



Elementary School English Teacher

The **French Immersion School of Washington** is looking for an **Elementary School English Teacher** for the 2024-2025 school year. This position is full time.

FISW provides an excellent bilingual education in a welcoming environment that encourages critical thinking and curiosity. FISW emphasizes the well-being of its community and values listening, openness and empathy. We put the students at the center of our program and their wellness is a constant goal. The English teacher must demonstrate a commitment to FISW's mission and be experienced with teaching at the elementary school (Grades 1-5) level.

The ideal candidate will be dedicated to our mission, collaborative, self-motivated, committed to inclusion and equity, adaptable, student-centered, and demonstrate good communication skills. They will bring a positive classroom culture based on student engagement and well-being and will demonstrate a commitment to participate in some events organized by the school or by our parent school community.

FISW seeks teachers who understand how to create a welcoming environment and combine academic rigor with student engagement.

Focus and Responsibilities:

- Create a nurturing, safe classroom community
- Plan and teach to preschool or primary school age children in a bilingual setting
- Work closely with other French and English faculty on bilingual projects and schoolwide projects such as the end-of-year school show
- Adapt to the bilingual environment and teaching methods of the school
- Adapt teaching methods and instructional materials to meet students' varying needs and interests
- Foster a love of reading and a love of learning through engaging activities
- Provide continuous student assessment, mid-year and end-of-year progress reports, and hold parent-teacher conferences twice a year
- Attend regular meetings as needed
- Successfully complete other professional responsibilities as assigned for the health, safety and well-being of all students in our school community

Qualifications:

- University degree.
- Minimum 3 years' experience teaching elementary school children.
- Strong knowledge of the Washington State Common Core Standards.
- Passion for working with elementary students with a focus on well-being and social-emotional learning.
- The ideal candidate will have experience teaching in a bilingual environment and training in neurodiversity in the classroom or willing to undergo such training.



FISW is conveniently located a minute away from exit 13 on I-90. On a green campus, our school provides a multicultural environment and diverse student body and staff and teaches students from preschool to 5th grade.

FISW is committed to Equal Opportunity Employment and hires employees without regard to gender, race, religion, color, creed or sexual orientation. This position offers competitive benefits and a salary ranging between \$55,000 and 90,000 depending on experience. Please contact employment@fisw.org with a resume, a cover letter and at least one reference. No phone calls, please.