



EXCELLING

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JUPITER CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

EXCELLING TODAY, SHAPING TOMORROW

OVERVIEW

Jupiter Christian School was founded in 1963 and is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI) and the Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI). JCS offers a Christ-centered, liberal arts curriculum marked by academic excellence, innovation, and creativity from preschool through 12th grade. We assist our 845 students in developing the knowledge and abilities that characterize critical thinking and a love for life-long learning. Our mission is excellence in teaching the mind, reaching the heart, and inspiring servant leaders to impact the world for Jesus Christ.

In response to the need for solid education from a Christian perspective, Jupiter Christian School opened in September of 1963. The schools' founding families were committed to create a school where the word of God would inform the things that students learn. Classes were originally held in the educational building at Grace Immanuel Bible Church. In July of 1966, construction began on Delaware Boulevard on land donated in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Pennock, Sr. The original buildings served the school well until September 5, 2004 when Hurricanes Frances and Jeanne hit the school and severely damaged the elementary building. In the fall of 2006, the new state-of-the-art, two-story, 51,000 sq. ft. facility was built and additional features have been added over the years, such as science and technology labs, wireless network system, multimedia classrooms, and multiple conference rooms. A new athletic field was completed in September of 2015.

The opening of the JCS East Campus in August 2018 was a historic moment in the life of JCS. A leader in educational innovation, our Premier East Campus is located on Indiantown Road just 1 mile from our West Campus (Delaware Blvd). The JCS East Campus serves 2 year-olds through First Grade and includes six buildings, a covered Pavilion and play area, multiple playgrounds, a small soccer field and basketball court. The campus covers 2.86 acres and includes over 18,000 sq. ft. of classroom and office space to accommodate over 300 students.

Today, Jupiter Christian School continues to flourish as a school with an enrollment of over 840 students ages 2 through 12th grade. Although many things have changed over the years, one constant remains throughout the decades. Our mission to honor God by teaching the mind and reaching the heart of our students will forever be the foundation of Jupiter Christian School.

Jupiter Christian School is a member of the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA).

Jupiter Christian's athletic program includes basketball, baseball, cheerleading, cross-country, football, golf, lacrosse, soccer, softball, tennis, track & field, volleyball, swimming and wrestling. Additional opportunities for involvement include community service, missions, theatre, art, music, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, National Honor Society, National Art Honors Society, Tri-M Music Honors Society, and Student Government Association.

Situated in Florida's beautiful Palm Beach County just north of Miami, Jupiter is a stunning town with picture-perfect beaches and an elevated lifestyle. Jupiter is home to innovative restaurants, unique retailers, gorgeous golf courses and exciting water sports. Jupiter was ranked #9 of the list of "America's Happiest Seaside Towns" by Coastal Living magazine.

JCS ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

DEVELOPING CHRISTIAN CHARACTER THROUGH THE PURSUIT OF COMPETITIVE EXCELLENCE

▶ THE OPPORTUNITY

Through visionary, strategic leadership and collaborative, servant leadership the school community has been energized around a common mission and vision. Through the collective efforts of our leadership team, JCS enrollment has increased from 600 students PK3-12 in 2016 to 845 students PK2-12 in 2018 (over a 35% increase). We have successfully implemented and completed a strategic plan resulting in academic and co-curricular excellence. Donor support for the school has increased, enabling several capital projects including a \$400K gym renovation, the 20-year lease of contiguous property to house the Global Education and Business Services Center, and the historic acquisition of a second campus, including 2.86 acres and 18,000 sq. ft. of classroom space to hold PK2-First Grade programs.

The next Athletic Director will have the unique challenge of developing strategic plans in athletic excellence, sports ministry, community partnerships, and finance. The Athletic Director is the chief administrative officer of Athletics, reports to the President, and is a member of the Senior Leadership Team. The Athletic Director provides vision and direction for athletic programming (PK2-12), discipleship, coaches, athletes, and students, and oversight of budgeting and policies. The Athletic Director serves as a key link to community partners and will work to cultivate strategic opportunities for JCS in the community. The Athletic Director will assist the President and Chief Advancement Officer in donor relations and fundraising within the community.

▶ DESIRED PROFILE OF THE NEXT JCS ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Qualifications

Desired Profile of Jupiter Christian School Athletic Director

MA in Sports Management, Sports Coaching, Sport Science, Educational Leadership, or other related field
C.A.A or C.M.A.A. (Certified Master Athletic Administrator) Certification preferred

Proven Christian visionary, communicator and servant-leader

Mature Christian

Active membership and involvement in a local church in agreement with JCS statement of faith

A positive Christian role model with a heart for discipleship & ministry

Addresses personal & professional issues according to the Matt. 18:15-17 conflict resolution principles

Athletic Champion

Experience as a coach

Promotes and models professional development for faculty, coaches, staff, athletes & parents

Progressively significant experience in Christian education is preferred
A passion for excellence in athletics with a clear biblical worldview
Articulate vision for a comprehensive athletic program (PK2-12) – club and intramurals through Varsity level

Exceptional Communication Skills

Ability to articulate the school's mission and vision with a variety of constituencies
Leads the school to become visible to the greater community
Experience in identifying, developing, and maintaining community partners
Ability to effectively resolve conflict

Experience in Sports Management and Sports Ministry

Proven ability to administrate athletic department
Experience in sports ministry, both locally and internationally
Fiscally competent and proven budget management
Proven ability to provide leadership for funding initiatives
Proven ability to provide leadership for multiple organizations in partnership with a school

Strategic Servant Leader

Warm & engaging personality skilled in working with diverse populations
Collaborative leader that effectively builds teams and values the gifts and abilities of others
Experience in developing and implementing strategic plans

Review of applications will begin immediately with preference given to those received by January 16, 2019 and will continue until the position is filled.

Send cover letter and resume to Ivette Kaye at ikaye@jupiterchristian.org.

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