



## **Job Posting**

**Position Title:** Science Curriculum Coordinator

**Reports To:** Christina Fox

### **Location:**

Tennessee Department of Education  
710 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243

### **Position Description:**

The Science Curriculum Coordinator is charged with coordinating the content components of the Tennessee State Standards in K-12 science. This person will be responsible for ambitious goals for improvement in student achievement on the ACT and State level assessments in science and developing a bold strategy to support the course structure and educator resources in grades K-12 as well as the bridge to post-secondary opportunities. The Science Curriculum Coordinator will work with a group of leading educators from across the state and country to ensure deep state understanding of the expectations of the Tennessee State Standards in K-12 science and inform all aspects of content support (including assessment design, standards support, and instructional materials).

### **Specific Position Responsibilities:**

- Coordinate and support the development and dissemination of high-quality resources and training content for science
- Help shape the agenda for state-wide and local trainings to support continuous improvement of science instruction
- Work with COREs across the state to support the sharing of best practice



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- Work closely across divisions to support the bridge to post-secondary and underserved and special populations
- Support LEAs in the selection of science textbooks and other curricular resources
- Collaborate and weigh in on review of state academic standards
- Collaborate and weigh in on assessment design (including blueprint design, item specs, and item and form review)

### **Qualifications:**

- A degree in biology or chemistry is preferred; An advanced degree is preferred
- A track record of dramatically improving student achievement in science
- Evidence of continuous improvement and ongoing learning orientation. Desire to work with educators from across the state and country to deepen perspective of effective instruction. We are looking for someone who will coordinate state-wide learning in science
- Strong written and verbal communication skills and a demonstrated ability to communicate complex matters with educators in a clear and empowering manner. Experience working with diverse teams successfully.
- Strong organization skills and track record of managing projects to meet deadlines and achieve milestones over time

### **Successful candidate will exhibit the following:**

- Excellence
- Optimism
- Sound Judgment
- Courage
- Teamwork



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#### **Salary and Benefits:**

Salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. In addition, a [comprehensive benefits package](#) is included.

#### **To Apply:**

Please e-mail a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three professional references to [Christina.Fox@tn.gov](mailto:Christina.Fox@tn.gov).

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