



## Boys' Latin of Philadelphia

Boys' Latin of Philadelphia, a college preparatory school, is dedicated to serving boys who live in the City of Philadelphia. We are committed to fostering our students' success through college graduation, and that begins with a strong academic foundation. Boys' Latin offers students a rigorous classical education using contemporary pedagogy that prepares them for college matriculation and sets high standards for achievement, character development, and emotional intelligence. Furthermore, we emphasize the value of brotherhood. The school nurtures a community of young men who value academic success, hard work, and the development of their intellectual, moral, social, creative, and athletic potential. Boys' Latin is a school where young men prepare to become leaders through challenging coursework within a supportive environment. Our curriculum blends liberal arts, classical studies, and state-of-the-art technology as we cultivate world citizens for the twenty-first century. We believe that through courage, curiosity, compassion, integrity, and perseverance, our students will embrace our mantra that *Every Man is the Architect of His Own Fortune*.

### **Job Title: Middle School Latin Teacher, Full-Time**

**Compensation Competitive with Local School Districts**

#### **Position Overview**

Boys' Latin Middle School seeks a Latin teacher to focus intensively on developing students with a strong basis in the Latin language. The BLMS Latin teacher will stress rigor through text selection and cross-curricular connections. This teacher will provide students with instruction that focuses on the Latin language, as well as its related cultures and its modern uses.

Duties include:

- Revising and further developing curriculum that is aligned with foreign language standards.
- Creating and implementing academically rigorous lessons and assessments.
- Assessing individual student's progress and learning needs.
- Demonstrating relentless focus on helping students achieve.
- Using data to drive instruction, remediation, and enrichment.
- Supporting general education and special education students in achieving academic success and character growth.
- Creating a classroom environment that is safe and conducive to student learning.
- Helping shape and develop a school-wide atmosphere that best suits the needs of students, teachers, and families.
- Communicating students' progress toward realizing academic goals with families on a regular basis.
- Increasing student growth and achievement in reading, writing, and thinking critically.
- Meeting desired student learning objectives on school-based and state assessments.

#### **Competencies**

- Unwavering commitment to the mission, students, families, and community of Boys' Latin and to the belief that all students can learn
- Strong desire to teach an academically intense curriculum
- Commitment to an extended school day
- Desire to continuously learn and increase effectiveness as a teacher and professional
- High level of receptivity to feedback to increase effectiveness
- Willingness to be flexible and go above and beyond to meet the needs of Boys' Latin students
- Respect and humility towards all members of the Boys' Latin community
- Strong content knowledge
- Well-structured organizational system that promotes a well-designed plan for instruction
- Ability to influence and motivate students by instilling a sense of urgency
- Strong communication skills and an ability to work collaboratively
- Mindset that embraces the joy of teaching
- PA State certification

**Interested candidates should submit a completed resume and letter of interest:**

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