

Hiring: Teaching Assistants, K-5th

Hidaya Academy views education as encompassing the “whole child” -- i.e. the spiritual, social-emotional, academic and physical needs of a student. It realizes that this is the only true way to prepare a child for success in this life, and the next. We aim to be a professional, sustainable Islamic school, infused with research driven teachings that will weave into developing students’ mindsets on how Islam shapes their identity and the world in which we live. Hidaya Academy opened in August 2023 in Urbana, IL and is hiring for the August 2024 school year.

Hidaya Academy is seeking **qualified elementary assistant teachers** who are exemplary leaders, self-starters who are interested in developing and implementing effective curriculums. This is a great opportunity for individuals looking to grow their careers in an environment that values increasing students' skills and knowledge, solidifying their Muslim character, and inspiring confidence-based principles that allow them to serve and thrive, in our communities and our world. If these values resonate with you, we invite you to join our team!

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Create fun, interactive learning experiences
- Promote the social, physical, and intellectual growth of the children in your care.
- Team player and ability to engage students

We want energetic, dependable, passionate individuals who have:

- Experience working in a classroom and adaptability to differential learning model
- Able to work indoors or outdoors and engage in physical activity with children
- Prior experience with working with children in an early childhood or elementary program is preferred.
- Experience will be given priority within the applicant process.
- Bilingual (English/Arabic) a plus.

Education

- Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university, with certification and endorsements

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- Must be eligible to work in the United States
- 50% tuition discount for your children if >20 hours a week.
- Hourly wage starting at \$14-18 /hr, flexible hours available
- Part time: 10-20 hours/week

EVALUATION: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board’s policy on evaluation of professional personnel.

Reports to: Administrator of the Islamic School.

START DATE: August 1, 2024

Interested applicants who do not meet the requirements may also submit applications for review and consideration.

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.