



## Middle School Science

### Background

Tallulah Falls School is an independent, coeducational college preparatory boarding and day school nestled in the northeast Georgia mountains. Our mission is *preparing each student to thrive in life by elevating character and intellect in a challenging and diverse college preparatory environment*. TFS opened its doors in July 1909 with 21 pupils, and the school will open for the 2018-19 academic year with 540 students in grades five-12. TFS strives to present a challenging curriculum in small class settings that stimulate student engagement in the learning process. Students have the benefit of generous personal attention from highly qualified teachers, advisors, and staff members. TFS is accredited by the Southern Association of Independent Schools and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

### Job Description

Tallulah Falls School is seeking a talented and versatile middle school science teacher with a desire to positively impact the educational and social development of every student. Prospective applicants must prove quantifiable and objective student performance gains, and demonstrate a commitment to student learning by creating a nurturing class environment. Candidates will want to be part of a family-oriented academic environment, where serving our students is the top priority. TFS faculty and staff play an integral role in meeting the educational and emotional needs of our students in and out of the classroom. Our students, faculty, staff, parents, and supporters form a close-knit school family where everyone feels a sense of belonging and purpose. We all work together as a team to accomplish a common mission.

An in-field Georgia teaching certificate and a BS in Science Education are required; an MEd in Middle Grades Education or an MEd in Science Education (six-12) is preferred. The ideal candidate should be able to: create, foster, and model a positive and collaborative learning environment; plan, structure, and execute meaningful and engaging lessons and activities; implement a 1:1 rollout of Chromebooks; teach technology, keyboarding, and facilitate the use of the Google Apps suite; improvise and adapt quickly with infinite patience and an unrelenting sense of humor; demonstrate the confidence and courage to influence and inspire students, parents, and colleagues. Coaching at least one sport is expected; currently there are coaching openings in volleyball, soccer, golf, and basketball. Minimum of five years teaching experience is preferred.

### Salary and benefits

This is a full-time position. Salary for this position is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Those fortunate enough to influence young lives at TFS receive a competitive benefits package.

### Interested candidates

Qualified candidates should email a cover letter, resume, and a list of three professional references to Middle School Academic Dean David Chester at [david.chester@tallulahfalls.org](mailto:david.chester@tallulahfalls.org). No telephone calls, please.

*Tallulah Falls School is an equal opportunity employer.*

*All job applicants at TFS will undergo testing for the presence of illegal drugs as a condition of employment. Any applicant with a confirmed positive test result will be denied employment. Applicants will be required to submit to a specimen test at a laboratory selected by Tallulah Falls School and by signing a consent agreement to release TFS from liability.*