

Varsity Cross Country Head Coach (Men's)

Father Gabriel Richard High School– Ann Arbor, MI

Candidates must be committed to the Mission of Catholic education and while developing the mind, spirit and soul of every student-athlete. The Head Coach is responsible for all aspects of the men's cross country program. The coach must demonstrate strong leadership in player and staff development, sportsmanship, integrity and character development. Qualified candidates should possess strong communication and organization skills. They must demonstrate exceptional knowledge of the skills and strategies of cross country as it pertains to interscholastic athletics in Michigan.

Essential Responsibilities:

- Foster among the participants and spectators an appreciation of the values of athletics, a desire to perform at the highest level, an attitude of good sportsmanship, and a sense of pride in self, team, school, and community.
- Direct the training, conditioning, and performance of the cross country men's program.
- Demonstrate current knowledge of strength and conditioning programs. Execute such programs during the off-season within the parameters of MHSAA regulations.
- Emphasize the importance of academic excellence and assist in monitoring and maintaining high academic standards for members of the cross country program.
- Demonstrate the ability to build practice schedules into all positions. -Promote the cross country program and athletic department programs within the school and community. Prior demonstrated ability to provide positive leadership for coaches and athletes and to serve as a positive role model in all aspects of the coaching profession.
- Works under the direction of the Director of Athletics and Principal in fulfilling their duties and responsibilities and expected to follow the guidelines listed in the Faculty Staff Handbook.
- Demonstrate a strong knowledge of MHSAA regulations.

Qualifications/Experience:

- Bachelor's degree required
 - Minimum 3 years successful Varsity Head/JV Coaching experience.
 - Completion of the Coaches Advancement Program (CAP) Level 1 and 2 for Athletic Coaches from the MHSAA, or agreement to complete these modules before the start of the second season of coaching.
 - Completion of CPR certification in compliance with MHSAA regulations.
- The Archdiocese of Lansing is an equal opportunity employer that does not illegally discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, height, weight, genetic information, marital or other legally protected status.

Interested candidates should complete and submit the following to Carlos Calderon at ccalderon@fgrhs.org

1. Cover letter
2. Resume
3. Application Form