Job Description

Job Title: Administrative Assistant to the Director of Residential Life

Job Overview:

The Administrative Assistant for the Residential Life Department at St. Johnsbury Academy Jeju provides pivotal support to the Director of Residential Life and the boarding program. The Assistant plays a vital role in the effective functioning of the residential community, which houses a diverse range of Korean and international students. The successful candidate will have strong administrative skills, the ability to handle confidential information with discretion, and a deep commitment to building and maintaining a supportive environment for our boarding students and proctors.

Responsibilities:

• Administrative Support:

- Manage the Director's calendar, schedule appointments, and coordinate meetings.
- Assist with organizing and executing boarding program events and activities.

• Team Collaboration:

- Foster a collaborative working relationship with various departments within SJA Jeju, including Faculties and Operations.
- Liaise with external service providers as required to further the objectives of the boarding program.
- Provide vital assistance to the Residential Life Counselors, Head Proctors, and Proctors under the direction of the Director of Residential Life.

Communication:

- Serve as the first point of contact for parents, students, and staff on residential life matters.
- Field inquiries and provide accurate information promptly.
- Maintain effective communication with all stakeholders.

Documentation and Record Keeping:

- Ensure accurate record-keeping for student files, including health records, permission slips, and other relevant documents.
- Prepare reports as required by the Director of Residential Life.

• Weekend Program and Leave Coordination:

- Assist in planning and coordinating the weekend program for students in the dormitory.
- Manage weekend leave requests from parents, ensuring all paperwork is accurately completed and recorded.

*Occasional weekend work may be required.

Policy Enforcement:

- Support enforcing dormitory rules and regulations.
- Contribute to maintaining a safe and conducive living and learning environment.

Budgeting and Inventory:

• Assist in tracking the department's budget.

- Maintain inventory of supplies and coordinate procurement when necessary.
- Transportation and Driving:
 - Coordinate transportation arrangements for students as needed.
 - Drive students to appointments or events as required.
- Other Duties:
 - Undertake any additional tasks assigned by the Director of Residential Life.

Qualifications:

- Proven experience as an administrative assistant or in a similar role.
- Excellent organizational and time-management skills.
- Strong communication skills in both English and Korean (written and verbal).
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint) and other office software.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Flexibility to handle a variety of tasks and responsibilities.
- Must have a valid Korean driver's license and be willing to drive for work-related tasks.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience in an educational setting, particularly in residential life or student services.
- Knowledge of additional languages is a plus.