:

Baltimore City Schools' Summer Arts for Learning Academy (SALA), operated by Arts for Learning Maryland (formerly Young Audiences of Maryland), offers students an opportunity to imagine, create, and express who they are through the arts. This is an action-packed, full-day, six-week program (Monday - Thursday) that introduces students to a wide variety of art forms—from illustration and spoken word to percussion, drama, and dance—which gives students a chance to work alongside students from across the city and be taught by professional Artists. Students' work is celebrated through a student showcase on the final day of the program. Arts for Learning Maryland will host nine Academy sites throughout the city, locations TBD. Each classroom will have 26 students.

Mission and Core Values:

The mission of Arts for Learning's elementary grade Summer Arts for Learning Academy is to provide students with a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to spend a Summer learning from the best Teachers and Teaching Artists our state has to offer. Through a dynamic, creative, and supportive environment, students will explore math and literacy in a unique arts-integrated environment that prevents the Summer learning slide, allows them to develop socially and emotionally, expands their personal creative process, and introduces them to many different art forms taught by professional Artists.

We...

- believe unwaveringly that ALL students can achieve high standards in and through the arts.
- provide opportunities for students to develop powerfully articulate voices through art forms and honor their creative processes along the way.

- create safe, brave learning environments for students to grow, make mistakes, and contribute to the community.
- collaborate and reflect by learning from and with each other at every step of the process, cultivating positive relationships between all ages.
- encourage the development of critical thinking, problem solving, inquiry, imagination, and creativity, and provide multiple ways for students to demonstrate knowledge and mastery.
- learn about, honor, and leverage the cultural knowledge, experiences, and frames of reference of our students and community to make learning more relevant and effective.
- ensure that our students are known, loved, supported, celebrated, and valued.

Physical Education Coaches Must Have:

- Strong collaboration and leadership skills.
- Dedication to coaching students.
- Physical Education certification required.
- Excellent organizational skills.
- Excellent and timely communication skills.
- Excellent classroom management skills.
- Understanding and appreciation of arts integration.

Required Dates, Times and Working Hours:

Physical Education Coaches must be able to commit to attending all training and program days listed below:

- **Training and Professional Development Week:** Monday, June 27th through Thursday, June 30th 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. This is required and is paid.
- **Academy Dates:** The program will begin on July 5th and end on August 11th and take place Monday - Thursday. Program hours are 8:30 am (Breakfast) to 3:00 pm.
 - P.E. Coach time commitment: 9:30 am - 3:30 pm on program days (Monday - Thursday).
- **In Program Planning and Meetings:** Physical Education Coaches will be paid for an additional 1.5 hours per week during the 6 program weeks to attend staff meetings, have collaborative planning sessions, and other meetings/prep outside of the program hours. These hours are paid upon completion of the program.

Compensation:

- The SALA Physical Education Coach position is a seasonal full-time exempt position and is not eligible for health benefits or overtime.
- P.E. Coaches will be paid an hourly rate of \$50.00.

Job Responsibilities:

- Plan and supervise a structured recess for all students daily.
- Ensure that the mission and core values of the program are present at all times.
- Develop and execute exciting and meaningful lesson plans.
- Ensure a positive play culture and climate.
- Serve as a positive mentor and role model for students and assistant coaches.
- When appropriate, organize site based P.E. challenges and tournaments in partnership with the Site Director.
- Ensure that lessons are creating a fun environment and building a positive classroom culture.
- Maintain classroom management.
- Serve as a mentor and role model to participating students and assistant coaches.

To Apply:

For consideration, apply online at

www.artsforlearningmd.org/programs/summer-arts-academy/work-with-us/

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