



## **Glen Lake Community Schools Instrumental Music Instructor - Job Description**

The Glen Lake Instrumental Music Instructor will be responsible for continuing to build a world-class instrumental program in a way that reflects our school culture and mission of “Growing Learners - Graduating Leaders.” The instructor will be highly motivated and possess charisma, enthusiasm, and a passion for music education. Glen Lake is dedicated to a program that encompasses all aspects of instrumental music including marching band, concert band, small ensembles, individualized instrument instruction, music performance, and other appropriate courses or experiences to inspire students to participate in the program. They will, in collaboration with the performing arts coordinator, coordinate extra-curricular music experiences that should support classroom instruction and provide opportunities for students to excel in authentic settings. The candidate will communicate high expectations for students and will support them in learning and internalizing what it means to be a proud, respectful Laker and citizen dedicated to a life-long love of music and music performance.

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### **Details:**

Location: Glen Lake Secondary Campus  
Reports to: Building Principal  
Pay Rate: Competitive salary, full benefits, and stipends depending on extra-curricular activities, can be found in the GLFT [Master Agreement](#).  
Start Date: August 2024

### **Qualifications:**

- Bachelor’s Degree in instrumental music or comparable: Required
- Valid Michigan Teaching Certificate in K-12 music education (JX or JQ endorsement): Required
- Successful secondary teaching experience
- Successful instrumental experience as a performer in a solo or ensemble capacity
- Confident and eager collaborator
- Empathetic and student-centered
- Love of teaching and learning from secondary school students

### **Required Skills:**

- Dynamic and charismatic personality with ability to inspire, recruit, and develop musicians
- Ability to maintain and grow program vision and expectations
- Ability to provide performance requirements and provide opportunities for participation in extra-curricular events such as concerts, football games, pep rallies, parades, etc...
- Organized, detail oriented, and self-directed

- Demonstrate initiative in similar capacity
- Professional written and verbal communication skills with school personnel, students, parents, and community
- Ability to interact with a variety of audiences and individuals and build community

**Duties:**

1. Oversee and aspire to a world-class secondary instrumental music program
2. Teach music classes and direct various ensembles
3. Recruit and inspire student musicians
4. Develop music curriculum that adheres to state standards, and best and innovative practices
5. Develop and teach course offerings for a variety of music interests
6. Collaborate with K-12 vocal music and theatre department instructors to a world-class Fine Arts Program
7. Oversee an artist-in-residence component to the program
8. Manage and build music library and an instrument inventory to support a variety of courses
9. Manage an instrumental music budget
10. Coordinate summer and extra-curricular opportunities for music learning and performance
11. Fulfill all staff required duties and meet school expectations of a professional teacher
12. Build a network of local, regional, and state instrumental music instructors to support professional growth and learning and to highlight the Glen Lake instrumental program

**Application Deadline:**

April 2, 2024.

**Application Procedure:**

Please submit a letter of interest, resume, letters of recommendation, transcripts, and other relevant application materials to:

Glen Lake Community Schools  
 Attn: Jennifer Fosmore  
 3375 W Burdickville Rd  
 Maple City, MI 49664  
 Email: fosmorej@mylakers.org

And any questions you may direct to Rob Stow , Performing Arts Coordinator:  
 stowr@mylakers.org

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