

Opportunity Profile



**EASTERN CHRISTIAN
SCHOOL**

Engaging ▾ Nurturing ▾ Transforming

OPPORTUNITY PROFILE
for the position of
ATHLETIC COACH

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Our School



RANKED ONE OF **50** BEST CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOLS IN AMERICA

EASTERN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

ACADEMICS



139
FACULTY AND STAFF



100%
GRADUATION RATE



11:1
STUDENT:TEACHER RATIO



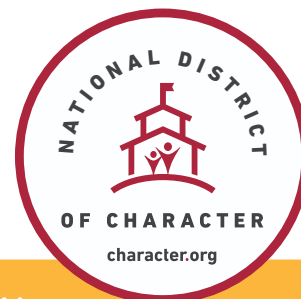
4,000
HOURS OF STUDENT SERVICE ANNUALLY



94%
COLLEGE PLACEMENT



41 COLLEGE CREDITS AVAILABLE



Community

COMMUNITY



1892
YEAR ESTABLISHED



100%
INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

837
STUDENTS



514
FAMILIES



212
CHURCHES REPRESENTED

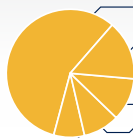


4 COUNTRIES REPRESENTED



99
COMMUNITIES REPRESENTED

STUDENT DIVERSITY



57% WHITE
15% ASIAN
11% HISPANIC or LATINO
9% BLACK
8% MULTIRACIAL

EXTRACURRICULAR



32
ATHLETIC TEAMS GRADES 6-12



20
HIGH SCHOOL CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

Eastern Christian School operates on three suburban campuses in beautiful Bergen and Passaic Counties, New Jersey, less than 25 miles west of New York City. The school's community combines the benefits of well established small towns with thousands of acres of open space and the excitement of living on the threshold of the world's most vibrant and exciting city with its plethora of cultural, artistic, and athletic attractions. Recreational opportunities abound year round, with proximity to New Jersey's over one hundred miles of white sand, Atlantic beaches in the summer and ski resorts within easy reach to the north and west in winter. Eastern Christian's location is ideal for travel throughout the northeast United States and around the world with easy access to Newark, LaGuardia and Kennedy airports, local and long-distance train service, and the interstate highway system.

The Eastern Christian School community represents a wonderfully diverse tapestry of racial, ethnic and worship traditions, befitting a Christian learning community located in one of the most diverse metropolitan areas in the world! Founded in the Reformed theological tradition, the school community now includes approximately 200 different congregations from more than a dozen theological traditions.



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Eastern Christian School Mission Statement

By providing an excellent academic curriculum, offering a variety of extracurricular activities, and assembling a caring, culturally diverse community, we, with support of parents and local churches, empower students from Christian families to develop their gifts within the context of a Reformed Christian worldview so that they can act as Christ's transforming agents in a global society.

Position Description

Position Title	Coach
Department	Eastern Christian School
Contract	Contracted Salaried Position The contract shall state the agreed term, salary and other conditions of employment.
Reports To	Athletic Director
Employment Agreement	It is understood and agreed that the coach is employed for the length of the season as stated in the contract. (Stipend to be paid 50% midseason, 50% at season's end.)
Overall Responsibility	The Coach is responsible for working with their Athletic Director, support staff and colleagues to provide a safe, competitive and enjoyable athletic experience for their team.
Key Tasks & Responsibilities	All EC athletes and coaches are expected to uphold the following six pillars for athletic success <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GLORIFY GOD the most important measure of our success • STRIVE FOR EXCELLENCE exhibit a heart for hard work, passion, enthusiasm and energy • EXEMPLIFY CHRISTIAN CHARACTER God honoring attitude, sportsmanship, lifestyle • RUN THE RACE TO WIN compete at the highest possible level, pursue excellence • COMPETE AS ONE what is best for the team always comes first; unselfish play is the norm • BE COMMITTED show up on time, keep practice time a priority, sacrifice other interests

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Key Tasks & Responsibilities (Continued)

Coaching Expectations

Attributes and Skills

Coaching Responsibilities

- Encourage athletes to keep academics as their top priority
- Maintain fair and consistent standards for team conduct and discipline (and follow through)
- Keep safety your top priority: Follow proper protocol, have emergency contact system in place
- Follow transportation guidelines for games and off site practices
- Care for equipment and facility
- Maintain a professional appearance and demeanor
- Plan a season end team gathering/social to celebrate the season
- Encourage athletes to develop in the off season
- MAKE IT FUN!

Character and Faith

- Lifestyle and behavior serve as a positive Christian role model
- Finds opportunities to share a strong, clear, Christian testimony and life lessons through sports
- Acceptance of EC's Statement of Faith
- A strong philosophical commitment to Christian education and the mission of Eastern Christian School

Relationships

- Works cooperatively and productively with AD, coaches and staff
- A spirit of dedication, commitment, flexibility, and responsiveness to the needs of others
- Builds healthy relationships of mutual respect with players

Knowledge and Ability

- Knows the game/ seeks to grow in understanding and method
- Effectively evaluates/ teaches individual skills and team concepts
- Is a well prepared and capable game manager/strategist

Program Promotion

- Connects with lower grades through clinics/game attendance
- Effectively uses media to benefit program and players
- Retains, develops and attracts EC students to the program

Sportsmanship

- Practice & game conduct reflect Christian maturity & perspective
- Skillfully manages uneven competition with grace and dignity
- Conduct of the team reflects the values and principles of EC

Administrative

- Responds promptly to communication from department
- Completes all necessary paperwork punctually
- Manages equipment, uniforms and facility responsibly

A passion for the game and the ability to teach it.

Good communication skills with people from many different backgrounds.

The ability to treat all people with dignity and respect.

Discretion and ability to maintain confidentiality of all information.

The ability to hold students accountable.

The ability to work effectively with peer colleagues.

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