Information Literacy and Library Specialist

Browne Academy, located in Alexandria, Virginia, is a diverse coeducational independent school enrolling students age three through grade eight. Founded in 1941, Browne Academy inspires and empowers students through extraordinary academics to be life long learners prepared to thrive in a dynamic global community. Small class sizes, strong parent partnerships, and an administration that encourages creativity, innovation, and professional development, create an environment where teachers can excel at their craft.

Browne Academy seeks an Information Literacy and Library Specialist who is able to create an environment that is conducive to active and participatory research based learning for our students. This specialist will work closely with faculty in designing and facilitating engaging inquiry based learning experiences that support all disciplines. Responsibilities include maintaining the library collection, and systematically teaching information literacy, research, and library skills to support a program which values research, presentation, critical thinking and problem solving.

The successful candidate will have a Bachelor's degree in a related area and teaching experience is preferred. He/she must have an open mindset and vision for 21st century libraries and firsthand knowledge of physical, technological and digital resources to support teaching and learning. Other qualities include a caring demeanor, flexibility and a strong work ethic.

We are eager to hire someone who will be an active participant in the Browne community and will live the mission and core values of our school every day.

To learn more about Browne Academy, please visit our website at browneacademy.org.

To apply, send your resume, cover letter, and three professional references to the Lower School Head, Bonita Lea, at <u>blea@browneacademy.org</u>. No phone calls please.

Diversity Statement

Browne Academy is strongly committed to equal opportunity for all its employees. Browne Academy does not discriminate in employment opportunities or practices on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, veteran's status, sexual orientation or any other characteristic protected by law. Browne Academy actively seeks diverse candidates for employment.