



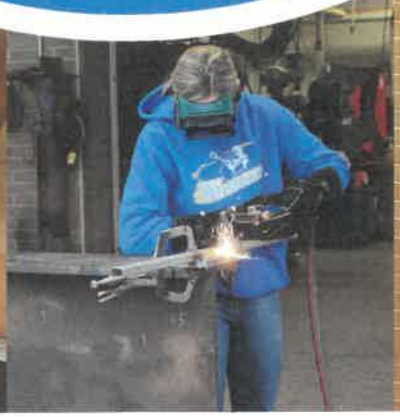
Mio-AuSable Schools

OPPORTUNITY PROFILE

Secondary Science Teacher











Are *you* passionate about making a difference in the lives of students while immersing yourself in a close-knit community nestled along the banks of the breathtaking AuSable River? Look no further! Mio-AuSable Schools is seeking dedicated educators and staff to join our family in beautiful northern Michigan.

Here at Mio-AuSable, we pride ourselves on our tight-knit community where everyone knows your name. Our picturesque location alongside the AuSable River offers endless opportunities for outdoor adventures, from kayaking and fishing to hiking and camping, making it an ideal place to live and work for outdoor enthusiasts.

Joining our team means becoming part of a district committed to excellence and growth. Our strategic plan focuses on fostering a supportive and inclusive environment where every student can thrive academically, socially, and emotionally. We prioritize personalized learning experiences, innovative teaching methods, and continuous professional learning to ensure our educators have the tools they need to succeed.

If you are ready to embark on a rewarding journey in education surrounded by natural beauty and a supportive community, Mio-AuSable Schools is the place for you. Come be a part of something special and make a lasting impact on the lives of our students.

Apply now and discover the magic of Mio-AuSable Schools!











Mio-AuSable Schools

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Job Posting – Secondary Science Teacher

Position: Secondary Science Teacher
Location: Mio-AuSable Middle/High School
Reports To: Secondary Principal
Status: MEA Union Position
Start Date: ASAP
Deadline: Applications Reviewed Upon Receipt

About the Position

Mio-AuSable Schools is a close-knit rural district serving approximately 500 students in a single K–12 campus where staff build meaningful relationships with students and families. The district is seeking a passionate and student-centered **Secondary Science Teacher** to join our middle/high school team.

The successful candidate will create a positive, engaging classroom environment that promotes scientific inquiry, critical thinking, problem-solving, and a lifelong appreciation for science. The teacher will prepare students for college, careers, and responsible citizenship through high-quality science instruction and meaningful hands-on learning experiences.

Qualifications

- Valid Michigan teaching certificate with a Science (DA) endorsement or other certification allowable under Michigan Department of Education rules.
- Bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited institution.
- Demonstrated success working with adolescents and diverse learners.
- Strong interpersonal skills and ability to collaborate with staff, students, parents, and the community.
- Prior teaching experience in secondary science, particularly biology, preferred.
- Knowledge of effective science instruction, inquiry-based learning, laboratory practices, and Michigan academic standards.
- Must pass required background checks (criminal history and Livescan fingerprinting).

Key Responsibilities

- Plan and deliver engaging science instruction aligned to Michigan academic standards and district curriculum, with a primary focus on biology.
- Provide students with meaningful opportunities for scientific inquiry, investigation, experimentation, and problem-solving.
- Develop students' abilities to analyze data, evaluate evidence, communicate scientific ideas, and apply scientific concepts to real-world situations.
- Foster a classroom culture that encourages curiosity, creativity, collaboration, and active participation.

- Plan and conduct appropriate laboratory and hands-on learning experiences while maintaining a safe learning environment.
- Assess student learning and provide timely feedback to students, parents, and administrators.
- Differentiate instruction to meet the needs of all learners and support student growth.
- Collaborate with colleagues on instructional strategies, curriculum development, interdisciplinary learning, and school improvement goals.
- Incorporate technology and appropriate digital resources to enhance student learning and scientific understanding.
- Maintain accurate records of student progress, attendance, and grades.
- Support a safe and positive classroom environment through effective classroom management.
- Participate in professional learning, staff meetings, and parent communication as required.

Desired Skills & Attributes

- Commitment to building positive relationships with students.
- Ability to inspire curiosity and enthusiasm for science and learning.
- Ability to make science relevant to students through real-world applications, inquiry, and hands-on experiences.
- Ability to adapt instruction to meet the needs of all learners.
- Strong organizational, communication, and problem-solving skills.
- Willingness to contribute to extracurricular and school programming.
- Commitment to continuous professional growth and collaboration with colleagues.

Compensation & Work Schedule

Hours, salary, and working conditions are in accordance with the Master Agreement.

Application Process

Please submit the following:

- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Credentials
- Three (3) References

Send materials to:

Mr. Shane Yoder, Secondary Principal
Mio-AuSable School District
1110 West 8th Street
Mio, MI 48647
Email: yoders@mio.k12.mi.us (PDF preferred)

Equal Opportunity Employer

Mio-AuSable School District is an Equal Opportunity Employer and complies with all federal and state non-discrimination laws, including Titles VI and IX of the Civil Rights Act, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, and the Michigan Handicapper's Civil Rights Act.