



Middle School Band Director

Montclair Kimberley Academy, an innovative Pre K-12 independent day school with a strong national reputation and a recognized 1:1 laptop learning program, seeks a full-time, experienced Band Director beginning the 2022-2023 school year. Responsibilities include teaching concert bands grades 4-8, jazz band grades 6-8, and general music classes in grades 5 and 8. All faculty at the Middle School co-advise an advisor group of approximately 16 students.

Qualified candidates will meet the following criteria:

- Bachelor of Music or Music Education
- Experience teaching all concert band instruments from beginning level to advanced.
- Experience conducting and rehearsing full concert bands from beginning level to advanced and jazz band at the advanced level.
- 3-5 years teaching experience (preferred)

Candidates should possess:

- Outstanding interpersonal, organizational and communication skills
- The willingness to work as a member of a collaborative team
- Collaborate on curriculum development and recruitment with the Upper School Band Director

As guided by its Strategic Plan, MKA is committed to promoting multicultural education, grounded in ideas of equity, anti-bias education, anti-racism, and social justice. We see multicultural education as a process of inquiry, reflection, and engagement that honors students' narratives, provides a safe environment in which to explore and discuss multiple perspectives, and helps transform students and faculty, school culture and curriculum, community and society, and we seek candidates who share our commitment to this process. We encourage applicants from diverse backgrounds and with diverse perspectives, who can bring their own unique contributions to the MKA community.

Interested candidates should send or email a letter of interest and resume to:

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