

# THE BENJAMIN SCHOOL

PALM BEACH GARDENS, FLORIDA  
UPPER SCHOOL MATHEMATICS TEACHER

## **Teaching Responsibilities:**

At The Benjamin School, we believe that good teachers set high standards for their students and then do everything they can to help them achieve those standards. We are looking for teachers who will help our students (in and out of the classroom) become self-directed, independent learners with superior academic collegiate skills.

The ideal candidate will be able to incorporate various styles of teaching and approaches to the students and material. This person must have a desire to work with students in a challenging, college-preparatory environment and should possess strong interpersonal and written communication skills.

Qualified candidates should demonstrate a passion for mathematics, intellectual curiosity, strong communication skills, the ability to work within a team, skills to engage and inspire students in the pursuit of learning, a commitment to ongoing professional development, an understanding of the ebbs and flows of independent school life, and, last but not least, a sense of humor.

The person filling this position will need to teach a range of mathematics, from foundational secondary levels through Honors Precalculus (experience with teaching Statistics is also very welcome), the specifics of which will depend on the individual talents that the candidate brings to Benjamin.

## **General Professional Qualifications:**

The most desirable candidates will have the following background or comparable experience:

- A bachelor's degree with a minimum of three years teaching high school mathematics; advanced mathematics degree preferred
- Experience with project-based teaching and collaborative learning
- Experience in integrating technology into the curriculum
- Ability to work effectively with parents as a partner in each student's educational experience
- Ability to use a variety of communication/teaching styles and methods
- A proven willingness to experiment with different teaching strategies
- A history of continued growth and development as an educator
- A record of effective collaboration with colleagues
- The ability to hold students to a high and clearly articulated standard of performance
- Interest and experience in interacting with students outside of the classroom in co-curricular activities: sports, arts, social service, etc.

**As with each position at Benjamin, the following key expectations apply to all TBS employees:**

- Demonstrates support of the School's mission and policies
- Consistently models The Benjamin School values
- Builds positive interpersonal relationships with colleagues by establishing effective communication through listening, responsiveness, openness, availability, and approachability
- Takes initiative and ownership in displaying positive work ethic and behaviors and encourages this attitude in others
- Maintains proficiency in the field through personal and professional development that strengthens the role and the School

**Contact Person:** Please email a resume and letter of interest to [us.openings@thebenjaminschool.org](mailto:us.openings@thebenjaminschool.org). Please, no telephone calls.

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