Elementary Music Teacher – Part-Time (2 days per week)

Greenwood Christian School Reports To: Elementary Principal

Position Summary

Greenwood Christian School is seeking a passionate, faith-filled **Elementary Music Teacher** who desires to nurture students' love for music while pointing them to Christ. This part-time role is ideal for someone who sees music as a gift from God and an opportunity to lead children in expressing worship, creativity, and joy in the Lord. The teacher will help students grow musically and spiritually through a safe, Christ-centered learning environment.

Key Responsibilities

- Teach music classes for elementary students (K–5) on Tuesdays and Fridays.
- Plan and deliver instruction aligned with Indiana Academic Standards for Music, intentionally integrating a biblical worldview.
- Introduce students to foundational music concepts (rhythm, pitch, melody, harmony, notation, basic instruments) through Christ-honoring teaching.
- Incorporate singing, movement, instruments, musical games, and hands-on musical activities that reflect God's creativity.
- Prepare and direct two major performances each year:
 - Christmas Program (celebrating the birth of Christ)
 - Spring Program (celebrating God's blessings and student growth)
- Lead rehearsals, plan music selections, and collaborate with staff to ensure performances reflect GCS's mission.
- Foster a positive, encouraging, Christ-centered classroom where students are valued as children created in God's image.
- Differentiate lessons to meet diverse learning needs.

- Maintain and organize classroom instruments, materials, and equipment.
- Communicate with families in a professional and Christlike manner.
- Model Christlike character at all times and actively support the mission, vision, and statement of faith of Greenwood Christian School.

Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in Music Education or related field preferred.
- Experience teaching elementary-aged children in a school or church setting strongly preferred.
- Familiarity with Indiana Academic Standards for Music.
- Knowledge of vocal development, rhythm instruction, and child-friendly instruments (Orff, boomwhackers, percussion, etc.).
- Ability and desire to integrate faith into music instruction.
- Strong classroom management and communication skills grounded in biblical principles.
- Must be an active follower of Jesus Christ, in agreement with GCS's statement of faith, and committed to serving as a spiritual role model for students.

Work Schedule & Environment

- Part-time, Tuesdays and Fridays, following the GCS academic calendar.
- Leadership at the Christmas and Spring programs is required.
- Collaboration with the specials team and administration in a supportive, Christ-centered environment.

Application Process

Interested candidates should submit:

- A cover letter sharing their interest, Christian testimony, and availability
- A current résumé
- A list of three professional references