



Classroom Teacher - Intermediate School

Qualifications & Skills

- **Must have a valid Illinois Professional Educator License (PEL)**
- Must have a positive attitude and positive approach to meeting the needs of our students.
- Display fair judgment, time management, and an ability to prioritize.
- Organized and able to multitask.
- Strong ability to control a classroom in a direct, but positive, manner.

Job Duties & Responsibilities

- Embrace and help grow the mission of Pleasant Valley which is to “engage, inspire, and empower each student towards academic excellence and citizenship”.
- Instruct students in basic subjects in order to prepare them for future schooling.
- Create, administer and grade lesson plans that meet the needs of all students.
- Prepare students for standardized testing.
- Observe, assess and evaluate student performance. Identify when intervention may be needed.
- Develop and enforce classroom rules.
- Contact parents to acquire & provide information on academic student progress when necessary.
- Supervise students during recess, lunch and extracurricular activities as needed.
- Establish an appropriate, positive, inclusive and safe learning environment.
- Supervise and monitor the halls during arrival, bathroom breaks, in between classes and at dismissal.
- Other duties as assigned by administration

Salary & Benefits

- Salary Schedule: Determined by years of experience and total graduate semester hours. A teacher can increase their salary by moving down the salary schedule with more experience, by moving horizontally towards the advanced degree columns, or by doing both.
- Health Insurance
- Dental Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Vision Insurance

Schedule & Time Off

- 37.5 hours per week, Monday through Friday
- 180 total working days per school year
- 12 sick days and 3 personal days per school year



Evaluations

- Evaluation of certified employees shall be governed by Article 24A of the Illinois School Code which establishes that each teacher in contractual continued service is evaluated at least once in the course of every 2 to 3 school years.