

GORHAM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

TITLE: Athletic Coach - Head

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Valid Maine Department of Education Approval Card (CHRC)
2. Valid Maine Principals Association Coaches Certification
3. Substantial knowledge of the technical aspects of the sport and previous experience as an effective coach in the assigned sport

REPORTS TO: Athletic Director/Principal

JOB GOAL: To instruct athletes in the skills, strategies, and physical conditioning necessary for them to realize a degree of success and promote good sportsmanship and good mental health.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Establishes the fundamental philosophy, skills and techniques to be taught by the staff and oversees the instruction of the technical aspects of the assigned sport.
2. Provides the students with an atmosphere in which each person is treated with respect and the opportunity to improve skill development and promotes a climate conducive to the accumulation of knowledge,
3. Provides the expression of professional attributes, good sportsmanship, and serves as a positive role model for the students.
4. Gives constant attention to the student athletes' grades and conduct.
5. Maintains full responsibility for the overall supervision of the program.
6. Delegates specific duties to assistant coaches, supervises implementation, and at season's end, evaluates staff effectiveness.
7. Maintains a complete inventory of equipment used for the sport and assumes responsibility for the general upkeep and protection of that equipment.
8. Submits all required end-of-season reports/data to the Athletic Director.

WORK YEAR: Active sports season. Salary and benefits to be established by the School Committee.

EVALUATION: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the School Committee's policy on evaluation.

NOTE: The above job description reflects the general requirements necessary to describe the principle functions or responsibilities of the job identified and shall not be interpreted as a detailed description of all work requirements that may be inherent in the job, either at present or in the future.