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Push in/ Pull out Special Education Teacher/ SETSS Teacher – (K-5)

The New American Academy (TNAA) transforms the fundamental structures of schooling through an innovative K-5 public school model. Developed in collaboration with the NYC Department of Education (NYCDOE), the United Federation of Teachers (UFT), and the Harvard Graduate School of Education (HGSE), TNAA employs collaborative teacher-teams, a mastery-based career ladder, and looping cycles to empower learners and inspire leaders.

OUR SCHOOL

The New American Academy Charter School (TNAACS) empowers learners and inspires leaders to make this a better world. Through our collaborative teacher teams, mastery-based career ladder, and looping cycles, we offer personalized rigorous instruction that enables our students to succeed in high school, college and their future lives. TNAACS is located 9301 Avenue B East Flatbush, Brooklyn.

Qualification and Experience

- ❖ Differentiate curriculum and provide large and small group intervention support for students based on assessment data.
- ❖ Ensuring student IEP goals are being met and collaborate with the Special Education Coordinator to ensure students have goals that accurately reflect the areas for growth noted in assessment data.
- ❖ Engaging in ongoing assessment of student progress using a variety of means, maintaining accurate records, and using assessment data to tailor instruction to individual student needs to increase student performance.
- ❖ Maintaining frequent communication with students, students' families, colleagues, and other school stakeholders.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- ❖ Appropriate New York City License in special education.
- ❖ Strong classroom management skills rooted in positive discipline and responsive classroom practices.
- ❖ Experience working with diverse populations.
- ❖ Eagerness to collaborate with co-teachers.
- ❖ Excellent communication/ interpersonal skills as well as a desire to collaborate with various stakeholders to foster strong school community partnerships.
- ❖ Maturity, humility, strong work ethic, sense of humor, and a can-do attitude.

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How to Apply

Interested applicants may apply by submitting a cover letter, resume and responses to the following essay questions to: lwatkins@thenewamericanacademy.org. In the subject line please indicate position applying. For example, SETSS Teacher TNAACS.

Please see [our website](#) for more information about our school. We thank you for your interest in our school and welcome your application to be part of our team.

Essay Questions: Please respond briefly to the following questions (maximum one page for each question).

1. How do you develop your learning environment to meet the varied social, emotional, and academic needs of your students?
2. Please describe your approach to supporting children with special needs. How do you maintain high expectation while meeting the individual needs of children?

TNAACS offers competitive teacher salaries commensurate with experience, and a comprehensive benefits package. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer and, as a school serving a diverse group of students, we work to reflect this diversity in our staff as well. No phone calls, please.