## POSITION DESCRIPTION

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| **Position Title:** | Physical Education Teacher | **Agreed by employee:** |  |
| **Business Unit:** |  | **Approved by immediate manager:** |  |
| **Strategic Business Unit:** | Twin Countries STREAM Academy | **Approved by MHR:** |  |
| **Location:** |  | **Position Band:** |  |
| **Reports to:** | Director | **Date Prepared:** |  |
| **Direct Reports:** | CEO | **Evaluation Date:** |  |

## JOB PURPOSE

As the Physical Education Teacher at Twin Countries STREAM Academy, you will play a crucial role in fostering the physical and mental well-being of students. This position demands a dynamic and innovative educator with a passion for promoting health, fitness, and teamwork. If you are ready to inspire students through engaging physical education programs that integrate STREAM principles, we invite you to be a part of our mission of excellence in STREAM education.

## KEY FUNCTIONS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

**General Responsibilities**

1. **Physical Education Curriculum Development:**
   * Develop and implement a comprehensive physical education curriculum that aligns with STREAM principles.
   * Integrate science, technology, engineering, arts, and math concepts into physical education activities.
2. **Innovative Teaching Techniques:**
   * Utilize creative and innovative teaching techniques to make physical education engaging and enjoyable for students.
   * Incorporate technology tools and resources to enhance learning experiences.
3. **Health and Fitness Instruction:**
   * Teach students fundamental movement skills, fitness concepts, and the importance of a healthy lifestyle.
   * Plan and conduct fitness assessments to track student progress.
4. **Sports and Recreation Programs:**
   * Organize and supervise sports and recreation programs, intramural activities, and school-wide events.
   * Foster a positive and inclusive environment that encourages student participation.
5. **Teamwork and Leadership Development:**
   * Incorporate teamwork and leadership development activities into physical education lessons.
   * Provide opportunities for students to collaborate, communicate, and problem-solve.
6. **Safety and First Aid:**
   * Ensure the safety of students during physical education activities.
   * Provide basic first aid when necessary and follow safety protocols.
7. **Equipment and Facility Management:**
   * Coordinate with relevant staff to ensure a safe and well-equipped physical education environment.
8. **Parent and Community Engagement:**
   * Communicate with parents about the importance of physical education and the benefits of an active lifestyle.
   * Organize events that showcase students' physical education achievements.
9. **Professional Development:**
   * Stay current with trends and best practices in physical education, STREAM education, and health and wellness.
   * Participate in professional development opportunities to enhance teaching skills.

**Knowledge and Skills Required**

1. **Teaching Certification:**
   * Valid teaching certification for Physical Education.
   * Additional certifications in health education or related areas are advantageous.
2. **Teaching Experience:**
   * Proven experience as a Physical Education Teacher, preferably in a K-8 educational setting.
   * Familiarity with STREAM education principles.
3. **Interpersonal Skills:**
   * Strong interpersonal and communication skills to engage with students, parents, and colleagues.
   * Ability to create a positive and inclusive learning environment.
4. **Adaptability:**
   * Flexibility and adaptability to adjust teaching methods based on students' needs and learning styles.
   * Openness to incorporating new technologies and teaching strategies.
5. **Passion for Health and Wellness:**
   * Genuine passion for promoting health, fitness, and overall well-being among students.

**Qualifications**

* + **Bachelor's or Master's degree in Physical Education or a related field.**