



## Art Teacher – Mid-Year Hire

February 2023 Start  
Part Time

Clapham School is seeking an art teacher to teach 1st-12<sup>th</sup> grades, beginning in February 2023. Clapham School's mission is to "inspire students with an education founded on a Christian worldview, informed by the classical tradition, and approached with diligence and joy." Therefore, candidates must be willing to teach in a way that is inspiring, genuinely Christian, and distinctly classical. Classroom instruction should guide students in an approach to work characterized by joyful discovery and diligent attention to the learning at hand.

The strongest candidates will have:

- A bachelor's or master's degree in elementary education or from a liberal arts college
- General understanding of child development and a demonstrated desire to engage with children
- Background experience with art education and Charlotte Mason's philosophy of education
- Familiarity with Mona Brooks's and Betty Edwards's methods for art education.
- Possess a working knowledge of art history, particularly of Western art
- Experience with various art media (including graphite, markers, ink, watercolor, acrylics, oils, papercrafts, scratchboard, plaster of Paris, and water-based clays)
- Maintain an inventory of art supplies
- Eagerness to contribute to aspects of school life and student culture with a spirit of service and a dedication to discipleship
- Create rotating displays of student art
- Ability to interact professionally and cooperatively with parents and members of the school community
- A commitment to learning the school's unique philosophy of education and applying it to classroom instruction and atmosphere.
- Manage and organize the art studio space (shared with a science lab) to create and store art by students
- Demonstrated Christian maturity and involvement in a local church

To read more about our school and philosophy of education, please see our website ([www.claphamschool.org](http://www.claphamschool.org)).

Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to the Head of School, Kolby Atchison at [KAtchison@claphamschool.org](mailto:KAtchison@claphamschool.org).