



# Rocky Mountain Deaf School

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## Position Announcement

### SECONDARY SCIENCE TEACHER

2022/2023

#### Job Description & Qualifications

If you have a passion for science and a gift for inspiring young minds, we are looking for you. We are currently recruiting for a new science teacher to join the RMDS Team of high quality staff. Must have a solid understanding of the national curriculum standards and have experience closing the achievement gap, and as well as develop engaging and innovative lessons that allow our students to grow academically, socially and emotionally. Ability to incorporate technology and hands-on learning experiences into the classroom with enthusiasm. Collaborating with the MS/ HS instruction team on an ongoing basis is inherent to this position. Develop, implement and support individualized practices for achieving learning outcomes for students with specific needs based on the Individual Education Plan (IEP) as required with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEIA).

**Salary Range:** \$45,895 - \$66,164 (Salary is commensurate with educational degree and experience)

**Bonus:** 2nd year contract signing bonus available

**Benefits:** Full Medical benefits for employee (additional benefits available based on employee selection)

**FLSA Statues:** Exempt

**Work Year:** 188 days (includes 180 student contact days)

#### REQUIREMENTS:

- Master's degree in Deaf Education.
- Colorado Standard or Provisional Teaching Licensure, with a Deaf Education endorsement (required by October 1, 2022)
- Colorado Standard or Provisional Teaching Licensure, with a Deaf Education endorsement as well as Highly Qualified in English, Reading, or Language Arts
- Excellent command of written English required
- Fluency in American Sign Language required

#### Teaching responsibilities include:

- Plan and implement effective instructional practices that maximize student learning.
- Follow a system of continuous evaluation of student progress consistent with established instructional objectives and school policy by using a variety of assessment techniques.
- Apply a wide variety of instructional techniques, including student-centered learning, cooperative learning, and instructional media to promote learning.
- Develop and maintain a class environment conducive to effective learning.
- Serve as an active member of our professional learning community. Collaborating with other educators on teams to provide an effective instructional program.

*To Inspire every deaf student to think, to learn, to achieve, to care.*

- Communicate often with families regarding student progress.
- Maintain professional growth.
- Engage in action research for continuous improvement of instruction.

**Additional Information: Position Open Until Filled**