

Job Description for:

## Science Curriculum Designer and Instructor - High School

Fortune School of Education is seeking an experienced high school teacher who will design and teach two science courses for a first of its kind Early College High School for the 2017-2018 academic school year. Our high school is a STEM and Arts (STEAM) focused school in partnership with Cal Poly State University and Cosumnes River College (CRC). Graduating students have the opportunity to receive their Associate's Degree in Science (A.S.), making us one of the most unique and forward thinking Early Colleges in the country. All of our students have the opportunity to meet admissions requirements for Cal Poly, exceeding all of the A-G requirements for incoming UC and CSU students. Our graduates will have completed 4 years of science and 4 years of mathematics (including calculus), positioning them very well for a STEAM career of their choice.

This position participates in designing original curriculum working in conjunction with Fortune's curriculum department and a special curriculum team of professors from Cal Poly to design two original experiential (hands-on) courses for our high school, Honors Chemistry and Earth/Space Science. The goal is to create a solid first year of high school science courses that prepare our students for the rigor of taking college level courses starting in their sophomore year. The training and experience you receive in designing these courses will dramatically change the way you look at teaching students.

At Fortune we serve 65% African American students and 25% Latino students. About 80% of our students are low-income students. We believe that students of all backgrounds deserve an education that prepares them to compete among the very best of what the world has to offer. We organize around 5 key pillars: high expectations, choice and commitment, more time, focus on results, and citizenship. We currently have 6 charter schools throughout California and are opening our first high school for the 2017-2018 academic school year at which you will be a founding teacher.