

Donelson Christian Academy is a Pre-K through 12 regionally-accredited, coeducational, college-preparatory, Christian day school enrolling 850 students. Founded in 1971, the 25-acre campus is in a residential section of Donelson, TN, a suburb twenty minutes from downtown Nashville, TN. The Academy seeks to serve Christ by assisting parents in providing students with a challenging, college preparatory education taught from a non-denominational biblical worldview that develops the whole person into a Christ-like leader in the home, church, and community.

The Academy is looking for a dedicated, passionate Science teacher to join our exceptional team of educators. Depending on enrollment growth, the teaching assignment could be in the Middle or High School. The teacher must deliver lessons that develop students' science knowledge and academic skills, develop strong partnerships with parents, mentor students from a Biblical worldview, and model Christ-like character to all students in a collegial environment.

Teacher Responsibilities:

- Plan and teach lessons to facilitate student understanding of Science
- Prepare and present learning materials such as notes, review/reinforcement materials, assignments, and assessments
- Integrate a biblical worldview into lessons
- Provide opportunities that help students develop academic skills such as content reading, critical thinking, experimentation, new uses of technology, etc.
- Maintain a classroom that ensures an outstanding instructional and learning environment
- Promptly grade assignments, quizzes, and tests
- Document student progress
- Plan and facilitate parent-teacher conferences
- Communicate with parents regularly and be available to meet with parents
- Supervise assessments and end-of-semester examinations
- Support students with tutoring sessions when needed
- Practice the ministry of presence by attending fine arts and athletic events
- Interest and availability to coach or lead extracurricular programs
- Attend weekly chapels and lead a weekly student advisory group
- Fulfill assigned duties such as supervising students in the cafeteria, car line, study hall, etc.
- Attend meetings with department colleagues and school staff

Teacher Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree or higher in education with a specialization in Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or the equivalent
- Belief, support, and acceptance of Donelson Christian Academy's Statement of Faith
- Proficient in using technology in the classroom
- A thorough understanding of best practices in teaching
- Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills
- Organized, flexible, cheerful disposition
- Ability to engage, connect, and inspire students
- Display an "Always Learning Attitude," acquiring professional knowledge about current developments in education
- Desire to be a Christian role model

Applicants interested in impacting students through teaching Science while modeling Christian principles beginning July 28, 2023, should send a cover letter, resume, completed application found at <u>https://www.dcawildcats.org/about/employment</u>, transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to:

ATTN: Brian Case, Secondary Principal Donelson Christian Academy 300 Danyacrest Drive Nashville, TN 37214 <u>bcase@dcawildcats.org</u>

DCA Statement of Faith

We believe the Bible to be God's inspired and only infallible authoritative Word. (II Timothy 3:16)

We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons-Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (I John 5:4-6)

We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory. (I Corinthians. 13:3, I Peter 2:21-24, John 3:1)

We believe that for the salvation of the lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential. (Romans 3:21, Galatians 4:4-7)

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a Godly life. (Galatians 5:22-25)

We believe in the resurrection of the saved and the lost; they are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they are lost unto the resurrection of damnation. (John 5:24, 28, 29)

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. (John 17:21-23)

Donelson Christian Academy admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. Donelson Christian Academy does not discriminate based on race, color, or national and ethnic origin in the administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.