

Christ the King Jesuit College Prep

Position: Girls Varsity Basketball Head Coach

Reports to: Athletic Director

Start Date: November 2018 – (2018/2019 season)

Requirements: Illinois state teaching license or coaching certification through the American Sports Education Program
Knowledge of the sport of basketball and the ability to communicate effectively to student-athletes
Maintain current certification in CPR/Emergency Cardiac Care

School Description:

Christ the King Jesuit College Preparatory School, which opened its doors to its first freshman class in the fall of 2008, is a Catholic Jesuit secondary school (grades 9-12) serving families and students in the Austin neighborhood and surrounding communities of Chicago's Westside. As a school, Christ the King Jesuit College Prep is unique in that it calls all members of its community—students, parents, teachers, staff and administrators—to work toward a common mission and vision. In a school culture of peace and excellence, Christ the King provides an educational opportunity that can transform students, families and the larger community. Through academics, activities and leadership opportunities, athletics, campus ministry, service and work, Christ the King students will thrive and grow in an environment that provides the uniquely [Jesuit](#) fundamental of *Cura Personalis* – care of the whole person. Christ the King Jesuit is also a “Cristo Rey” school, relying on a unique and innovative corporate internship program in which students from families of limited financial means earn up to three-quarters of their tuition costs through jobs in professional settings. The Corporate Work Study Program is a unique feature of the Cristo Rey model. The school includes a subsidiary employment agency, which trains all students for entry-level clerical employment, hires them, and markets their services to local corporate clients. Typically, four students share one full-time position from Labor Day through June. The fees for the students' services are assigned directly to the school to pay a significant portion of the cost of education.

Summary: This position is responsible for coaching and providing direction to student-athletes so that they can develop the skills, attitude, and disposition in order to become a successful basketball player. Inherent in this job are the skills necessary to develop disciplined athletes, effective teamwork, and good sportsmanship.

1. Instructs and demonstrates skill sets and techniques necessary for individual and team achievement in basketball.
2. Submits weekly practice plans for all practices and use those plans to develop the skill set of the athlete.
3. Creates practice and game schedules in conjunction with the Athletic Director (AD) and communicates said schedule to the athletes.
4. Ensures the proper cleaning, storage, and maintenance of all athletic equipment, uniforms, and locker assignments, and updates inventories before and after the season.
5. Travels with athletes on the team bus both to and from games.
6. Secures athletic office, weight room, locker room, and gymnasium at the conclusion of all home contests, and stays with athletes at the conclusion of all games and practices until parents have picked them up.
7. Makes recommendations regarding the purchase of equipment, uniforms, and supplies.
8. Reviews weekly eligibility list to ensure that all student-athletes are academically eligible
9. Ensures all athletes are in the appropriate physical condition from the beginning to the end of the season.
10. Models and instills the values of sportsmanship and fair play to all athletes, and enforces consequences for breach of such standards.
11. Maintains a safe environment and facilities for all athletes at all times.
12. Submits athlete rosters to the AD and principal within one week before the start of the first game, and follows up with any subsequent changes made to the roster.
13. Assign duties to all assistant coaches under purview.
14. Stays up to date with all required paperwork and records, including completing injury reports for athletes within 24 hours of the injury, monthly Virtus training, and IHSA requirements.
15. Follows and maintains knowledge of all school policies and procedures.
16. Represents the school in a professional manner in any interactions with students, parents, faculty, and shareholders.
17. Other duties as assigned by AD

Interested candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, salary history and 3 – 5 professional references to jbajner@ctkjesuit.org. No phone calls please.