

Reading Specialist

Name of School: St. Michael Catholic School

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St. Michael Catholic School is seeking a dynamic Catholic, ready to embrace our mission of “Living for Christ and Learning for Life” as a full-time reading specialist! Candidates must be student-centered, have high expectations, and possess an enthusiastic approach to working with exceptional learners and their families. Strong communication skills, both written and oral, are essential.

Qualifications:

Practicing Roman Catholic, MN teaching license preferred, experience preferred in Orton-Gillingham approach or willingness to be trained.

The ideal candidate will have:

- Dedication to the mission of Catholic Education
- Strong faith-based value system
- Holds a Minnesota teaching license or in process of obtaining (elementary, middle school)
- Willingness to collaborate in planning instruction and making data-driven decisions
- Experience with special education, IEPs, 504 Plans
- Love of children and acceptance of *all* students in our Catholic school
- Flexible, adaptable to change
- Strong structured literacy background with a focus on the Orton-Gillingham approach to teaching reading
- Strong communication skills, works well with others (teaming with teachers, guiding paraprofessionals) and partnering with parents
- Knowledge of Dibels, aimswebPlus testing
- Creative, thinks “out of the box”, looks for possibilities, and willing to dream big with the ultimate goal of student success
- Independent learner and self-starter, willing to take on tasks without step-by-step instruction

Application Instructions/Comments

Email letter of interest, resume, license & credentials, along with 3 letters of recommendation to lzipp@stm Catholicschool.org. Attn: Lisa Zipp

Deadline: Do not delay in applying.

Work Commitment: Full-time.

Fully accredited through MNSAA, St. Michael Catholic School is a K-8 school with a vibrant preschool program, located 35 miles northwest of the Twin Cities. Student enrollment is 450 PreK-8. Our 20 classroom teachers work closely with full-time specialists in physical, music, technology, and Spanish. We aspire to model our mission of "Living for Christ and Learning for Life", each and every day.