



## First Grade General Studies Teacher

FTE: 100% Full Time Exempt \*Reports to Dean of Lower School

### **Brandeis Marin Mission Statement:**

With an uncompromising commitment to exceptional academics and universal Jewish values, we ignite a passion for learning that propels our students to become caring and engaged global citizens.

Brandeis Marin, a K-8 Jewish Day School in San Rafael, CA, is seeking a 1st Grade Teacher who is inspired by our mission and eager to assume a variety of responsibilities. This teacher will partner with a first grade Jewish Studies teacher. This teacher will be primarily responsible for developing and delivering the general studies curriculum

### **Responsibilities:**

- Working in partnership with other grade level teachers in planning and teaching a challenging and developmentally appropriate course of study, with an emphasis on differentiating instruction and using assessments effectively.
- Engaging children in project based learning, including Design Thinking.
- Supporting an inclusive classroom environment through regular class meetings, supportive exchanges with students and clear expectations for community behavior, including Responsive Classroom, Toolbox, and Mindfulness education. Creating a positive classroom environment in which students are supported and nurtured, both academically and emotionally
- Teaching general studies curriculum: Foundations, RAZ Kids, Sitton Spelling, Words Their Way, Math in Focus, Making Math Real, FOSS
- Collaborating with teachers and specialists to provide a rich, integrated learning experience, including curriculum development, field trips and special projects
- Working and communicating effectively with parents
- Supporting and following the school policies

### **Qualifications:**

- BA in related field and teaching credential
- Experience and training in Foundations and Singapore Math
- At least three years of prior teaching experience
- Collaborative work ethic
- Good sense of humor and warm demeanor

The school offers competitive compensation based on prior experience, education and position requirements. Medical, Dental, Life and long-term disability and retirement benefits are provided. More information about the school can be found on our website at [www.brandeismarin.org](http://www.brandeismarin.org). Citizenship, residency or work VISA in the United States required.

Interested candidates should send a cover letter and resume to: [jobs@brandeismarin.org](mailto:jobs@brandeismarin.org)