



Mathematics Teacher
Middle School and High School
Job Description

Location: Connecticut (New Haven, Hartford, and Bridgeport)

About Achievement First

Achievement First is a charter school management organization started in July 2003 by the leaders of Amistad Academy, a high performing charter school in New Haven, CT. A non-profit, 501 (c)(3) organization, Achievement First is creating a network of achievement-gap closing charter schools in Connecticut and New York to bring to scale the dramatic, life changing student achievement results produced at Amistad Academy. For more information about the Achievement First mission, model, our schools and team, please visit our website at www.achievementfirst.org. Achievement First currently operates 12 schools in both NY and CT and has plans to open 1-3 schools per year over the next several years. Over the next decade, Achievement First will support 25 schools serving over 7,000 students.

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Achievement First seeks talented, committed educators to serve as math teachers at Achievement First schools. The schools are based on the Achievement First model: extremely high expectations for student achievement, rigorous instruction, no-excuses discipline, and a positive, achievement-oriented school culture.

Our curriculum is very standards-based. We have clearly defined the knowledge and skills our students need at each grade level, and teachers very explicitly help students master them. Every six weeks, we assess the progress of our students and tailor instruction to fill the gaps.

Qualifications:

- Urban teaching experience
- Very, very strong classroom management and discipline skills
- Extremely high standards for student behavior; the belief that students can and must behave in a top-notch way
- Relentlessness - doing whatever it takes to ensure success
- Team player

To apply

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