



MUSIC DEPARTMENT BASS INSTRUCTOR

ABOUT US: Villa Maria College is a private, Catholic college providing students with the premier student-centered experience in Western New York. Students learn and grow with a culturally diverse population that lives its ideals of truth, charity, and unity.

MISSION STATEMENT: *“Villa Maria College, founded by the Felician Sisters, provides students a rigorous and enriching educational experience. Offering academic programs with a broad core curriculum, the College transforms and empowers students to realize their intellectual, creative, professional, and spiritual potential. Inspired by a welcoming Catholic tradition and a dynamic Franciscan spirit, Villa Maria College offers individual attention and fosters compassion, justice, peace, respect for human dignity and a commitment to service.”*

OUR CORE VALUES: *“Respect for Human Dignity, Compassion, Transformation, Solidarity with the Poor, and Justice & Peace.”*

POSITION SUMMARY:

Villa Maria College seeks applications for an electric and stand-up bass instructor for the spring 2021 semester. The College offers a B.A. in Music and a B.S. in Music Industry, as well a minor in Jazz, a minor in Performance, and a track in Advanced Production. Students learn traditional theory and have the opportunity to study classical genres. With ensembles in Jazz, Gospel, Hip-Hop, and Rock, among others, there is a strong emphasis on the popular music industry.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

Teach one-on-one lessons to Villa Maria bass students. Lessons are a half hour with the possibility of a full hour lesson depending on student program.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A master’s degree in Music is preferred but candidates with a four-year degree are encouraged to apply.
- Industry experience required.
- Teaching experience preferred.
- Preference will be given to candidates with teaching experience at the college level.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

General work environment requires employees to consistently use manual dexterity in reaching, writing, navigating around the classroom or work area. This position requires fully functional

vision and auditory abilities. This position may include hours standing and walking, including up and down stairs, moving items of up to 25-pounds. Occasional evening and weekend hours may be needed to perform work associated with this position. If the position requires use of vehicle for College purposes, a valid New York State driver's license check may be required for occasional off-campus assistance and support.

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of the work being performed by people assigned to this work. This is not an exhaustive list of all duties and responsibilities. Villa Maria College management reserves the right to amend and change responsibilities to meet business and organizational needs as necessary.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

After you have completed the online application your information will be forwarded to the Search Committee for review and consideration.

Villa Maria College is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of age, race, religion, creed, color, sex, sexual orientation or preference, national or ethnic origin, marital status, physical or mental disability, or any other protected classifications in admissions, employment, or any other aspect regarding the conduct of College programs and activities.