

## ISLAMIC FOUNDATION • OUTSTANDING EDUCATION • CONFIDENCE & SOCIAL SKILLS

## Az-Zahraa Islamic Academy is seeking applications for a Full-time Elementary Teacher

The Az-Zahraa Islamic Academy (AZIA) is an independent Junior Kindergarten – Grade 7 school that is inspired by the doctrines and values of the Islamic faith and offers a broad and balanced program that is in line with BC's redesigned curriculum. AZIA aims to provide our growing community with (i) a solid foundation of Islamic values, nurturing and strengthening the faith of our youngsters in thought and practice, (ii) an outstanding educational experience, and (iii) the skills to confidently and effectively interact in society.

With a commitment to nurture strong individuals and members of society, AZIA aims to instill Islamic wisdom, thinking and practices within its students, manifested in meaningful pursuit of spiritual, intellectual, artistic, technological, athletic and service endeavours. AZIA ensures that each student feels known and is challenged. The focus is on empowering students to become courageous, compassionate, powerful thinkers and leaders, and aware of the impact they can have on their community and beyond. There is an atmosphere of respect, caring and support to encourage independence, resiliency, mindfulness and innovative thinking for all ages. We are inviting applications from caring individuals who are sensitive to the needs of children and who desire to be part of an enthusiastic team.

## Required qualifications include:

- BC Professional Teacher Certification from the BC Teacher Regulation Office
- Knowledge of pedagogy including instructional strategies, theory of teaching literacy/numeracy, and child development is essential.
- Knowledge of current curriculum trends including teaching early reading and numeracy
- Interest in taking on extra-curricular activities.
- Desire to work collaboratively with an energetic and enthusiastic team.
- Experience with ESL / struggling students is an asset.
- Background in Islam is an asset.

Resumes and supporting documents should be sent to pcohee@azia.ca or mailed to:

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