



CRISTO REY  
PHILADELPHIA  
HIGH SCHOOL

**Subject Area: Latin - Long Term/Maternity Leave Sub Position**  
**Nov. 2019 to mid-Feb 2020**

**Position Description**

Cristo Rey Philadelphia High School is a Latin teacher to join our team as faculty members and continue to develop one of Philadelphia's most promising educational options for young men and women from families with limited financial resources. Candidates should have an appreciation of the school's mission and a commitment to the values of Catholic education. Since the founding of the first school in Chicago in 1996, the Cristo Rey model has become one of the most innovative and successful educational programs in the nation, serving over 10,000 students at 32 schools across the country.

The Latin curriculum at Cristo Rey Philadelphia High School is a two-year course of study required for all students. The posted position is for the first year (Latin 1) wherein students learn the fundamentals of English grammar, Latin grammar, basic vocabulary, best translation practices, etymology, and Roman history/culture. Pedagogical methods include traditional grammar-translation as well as comprehensible input/acquisition practices. The ideal candidate will use total engagement strategies to create a classroom environment of rigorous learning and participation. Creative projects and engagement with Roman culture are encouraged and woven into the language study.

With the support of an experienced Latin teacher colleague and grade-level teachers, the ideal candidate will use the provided materials (annual, unit, and lesson plans) and self-created materials to teach the necessary benchmarks and ensure all students are prepared for the next year of Latin study. These benchmarks include English literacy standards as well as Latin language standards. The Latin department does not use a textbook, preferring to create and adapt materials according to student need and interest. Attention to detail, strong classroom management, and openness to growth and coaching are necessary.

**Application Process**

If you would like to be considered for this position at Cristo Rey Philadelphia, please submit one PDF document containing the following information via email to:

Hiring Committee  
Cristo Rey Philadelphia High School  
[JoinTheTeam@crphs.org](mailto:JoinTheTeam@crphs.org)

- 1) Cover Letter
- 2) Resume
- 3) List of 3 Professional References (including email & telephone contact information for each reference)