



**The American International School of Bucharest
seeks a passionate elementary homeroom teacher to inspire our students.**

At AISB, we are engaged in a fascinating conversation about how we prepare our students for what is a fast-changing world. We want to attract forward-thinking professionals to our faculty who have the human skills to really engage and inspire our students. We are interested as much in who you are - what motivates you; what life experience you will bring with you, and what you think really matters in education. We are an educational community that wants to talk about ideas and work together to prioritise what we believe in. In this spirit, we seek professionals who actively collaborate with colleagues and who are willing to try fresh approaches to teaching and learning.

KEY ATTRIBUTES

You love all aspects of learning ... inquiry, agency, literacy, numeracy, transdisciplinary learning, design, collaboration, etc. You want to work in a team of dedicated professionals that are committed to the success of our students. You love to work in an environment where we value our differences and see those differences as opportunities to engage with each other on what we have in common.

You have a strong theoretical and practical understanding of conceptual and inquiry based teaching and learning. You are keen to challenge the status quo of teaching models in schools. You know that students are capable of directing their learning. You thrive on enabling students to take action. The ideal homeroom teacher will have spent several years fostering students' ability to skillfully become independent, thoughtful and intentional learners.

You have developed and innovated with the curriculum in accordance with an inquiry-based program like the IB.

You will also have demonstrated high levels of involvement with students beyond the classroom. You would happily facilitate any number of co-curricular learning engagements. You can easily showcase your students learning through the use of varied media.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Our Mission, should you choose to accept it, is to:

- Engage** We are **involved** in student activities; and models behaviors and attitudes in line with AISB Community Agreements. (Principled, Caring and Responsible)
- Inspire** We are **active** participants in education. We **support** rigorous student learning and achievement through cooperative effort and best practices; support and promote the Grade 1 to 5 curriculum based upon the IB goals and mission.

Prepare

We are **organized**, detail-oriented and clearly and effectively communicate with all stakeholders. We are **reflective** when incorporating current research and best practices in decision-making and and build capacity in all members of the community.

KEY QUALIFICATIONS

Candidates for this position will be highly qualified educators. Characteristics of the ideal person for this position would include:

- A current teaching certificate
- A minimum of five years teaching, with international experience
- Excellent interpersonal skills with the ability and desire to work collaboratively with the school community
- Highly organized with excellent communication skills in English (oral and written)
- Experience with the IB PYP is preferred
- Ability to effectively integrate technology
- Highly collaborative

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT & CONTRACT

This position receives a highly competitive, tax-free salary and comprehensive benefits package; the initial appointment will be for a two-year period, to be renewed annually thereafter.

APPLICATION

All applicants should submit a letter of application specifically related to collaboration, addressed to the HR Manager, Roxana Lungu, a current résumé, three confidential referees on our [school online job application form](#). Your resume should include links that showcase your music program - we understand that this might need to be password protected. The school reserves the right to appoint an applicant at any stage if a highly qualified person applies before the due date.



The School

AISB was founded in 1962 by the US Embassy to serve the educational needs of the American and international expatriate community. As the school has grown, many local Romanian families have become part of the school community together with expatriate families from government, business, and social welfare organizations. AISB is governed by a Board of Trustees, most of whom are parents or have been parents of the school. We are known for our

