



# NORTH STAR CHARTER SCHOOL

**Job Title:** Middle School Music Teacher

**Location:** Eagle, ID

**Position Type:** Full-Time / Part Time (may be available)

**Reports to:** Principal

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## **SUMMARY:**

We are seeking a passionate, creative, and dedicated **Middle School Music Teacher** to join our team. The ideal candidate will inspire students to explore music through various performance and non-performance activities, including instrumental and vocal instruction, music theory, and music history. The teacher will help foster a love of music, cultivate students' talents, and promote teamwork and discipline through ensemble-based learning.

## **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Teach general music classes and/or specialized classes such as choir, band, orchestra, or music theory.
  - Develop and implement engaging lesson plans that align with state and national music standards.
  - Teach students to read music, understand music theory, and perform on various instruments (if applicable).
  - Lead student ensembles (band, choir, orchestra) and prepare them for performances and concerts.
  - Foster an inclusive, positive, and supportive classroom environment.
  - Manage classroom behavior and ensure a safe, respectful, and productive learning space.
  - Assess students' progress and provide constructive feedback to students and parents.
  - Organize and oversee school music events, concerts, and recitals.
  - Collaborate with other faculty members and staff to integrate music education into other academic subjects.
  - Maintain accurate records of student attendance, grades, and progress.
  - Participate in school events and activities outside of regular school hours, including concerts, school-wide performances, and parent-teacher meetings.
- Stay current with developments in music education and incorporate new techniques and technologies into the curriculum.



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## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Bachelor's degree in Music Education (or equivalent) from an accredited institution.
- State certification in Music Education (or ability to obtain certification).  
Previous teaching experience at the middle school level is preferred but not required.
- Strong knowledge of music theory, vocal and instrumental techniques, and various musical genres.
- Ability to teach a range of music classes (general music, band, choir, etc.).
- Proficiency in playing one or more instruments (piano, guitar, etc.) is a plus.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Strong organizational and time-management skills.
- Ability to work with a diverse group of students and adapt lessons to different learning styles.
- Passion for inspiring students and fostering their love of music.
- Physical Demands:
  - Ability to lift and move musical instruments and equipment as needed.
  - Ability to stand for extended periods during class, rehearsals, and performances.

## **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

To apply for a teaching position at North Star Charter School, please submit a resume, cover letter, and three professional references to:

Andy Horning, Head of School, [ahorning@northstarcharter.org](mailto:ahorning@northstarcharter.org) and  
Belle Garner, Business Manager, [bgarner@northstarcharter.org](mailto:bgarner@northstarcharter.org)

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until the position is filled.

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