

## AmeriCorps Volunteer Classroom Specials Teacher and Classroom Helper

Trinity Academy is seeking a Specials Teacher and Classroom Helper, to work through the AmeriCorps Program, for the 2023-2024 school year. Trinity Academy is an independent, tuition-free elementary school (grades 1-4) for Hartford area students. We provide a safe and nurturing learning environment for our students with small class sizes (10-15 students per class) and lots of individual attention. Our school day runs from 8:15am-3:30pm, and is filled with intensive academics, enrichment activities/specials classes (gym, choir, art, gardening) and we provide breakfast, two snacks and lunch every day to all students.

## The successful candidate will possess most of these qualifications:

- 1+ years' experience working with children, preferably ages 6-10.
- Dedication to education and the advancement of students' academic, social, and emotional well-being.
- Ability to form strong, positive relationships with staff, students, and families.
- Time management skills.
- Experience working with under-resourced families preferred.

## **Responsibilities**:

- Create a safe and nurturing learning environment.
- Teach Art, Music, Gym, and/or an alternative enrichment course to grades 1-4.
- Develop and submit weekly lesson plans.
- Work under the guidance of our Curriculum Coach.
- Deliver group and individual student instruction.
- Handle social/emotional issues as they arise.
- Monitor students in a variety of educational environments (e.g. classroom and virtual classroom, cafeteria, playground, school grounds, hallways, restrooms, field trips, etc.) for the purpose of providing a safe and positive learning environment.

## **How to apply**:

Interested candidates are asked to submit their resumes and contact information for professional references to Allison Bernhard, Principal, at the following email address: <a href="mailto:principal@trinityday.org">principal@trinityday.org</a>