

# English Language Learner Teacher RISE Charter School

## **Organization Description**

RISE Southeast Raleigh Charter School [RISE] empowers its scholars to thrive academically, strengthen their community, and discover their voice. We are a K-8 Charter School serving students and families in the Southeast Raleigh Community. Our goal is to exceed growth every year and radically improve proficiency so that our scholars are prepared to succeed in high quality High Schools and beyond.

## **Opportunity Summary**

RISE seeks an English Language Learner (ELL) Teacher to join our team. ELL teachers are responsible for ensuring that all ELL scholars make significant academic gains. ELL Teachers will help manage administrative/regulatory aspects of the ELL Program and serve as a small group academic teacher as well as a whole-class co-teacher in our inclusive classroom settings. The ELL Teacher will report to the ELL Coordinator.

#### How You'll Contribute

- Embody, advocate and operationalize the mission of RISE.
- Assume responsibility for the academic progress of scholars with a high sense of urgency and ownership towards data driven results.
- Build great relationships with scholars, parents, and staff.
  - o Communicate clearly and regularly with scholars and parents about progress.
  - Maintain strong, professional relationships with colleagues in an environment where listening, critical thought, respectful debate, and compromise is essential.
- Own your professional growth.
  - o Participate eagerly in the observation, coaching and feedback cycle.
  - Attend and engage meetings and professional development
  - Be hungry for feedback that will empower your learning and leadership
- Complete all lesson plans, progress reports and administrative functions on time.
- Support all elements of the Multi-tiered System of Support (MTSS).
- ELL Specific Duties
  - Meet regularly with the ELL Coordinator to grow professionally.
  - Work closely with RISE teachers to differentiate curriculum, help create effective accommodations, and modify curriculum when appropriate
  - Support ELL scholars' English language development and their classroom needs
  - Support oversight and delivery of WIDA administration
  - Monitor assessment results in order to regularly refine and differentiate teaching
  - Participate in ELL scholar transition meetings for those ready to exit ELL services

## What You'll Bring to the Team

A strong commitment to RISE's mission

- Uncompromising belief that all scholars can learn and want to learn
- Humility to grow as an educator
- Hunger to deliver excellent teaching and 'win' on behalf of our scholars
- Enthusiasm to be held accountable for quantifiable student achievement and growth
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively with a team
- Outstanding public speaking and writing skills
- Excellent organizational skills
- At least two years of experience in a classroom setting
- Bachelor's Degree (required); Master's Degree (preferred)
- North Carolina ELL Certification (required)
- Bilingual English/Spanish ability (preferred)

#### **Our Core Values**

#### Resilience

- We are solutions-minded and we persevere through challenges.
- We give and receive direct feedback and hold each other accountable.
- We maintain emotional constancy and warm language in all situations.
- We believe that gratitude and celebration enable resilience and positive culture.

#### Integrity

- We treat all in our community with honesty, kindness, and respect.
- We model the values we want to see from scholars and other adults.
- We assume the best of others and take concerns to the source.
- We do the right thing even when no one is looking.

### **Scholarship**

- We love learning, and we cheer on each other's growth and success.
- We obsess over the art and science of teaching content well.
- We believe that reflection and refinement are critical for growth.
- We commit to professional growth for the benefit of scholar outcomes.

#### Excellence

- We set ambitious goals and work relentlessly to attain them.
- We use data to drive our decisions and to measure our success.
- We "sweat the small stuff" in respect of community, space, and each other.
- We believe excellence is a habit; we are constantly getting better.

#### **Non-Discrimination Statement**

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