



High School Guidance Counselor

Colorado High School Charter is seeking a Guidance Counselor at our GES (Globeville, Elyria, Swansea) Campus. In partnership with a number of community organizations, Colorado High School GES provides students with a unique and innovative learning environment that allows them to focus on project-based core content classes (Language arts, Language arts, Social Studies, and English Language arts) while taking advantage of numerous concurrent enrollment and community partner opportunities.

Colorado High School Charter Overview

Colorado High School Charter (CHSC) is a 9-12 public charter school in Denver whose mission is to transform the alternative education experience by igniting the potential within each of the diverse young people we serve. CHSC is one of the leading alternative education campuses in Denver, with student achievement data consistently showing notable growth. As an educator at CHSC, you will have the opportunity to develop meaningful relationships with your students while receiving regular coaching and professional development to allow you to deliver exceptional instruction for students who have not found success elsewhere. www.coloradohighschoolcharter.com

Job Description

- Develop a guidance program based on the American School Counselors Association and best practices
- Connect students to concurrent enrollment opportunities through school-based partnerships and other community agencies that provide young people with post-secondary training and exposure.
- Develop an Individual Career and Education Plan (ICAP) for every student – helping students create a graduation plan and post-secondary plan
- Develop and lead Senior Seminar class – a class for 12th graders designed to help them develop a post-secondary plan and enroll in a post-secondary institution after graduating
- Track and support seniors in completing all graduation requirements, including consistent communication to students and parents regarding student progress towards graduation
- Provide all students with credit and academic requirements updates
- Develop a working knowledge of district systems to assist in master scheduling, gradebook, and transcript updates
- Assist with tracking attendance and maintaining attendance records
- Act as a liaison between the students, parents and administration

Qualifications

- Experience and a strong desire to work with young people who have struggled personally or academically in conventional school settings.
- Experience working with at-risk youth preferred

- School Counselor Endorsement/license or be accredited by a national association to provide school counseling services preferred
- Bilingual preferred
- Exhibit cultural competence and work with a student centered lens
- Strong interpersonal skills with the ability to build rapport quickly, facilitating positive relationships across a wide range of constituencies
- Critical, strategic thinking and the capacity to manage multiple priorities
- Permanent US work authorization

Compensation

Salaries are competitive and commensurate with experience and include a comprehensive benefits package.

To Apply

Email resume and cover letter to careers@chscharter.org

CHSC proudly values diversity and is an equal opportunity employer. Colorado High School Charter does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability, in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs and activities.

CHSC Mission

Colorado High School Charter is transforming the alternative education experience by igniting the potential within each of the diverse young people we serve. CHSC ensures students' personal and academic growth by creating tailored curricula, a supportive school environment, and community partnerships. We empower our students to succeed in life and positively contribute to their families and communities by offering them the freedom and resources to pursue a post-secondary path aligned with their individualized goals.