



BATTLE CREEK AREA
CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
ST. PHILIP | ST. JOSEPH

St. Joseph Middle School Cross Country Coach

Position Summary

St. Joseph is seeking a motivated and positive Middle School Cross Country Coach to lead student-athletes in developing running skills, sportsmanship, and teamwork. The coach will plan and conduct practices, supervise competitions, and support the academic and personal growth of student-athletes.

Responsibilities

- Plan and lead safe, age-appropriate cross country practices.
- Teach running techniques, conditioning, pacing, and race strategy.
- Foster teamwork, sportsmanship, and a positive team culture.
- Supervise student-athletes during practices, meets, and team activities.
- Communicate effectively with athletes, parents, school staff, and the athletic department.
- Ensure compliance with school, district, and league policies.
- Maintain and inventory team equipment.

Qualifications

- Previous coaching and/or playing experience preferred.
- Experience working with middle school-aged students is highly desirable.
- Strong leadership, communication, and organizational skills.
- Ability to motivate and mentor student-athletes.
- CPR/First Aid certification (or willingness to obtain).

Interested internal candidates should submit a letter of interest to Athletic Director Blake Shaw at Bshaw@bcacs.org.