

School: Verbum Dei High School

Location: Los Angeles, CA

Title: SAT Prep Instructor

Overview:

Verbum Dei is a Catholic, Jesuit, college and career preparatory high school, complemented by our corporate internship program, serving young men of Watts and the surrounding communities who are economically and academically underserved. We develop self-confident gentlemen who are intellectually motivated, spiritual, contemplative, and courageous in their pursuit of a more humane and just world.

As a member of the Cristo Rey Network of schools, our school operates a unique Corporate Internship Program where every student works 5 days a month in a corporate environment to help pay for the cost of their education, thus keeping tuition affordable. We are firmly committed to preparing our students for college by providing an academically rigorous program in a safe environment. In the past two years, 70% of our graduates went to four-year colleges and universities and 30% went on to two-year colleges. We are looking for a dynamic individual who is dedicated to urban education to join our dedicated faculty and open our students' eyes to the wonders of mathematics. The Verbum Dei mathematics department uses an innovative approach to teaching math developed by the LMU Center for Math and Science Teaching. Please visit our website at www.verbumdei.us to learn more about Verbum Dei.

Job Description: Teach 5 periods of SAT prep (concentration on Reading, Writing, and Language)

Minimum Qualifications:

- Minimum of completed BA/BS
- Demonstrated excellence in both English and math skills by passing a mock SAT test
- Experience working with working class first-generation students
- Experience teaching/ tutoring/presenting
- Knowledge of US college access challenge & college entrance exams
- Knowledgeable, sensitive, and inclusive of all cultures, in particular those served by Verbum Dei and of the local community.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Bilingual (Spanish) preferred, but not required

Additional Duties: Additional duties include periodic prefectoring and proctoring. Verbum Dei also strongly encourages all of its teachers to actively participate in the spiritual and co-curricular aspects of the school.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and transcripts to Maribel Andrade, Principal's Assistant, mandrade@verbumdei.us.