



USA STEM ACADEMY

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STEM Teacher Description

USA STEM Academy is looking for outstanding teachers. Although curriculum is provided, STEM teachers are expected to bring the curriculum to life by adding their own unique backgrounds to inspire their students and encourage exploration and discovery through the sciences. Additionally, STEM teachers will mentor and work with college teaching assistants to inspire the next generation of STEM students. Teachers will work and collaborate with Academy staff and international staff. STEM teachers are the heart of our organization and are key in making our USA STEM a creative and fun STEM-orientated environment that empowers students to develop a deep love of learning and confidence in STEM.

STEM Teacher Responsibilities

Teachers are hired as independent contractors.

1. Pre-Academy Training (June)

All STEM Teachers will be required to attend a training day in June. Training sessions are mandatory. Those unable to commit to a training session will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

- Review and internalize Academy curriculum

2. During Academy Camps: Summer (July/August) or Winter (January/February)

The Academy runs for 1 and 2 weeks, summer starting as early as July and ending as late as mid-August

- Work part time (M-F, 8:30am to 5pm) with 45 minute lunch break
- Manage your classroom of up to 25 students engaged in preset STEM curriculum
- Collaborate and serve as a leader for the college STEM teaching assistant in your classroom
- Use the Academy Program Director as a resource for collaboration, ideas, and situations that may arise

3. Qualifications/Requirements

- College graduate
- Current State teaching credentials not required, but preferred
- Experience working with K-12th grade children, STEM education experience a plus
- Demonstrated leadership experience
- Flexible, trustworthy, creative and positive; a leader who works well in teams, is performance-oriented, inspiring, energetic, organized, detail-oriented, communicative, fun-loving, and a good problem-solver.

4. Application Process and Submission:

To apply to be a STEM Teacher, please complete and submit the following:

1. Application Form (complete with two references)
2. Resume and photo
3. Teacher Reference Form

Once you have completed all items above, please email your application and materials to [hiring@USASTEMAcademy.com](mailto: hiring@USASTEMAcademy.com). **Applications will be accepted through April 15.** After April 15, qualified candidates will move forward with a phone interview. **Offers will be given by May 1.** Any teaching assignment is contingent on the successful completion of a background check.