



Library Media Specialist

Position Overview:

Westminster Community Charter School seeks an innovative and highly motivated Library Media Specialist with experience in an elementary school setting.

Qualifications:

Bachelor's degree in Library Science and NYS Certification as a Library Media Specialist. Candidates should have a broad understanding of the fundamental concepts of library and information science and a familiarity with the basic principles and procedures associated with the acquisition, organization, circulation and educational uses of a wide variety of resources. Candidates should possess the technical knowledge and leadership qualities needed to administer a library media program and be able to help students of all abilities develop the skills necessary to address their informational needs and become effective users of information and ideas. The ability to interact positively with students and other staff members, strong communication skills, well developed technology skills and a desire to continue professional growth are necessary to be successful in this position. Candidates are not subject to Buffalo Public School District residency requirements.

Salary Range:

Salary Commensurate with Experience. The Collective Bargaining Agreement applies including major medical and many other benefits.

Employment Term:

Position Open: September 2010

School's Background:

The Westminster Community Charter School has a unique school-business partnership with M&T Bank. Over the past 16 years, Westminster's test scores have gone from the bottom to the top of the Buffalo Public School District. As the first-of-its-kind conversion charter school in WNY, this exciting, vibrant school has a core staff in place and is accepting applications to fill vacancies. Westminster is the proud partner of Columbia University Teachers College Reading and Writing Project in Western NY. Columbia provides monthly staff development and offers reading and writing workshops to refine the teaching skills and techniques of Westminster's staff.

Westminster provides opportunities for motivated individuals seeking to have a significant impact on children in Buffalo. Westminster provides opportunities to earn additional income through its after-school, summer school and in-service programs. Visit our website – www.westminsterccs.org - for more information.

Applicants interested in the position should submit a resume to:

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