



JOB DESCRIPTION

Title: Guitar Teacher

Program: Academy

Reports to: Harmony Project Phoenix- Executive Director

Hours: Approximately 3 hours per week

Start Date: August 22, 2022

End Date: May 14, 2023

Inquiry: Please send your resume and cover letter ASAP to: info@harmonyprojectphx.org

Mission

Harmony Project harnesses the transformative power of music to increase access to higher education for underserved students by removing systemic barriers to achievement through academic and social support.

Position Summary

Responsible for leading guitar classes at Harmony Project Phoenix. He or she will ensure the highest quality music pedagogy in collaboration with other music faculty and support each child holistically. He or she will support the Harmony Project Phoenix's mission and help facilitate community and family involvement.

Essential Functions

As an HPP faculty member, responsibilities include (but are not limited to):

- Teach guitar classes in group setting
- Attend music pedagogy and professional development sessions

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- Prepare and communicate with teachers, program manager, HPP staff, and parents
- Assist the HPP Program Manager with classroom management logistics: classroom setup and breakdown, instrument tracking, supplies tracking etc.
- Attend regular staff meetings with Program manager and teachers

Qualifications

- Demonstrated excellent musicianship and artistry as a teacher/performer
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills and the ability to work effectively with a wide range of constituencies in a diverse community
- Four-year undergraduate degree or equivalent experience required; postgraduate degree or equivalent experience a plus
- Highly organized
- Able to simultaneously manage, prioritize, and benchmarks multiple projects and deadlines
- Strong knowledge of standard music pedagogy (Suzuki, etc.) with certification preferred
- Experience teaching guitar
- Strong knowledge of guitar repertoire, curriculum and pedagogy
- Strong knowledge of primary level pedagogy
- Experience working with children from diverse ethnic and economic backgrounds; experience working in underserved communities
- Interest and ability to be a motivational mentor and role model for students, parents, and peers as an artist, teacher and citizen
- Must have independent means of transportation
- Must be able to work as a member of a team
- Ability to work under frequent observation
- Ability to arrange music a plus
- Bilingual in English and Spanish a plus

Class schedule: TBD

1 to 2 day(s) / week

Location: Central United Methodist Church - 1875 N Central Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85004

Pay range based on experience: \$30 - \$40/hr

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