



UTOPIAN
ACADEMY FOR THE ARTS
MIDDLE SCHOOL

TALENT & RECRUITMENT DEPARTMENT

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JOB TITLE: Middle School Media Arts TV/Film (2024-25 SY)

Job Code	Certification Type	Subject Type	Contract Days
113		930	190

About Utopian Academy for the Arts Charter School Network

Utopian Academy for the Arts is the 2023 Georgia Charter School of the Year! The mission of Utopian Academy for the Arts is to develop, through a structured and supportive environment, academic and artistic students to enter and to succeed in the global society with proficiency to enroll in a college, university, or specialty school of their choice. Utopian Academy for the Arts is the only public charter school network in Georgia to offer a comprehensive educational program in the dramatic, media, and creative arts. Our educational model leverages the positive effects of arts education to engage and inspire students, develop their academic and artistic potential, and prepare them to be leaders in their communities. The Utopian Academy for the Arts was founded in 2013 as the first state-approved charter school by the State Charter Schools Commission of Georgia, to expand public school choice options for families that reside in Clayton County, GA. Recognizing its unique approach and access to arts-based education, the Clayton County Public Schools System subsequently approved the vertical expansion to add the Utopian Academy for the Arts Elementary (est. 2020) and Utopian Academy for the Arts High School (est. 2022). In 2023, the charter school network launched its second state-approved middle school, Utopian Academy for the Arts-Trilith, which features a state-wide attendance zone and is located in Fayette County, GA.

The Role

Our greatest instructional strategy is our human capital. More than any other variable in education--more than curriculum or supplies—our faculty and staff matter. Effective teachers who are continually learning and setting high expectations are the key to student academic achievement and success. At Utopian Academy for the Arts Middle School, we believe that students will rise to meet the high expectations set by our team of educators.

Key Role Responsibilities:

The Television & Film Teacher will be responsible for developing in each student an interest in the theoretical and practical concepts, strategies, and techniques associated with the fields of Audio,



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Video, Technology & Film within the Career, Technical and Agricultural Education (CTAE) framework.

- Develop and implement a comprehensive television & film production curriculum that aligns with state and national standards.
- Assess student progress and adapt lessons to meet the needs of individual students.
- Maintain a positive and inclusive classroom environment that encourages student participation.
- Teach knowledge and skills in television and film production.
- Provide instruction by which students develop aesthetic concepts and appreciations and the ability to make qualitative judgments about art.
- Continuously update professional knowledge and skills in the field of arts education.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree from a 4-year, accredited college, or university in CTAE or 10 years industry experience.
- State teaching certification.
- Previous experience teaching television and film in a school setting.
- Excellent communication and classroom management skills.
- Strong organizational and planning skills.

HOW TO APPLY:

Application and materials should be submitted electronically by the priority deadline of **Friday, May 17, 2024** to talent@utopianacademy.com **"Name of Role"** should be labeled in the Subject Line of your message. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

- Completed Application for Employment including:
- Cover letter / letter of interest defining your strengths in your subject matter, including your experience with supporting a charter school, or arts integrated school.
- Resume