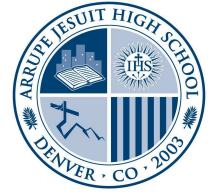


**Arrupe Jesuit High School  
Varsity Coach, Boys Basketball  
School Year 2023-2024**



**Position Description**

Arrupe Jesuit High School seeks a Varsity Coach for its Boys' Basketball program.

*\* Coaching candidates with experience and interest in teaching positions at Arrupe Jesuit should apply to both positions concurrently. See <https://arrupejesuit.com/who-we-are/our-people/careers.html> for available 24-25 school year positions.*

**About Arrupe Jesuit High School**

Arrupe Jesuit High School is a Catholic, college preparatory school offering students with limited economic resources a premier educational experience through rigorous academics, formation in faith and discernment, and a unique work study program – fostering community, opportunity, leadership, and personal growth.

Discover more at: <https://arrupejesuit.com/who-we-are/mission-identity.html>

**About Arrupe Jesuit Basketball:**

The Boys Basketball program consists of three levels. Arrupe competes at the 3A classification in the Frontier League -- a group consisting of 12 schools throughout the city and suburbs of Denver plus 3 mountain schools. Basketball has strong participant numbers and strong commitment from its members. We are looking for a long-term placement at the head coaching position.

**Coaching candidates will...**

**Possess advanced organization and communication skills**

- Our school schedule is incredibly dynamic. A successful coach will keep careful track of how this impacts attendance at games and practices & learning basketball concepts and skills.
- The Head Coach must communicate, prepare, and hold athletes and assistant coaches accountable for attendance and team values and academic performance.
- Expectations of athletes must be clear to athletes. These expectations must be enforced evenly.
- Candidates should have potential assistant coaches in mind and be able to work with previous assistant coaches.

**Utilize positive coaching practice**

- Our new coach should be passionate about the positive impact and values basketball can offer a young man. The coach will build appropriate relationships with the players and build a positive team culture. This includes cultivating a positive, growth-oriented environment at practices and games that reinforces school and Catholic values.
- Structure tryouts in a way where athletes understand what is required to make various teams, and be prepared for some amount of cuts from tryouts. Similarly, communicate playing time expectations in advance to players and parents.
- Coaches must understand they represent Arrupe in the gym, on the bench and in interactions with parents, faculty, and other external groups.
- Work with other Program Heads to foster a culture of multisport participation, prioritizes physical strength and personal development and emphasizes mental health.

**Be creative in your approach to teaching the game to all levels,**

- The challenges our athletes face are varied, but they love basketball. Being able to provide a structure for all levels to grow is crucial to advancing the program.



- JV practices alongside Varsity

### **Qualifications and Expectations**

- Experience coaching varsity high school boys basketball is expected.
- Ability to emphasize improvement and growth goals alongside competitive goals.
- Manage and supervise activities, contests, and practice sessions, to promote individual growth in athletic skills, teamwork, discipline, respect, and good sportsmanship.
- The ability to coordinate schedules and work with assistant coaches.
- Excellent communication skills
- Excellent planning and organizational skills
- Attend Athletic Department meetings and other school functions such as Open Houses
- Apply and enforce student discipline during athletic contests, practice sessions, and while on trips off school property.
- A valid driver's license and clean driving record and ability to drive a 14 passenger vehicle.
- Ability to follow all CHSAA and Arrupe coaching requirements

### **Schedule:**

- Spring/Summer\*:
  - Open Gyms as necessary
  - Middle School Camp
  - Team camps in May/June
- Fall:
  - 2-4 Open Gyms per month
- Preseason:
  - October 28th- November 9th
  - Non-mandatory workouts designed to prepare the team for tryouts
- Practices
  - Tryouts: November
  - M-F
  - Sat- as needed
- Game Schedule:
  - Weeknights: **7/7:30pm** Varsity tip off,
  - Saturdays
  - 23 total games

*\*Our final candidate will work into summer 2025 plans as they are available.*

### **Compensation**

Starting pay: \$4000. Salary is determined based on skills and qualifications.

### **Contact**

Please send a resume and cover letter to [tmccarty@arrupemail.org](mailto:tmccarty@arrupemail.org)

No calls, please. Applications are due by : Friday, April 26th