Job Title: Performing Arts Literature Director

Company: Hawaii Academy of Performing Arts (HAPA)

Location: Kauai

Job Type: After School Program

About Us:

Hawaii Academy of Performing Arts (HAPA) is a distinguished institution dedicated to providing exceptional performing arts education to students from 6th to 12th grade. Our mission is to cultivate creativity, discipline, and excellence in young artists while fostering a profound appreciation for literature within the context of the performing arts.

Position Overview:

HAPA is currently seeking a dynamic and experienced Performing Arts Literature Director to lead our performing arts literature program for students in grades 6 through 12. The Performing Arts Literature Director will be responsible for developing and implementing an annual curriculum, setting levels, conducting monthly meetings with the Programs Director, issuing semester report cards, and providing guidance to high school students for further education or career paths in literature within the context of performing arts.

Responsibilities:

Curriculum Development:

- Develop a comprehensive annual performing arts literature curriculum for students in grades 6 through 12, ensuring alignment with standards and best practices in literature education within the context of performing arts
- Design progressive levels and learning objectives tailored to the diverse needs and abilities of students across different grade levels.

Instruction and Assessment:

- Deliver engaging and effective performing arts literature instruction to students, covering various genres, literary analysis, critical thinking, and writing skills within the context of performing arts.
- Conduct regular assessments to evaluate student progress and provide constructive feedback to facilitate growth and development.
- Collaborate with fellow instructors and staff to integrate performing arts literature education seamlessly with other performing arts disciplines.

Program Management:

- Manage all aspects of the performing arts literature program, including scheduling discussions, readings, performances, and literary events within the context of performing arts.
- Coordinate closely with the Programs Director to ensure alignment of program goals with the overarching mission and vision of the academy.
- Maintain accurate records of student attendance and performance evaluations.

Guidance and Mentorship:

- Provide personalized guidance and mentorship to high school students interested in pursuing further education or careers in literature within the context of performing arts.
- Assist students in identifying and pursuing opportunities for literary contests, publications, scholarships, and college admissions within the context of performing arts.

Professional Development:

- Stay updated on current trends, methodologies, and research in literature education within the context of performing arts through ongoing professional development activities, conferences, and networking opportunities.
- Foster a culture of continuous learning and improvement among the performing arts literature faculty and staff.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Literature, English Education, Performing Arts, or a related field preferred.
- Minimum of 5 years of experience teaching literature at various levels, preferably within a school or academy environment.
- Proficiency in literary analysis, critical thinking, and writing instruction across multiple genres and periods within the context of performing arts.
- Excellent communication, interpersonal, and organizational skills.
- Ability to collaborate effectively with students, parents, colleagues, and administrators in a diverse community.
- Passion for literature education within the context of performing arts and a strong commitment to inspiring and empowering young artists.

Benefits:

- Competitive salary commensurate with experience.
- Opportunities for professional development and career advancement.
- A supportive and collaborative work environment dedicated to excellence in performing arts education.

If you possess the requisite qualifications and are enthusiastic about shaping the next generation of literature enthusiasts and performers within the context of performing arts, we encourage you to apply for the position of Performing Arts Literature Director at Hawaii Academy of Performing Arts (HAPA). Join us in nurturing creativity, critical thinking, and a love for literature within the context of performing arts. Please send your resume to office@ThriveWithMovement.com.