

# **School Psychologist Position**

## **Overview:**

Cristo Rey Philadelphia High School, a college preparatory, Catholic school for students of all faiths, nurtures and challenges young people to recognize and realize their full potential as they learn to love others, grow in their faiths, and serve the common good.

Each student participates in the Corporate Work Study Program (CWSP), which offers a weekly work study experience for all four years.

Cristo Rey Philadelphia High School is seeking dedicated, intellectually curious and mission-driven educators who are open to growth and desire to be part of our committed community. As part of the faculty, they will have an opportunity to continue to develop one of Philadelphia's most promising educational options for young men and women. Candidates should have an appreciation of the school's mission and a commitment to the values of Catholic education. Click here for more information about CRPHS.

#### Anticipated Start Date: August 2021

## **School Psychologist Description**

The School Psychologist at Cristo Rey works within the Counseling Department and collaborates closely with the School Counselors, School Social Worker, Director of Academic Resources & Support, and the administrative team. The School Psychologist reports directly to the Principal.

## Roles & Responsibilities

- Maintaining an active counseling caseload and providing ongoing counseling support to students seeking social-emotional intervention
- Responding to student crisis situations, including but not limited to suicidal ideation, self-harm, and abuse
- Collaborating with the Director of Academic Resources and Support in the implementation and monitoring of the Academic Support Program, which addresses students' academic needs through small group lessons and individual executive functioning coaching sessions
- Coordinating with families and teachers to develop Student Support Plans (504 Plans) to address students' individual needs and provide them with the appropriate accommodations, supports, and services
- Collaborate with Academic Data Manager on school-wide data using a Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) for data-based decision making

- Sharing and communicating data to key stakeholders, including but not limited to administrators, teachers, support staff, and families
- Consulting with teachers to help them provide necessary supports and accommodations within their classrooms
- Collaborate with a multidisciplinary team of administrators, and student support staff--who use school-wide student data to make data-based decisions regarding school policy and interventions
- Teaching social-emotional class lessons to in a weekly counseling class
- Partnering with colleagues across the Cristo Rey Network to share intervention strategies to promote student success and increase retention
- Supervising school psychology and counseling practicum students and interns
- Engaging in family outreach to notify families about students' progress, needs, and successes
- Assessing intervention effectiveness through regular program evaluation efforts
- Engaging in ongoing professional development, through Cristo Rey's faculty and staff meetings as well as external trainings related specifically to the training needs of School Psychologists
- Participating in other roles related to being a part of the school community, including attending campus ministry retreats, supporting work study initiatives, and leading student clubs

## **Qualifications**

- Master's, Specialist (Ed.S), or Doctoral degree in School Psychology
- PA Certification in School Psychology
- PA License in Psychology preferred

#### **Compensation**

• Full time, 10 month position with competitive salary and benefits.

## **Application Process**

To apply for the Cristo Rey School Psychologist position, please send the following documents in an email to jointheteam@crphs.org:

- Resume or CV
- Cover letter expressing interest in this position
- Three references including name, title, relationship to applicant, phone number, and email address of each