

BOSTON COLLEGIATE CHARTER SCHOOL

2019-2020 Associate Biology Teacher Opening

BCCS was founded in 1998 with a simple yet ambitious mission: to prepare each student for college. We have grown from 120 students in grades 5 through 7 to 700 students in grades 5 through 12.

- 100% of BCCS's graduating classes have been accepted to college. The majority of our students will be the first in their families to earn college degrees.
- In 2018, 95% of BCCS students scored Advanced or Proficient on the 10th grade ELA MCAS exam, compared with the Massachusetts state average of 90%; 92% of BCCS students scored Advanced or Proficient on the 10th grade Math MCAS, compared with the Massachusetts state average of 78%. Additionally, 94% of BCCS students scored Advanced or Proficient on the 9th grade Physics MCAS exam.
- The school accepts students by random public lottery from a waiting list of over 2,000 students.

Current Openings:

We are looking for a smart, problem-solving, self-reflective, and passionate ASSOCIATE TEACHER who wants to be part of a dynamic team to help continue to BUILD a school and to SHAPE its future direction. Our associate teachers:

- believe we must all do whatever it takes to ensure all students are not only accepted to college but graduate successfully from college;
- believe in measuring student academic achievement in tangible ways;
- believe that data should drive instruction and that curriculum should be based on clear and rigorous standards;
- believe in reflecting on their performance with the desire and humility to grow in and improve upon their craft in the interest of student achievement;
- believe in having the highest expectations for all students and not making excuses for them, the school, or staff;
- believe that students, families, teachers, and school leaders should be held strictly accountable for their work;
- believe in building a positive school culture where respect, enthusiasm, effort, achievement, perseverance, community, and hard work are valued; and
- believe that for every problem, there is a solution, and that if we can't find the answer immediately, we simply work longer, harder, and smarter.

Our Associate Teacher roles are designed to create an atmosphere of learning and experience-building under the supervision and guidance of a mentor teacher. Our Associate Teachers:

- work closely with a Mentor Teacher to plan, create, and execute rigorous and engaging biology lesson plans for two periods per day working toward independent teaching;
- engage in joint planning meetings and/or observe for best practices in peer classrooms for two periods a day;
- participate in flex and intervention coverage for three periods a day;
- serve as a Co-Advisor (along with a Mentor Teacher) to students;
- participate in testing coverage, hallway transitions, and student arrival and departure;
- attend and/or chaperoning afterschool and evening events, including family conferences;
- support after-school tutoring;
- engage in school-based professional development activities directed toward improved teacher practice, student achievement, and school improvement; and
- other such duties as the may from time to time request commensurate with the Employee's position

To apply, please visit https://forms.gle/o94UihHGXv1GJbKX9. No telephone or email inquiries, please.

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