WESTBURY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Job Title: Middle School Assistant Football Coach

Reports To: Head Middle School Football Coach / Athletic Director

Pay Type: This is a seasonal stipend position.

Job Summary: The Middle School Assistant Football Coach will support the Head Middle School Football Coach in all aspects of the middle school football program. This role is focused on introducing young athletes to the fundamentals of football in a positive and supportive Christian environment, emphasizing skill development, teamwork, and sportsmanship. The assistant coach will help with practice organization, player instruction, and fostering a love for the game while modeling Christian values.

Key Responsibilities:

- Assist the Head Coach in planning and conducting practices, focusing on fundamental skills, proper techniques, and basic strategies.
- Instruct middle school student-athletes in football fundamentals, emphasizing safety and correct form.
- Model and integrate Christian values and principles into all interactions, demonstrating patience, encouragement, and positive reinforcement.
- Build positive relationships with middle school student-athletes, providing guidance and support.
- Help foster a culture of teamwork, discipline, and sportsmanship.
- Communicate effectively with student-athletes and the Head Coach.
- Ensure the safety and well-being of all student-athletes during practices and games.
- Assist with equipment management.
- Attend all required team meetings and school athletic department meetings.
- Adhere to all school, district, and league rules and regulations.

Qualifications:

- Demonstrated commitment to Christian faith and ability to model Christian values.
- Previous coaching or playing experience in football preferred.
- Knowledge of basic football rules and fundamental techniques, including the rules of 6-man football.

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- Ability to work effectively with middle school-aged students, demonstrating patience and enthusiasm.
- Strong communication and organizational skills.
- Current CPR/First Aid certification (or willingness to obtain).
- Ability to pass a background check.
- Ability to drive school vehicles and transport students.

Physical Demands/Working Conditions:

- Ability to stand for prolonged periods during practices and games.
- Requires high mobility, including running, bending, kneeling, and demonstrating football drills.
- Ability to lift, carry, push, and pull up to 50 pounds unassisted (e.g., equipment, training aids).
- Work primarily outdoors in various weather conditions, including heat and cold.