

# **DE LA SALLE ACADEMY**

## Choir Teacher, Grades 6-8

#### Mission:

De La Salle Academy is a private, independent, non-sectarian middle school located in Manhattan. The school's student body includes students from across New York City. De La Salle is the only private, co-educational, independent school in New York City for academically talented, economically less advantaged students in grades six through eight. Students and adults commit to living in community through a purposefully rigorous academic curriculum, strong core values, a profound knowledge of self, and a desire to serve the array of communities we represent. De La Salle believes in a need-blind admissions process to ensure that students are evaluated based solely on their merits and not on their families' ability to pay.

#### **Position:**

De La Salle Academy seeks a part-time choir teacher for the 2023-24 school year. Potential candidates should be aligned with the school's commitment to develop each child's mind, body, heart, and spirit.

### **Qualifications and Skills:**

- Bachelor's degree (in music field preferred)
- Experience working with racially and economically diverse student and family populations
- Commitment to engaging with diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice work.
- Teaching experience in middle school is preferred
- Excellent oral and written communication
- Attentiveness to the social-emotional needs of young adolescent students
- Willingness and desire to mentor students
- A passion for innovation and ongoing professional development
- Ability to work collaboratively with other teachers and administrators

### Key Responsibilities Include:

- Teach two elective periods of 6th grade-8th grade choir once per week (Wednesday afternoons)
- Plan, oversee, and manage programming for student performances (in collaboration with School leadership)

### **Compensation:**

• Hourly rate: \$60-69 per hour.

### How to Apply:

Applicants should forward materials (**resume and cover letter**) to <u>employment@dlsanyc.org</u>. Subject line should include the candidate's name and the position of interest. All materials should be addressed to Dr. Angel Gonzalez, Head of School.

De La Salle Academy is an equal opportunity employer.