Assistant/Junior Varsity Boys Basketball Coach

South Koochiching / Rainy River ISD 363 – Northome School

Location: Northome, Minnesota
Position Type: Seasonal / Coaching Assignment
School Year: 2026–2027
Stipend: $4,640
Application Deadline: Open Until Filled

Help Develop Student-Athletes On and Off the Court
Northome School is seeking an enthusiastic and student-centered Assistant/JV Boys Basketball Coach to support our boys basketball program and coach the JV team for the 2026–2027 school year. The Assistant/JV Coach will support the varsity program and develop basketball skills while fostering teamwork, sportsmanship, leadership, and a positive athletic experience for student-athletes.

Key Responsibilities

- Plan, organize, and supervise all aspects of the JV boys basketball program.
- Teach and develop basketball fundamentals, individual skills, and team concepts appropriate for junior varsity athletes.
- Promote good sportsmanship, teamwork, discipline, and positive character among student-athletes.
- Communicate effectively with athletes, families, staff, officials, and community members.
- Collaborate with the head varsity coach to promote program continuity and player development.
- Ensure compliance with Minnesota State High School League (MSHSL) rules, district policies, and athletic department expectations.
- Maintain a safe, inclusive, and positive environment for all student-athletes.
- Supervise practices, contests, and team activities.

Preferred Qualifications

- Previous basketball coaching experience preferred.
- Strong knowledge of basketball fundamentals, strategy, and player development.
- Ability to motivate and build positive relationships with student-athletes.
- Effective communication, leadership, and organizational skills.
- Commitment to sportsmanship, teamwork, and academic success.
- CPR/First Aid certification preferred.

Compensation & Benefits

- Coaching stipend based on current teacher master agreement.
- Opportunity to positively impact student leadership and school culture.
- Access to district athletic facilities and resources.

Application Instructions

Interested candidates should apply online at Employment | Northome School or submit a letter of interest and resume to:

Ms. Tara Lere, Superintendent
Email: tlere@northome.k12.mn.us
Phone: (218) 897-5275 ext. 153

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