



TEACHER ASSISTANT - FULL TIME & PART TIME

Al Fatih Academy (AFA) seeks teacher assistants for the current school year and future years. AFA is a Muslim independent school serving preschool through Grade 8 with approximately 230 students in Reston, VA. AFA is dual-accredited by Cognia & CISNA and is an accreditation candidate with the Virginia Association of Independent Schools.

Teacher assistants at Al Fatih Academy may teach alongside another teacher in the homeroom and will help in the management of the classroom. As needed, teacher assistants may support multiple classrooms or substitute for another teacher as required. Teacher assistants are expected to:

- Prepare lesson materials, bulletin board displays, exhibits, equipment, and demonstrations.
- Present subject matter to students under the direction and guidance of teachers using activities, discussions, or supervised role-playing methods.
- Maintains a positive, calm attitude and a soft voice, and encourages this attitude and voice in others working in the classroom.
- Maintains a cooperative attitude, working together with the teacher, volunteers, parents, and program specialists to plan and implement activities.
- Reinforce classroom routines and [Responsive Classroom](#) strategies.

Candidates should be committed to developing their knowledge and skills as a teacher under the supervision of a primary classroom teacher and exhibit excellent oral and written communication skills, sound judgment, and a commitment to the mission of Al Fatih Academy.

Interested candidates should complete the [Interest in Employment at Al Fatih Academy form](#).

Successful candidates must complete a required background check.

AFA is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to the principle of equal employment opportunity for all and providing employees with a work environment free of discrimination and harassment. All employment decisions at AFA are based on school needs, job requirements and individual qualifications, without regard to race, color, religion or belief, family or parental status, or any other status protected by the laws or regulations of the United States. AFA will not tolerate discrimination or harassment based on any of these characteristics. AFA encourages applicants of all ages.

Our mission is to cultivate and nurture a thriving American Muslim identity that balances religious, academic, and cultural knowledge, emphasizing the importance of civic involvement and charitable work. Through an interdisciplinary and integrated programming approach, we unite students, teachers, families, and the community to provide an exceptional learning experience.

AFA Core Values: Be Intentional & Mindful | Build Community | Uphold Excellent Character | Create Serenity & Peace | Transform Knowledge into Action | Practice Stewardship & Service