Nativity Jesuit Academy is seeking a Full-Time Spanish teacher for the 2016-2017 school year. The teacher would teach native and some non-native speakers of Spanish in grades 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Nativity Jesuit Academy is a Catholic, Jesuit, urban school in Milwaukee, WI. We prepare our students, in partnership with their families, for Christian leadership and service in high school, college, and life. Through a holistic education program, NJA strives to form leaders who are:

- religious
- loving
- seeking intellectual excellence
- committed to justice
- open to growth

Like Christ who came “not to be served but to serve” (Mark 10:45), NJA transforms youth to become men and women for others.

Founded in 1993, Nativity serves students in the Latino community that often come from low-income backgrounds. In the fall of 2014, Nativity expanded to serve students in the elementary school years, in addition to the middle school years. The school’s continued expansion will further involve innovation with the use of technology in a blended learning environment to better target individual student needs. The school has a strong extended day program and extended year program, where students in the middle school attend a residential summer camp in northern Wisconsin, and students in the elementary school will attend a day camp at Nativity in Milwaukee. Nativity prepares and supports its graduates in Catholic, college preparatory high schools through our graduate support program. This comprehensive programmatic approach has developed students who are prepared for college and understand the importance of giving back to their community.

Teacher Position Summary
Teachers at Nativity are critical to the academic, spiritual, emotional and moral growth of our students. Teachers are entrusted with the holistic growth of Nativity students and are responsible for ensuring students achieve at or beyond grade level. Nativity teachers maintain high expectations of themselves, of their colleagues and of students.

Teacher’s Commitment to Quality Instruction:

- Be committed to the school’s mission as a Christian servant leader.
- Be organized and prepared to teach assigned classes.
- Work with colleagues to ensure daily instructional curriculum meets the state teaching standards and include engaging and challenging units of study and rigorous assessments.
- Commit to all pedagogical and school culture responsibilities that come with implementing blended learning.
- Attend all professional development meetings and enrichment opportunities
- Ensure that all assessments are administered and graded in a timely manner; maintain accurate student; analyze results with staff, parents, and students; and make adjustments to instruction as needed.
- Complete quarterly report cards and conduct parent conferences.
- Partner with families during the school day and in other school events to build a good working relationship with each family.

Qualifications: bilingual (Spanish/English) and Catholic applicants preferred.
If you are interested in applying, please send your resume and cover letter to John Meuler at meulerj@njms.org