

Chiang Rai International School

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Mission: Chiang Rai International School (CRIS) aims to provide the highest quality education in a compassionate, safe and nurturing Christian environment. At Chiang Rai International School we strive at all times to promote: **C**onfidence **R**esponsibility **I**ntegrity **S**incerity

Vision: Chiang Rai International School (CRIS) was established in 2010. Our goal is to develop the whole child, intellectually, emotionally and physically, providing a solid foundation through Christian education for their life that will enable them to contribute to the local and international community with confidence, responsibility, integrity and sincerity.

Position

Head Golf Coach at Chiang Rai International Golf School

Position:	Head Professional Golf Coach	Status:	Full Time
Department:	Golf Department	Salary Range:	Negotiable
Application Deadline:	Until the position is filled	Starting Date:	August 2025
Reports to:	Leadership Team	Initial Contract:	2 years

This position provides the opportunity of working at a WASC accredited international school, managing small class sizes, and teaching academically motivated students from diverse cultural backgrounds. CRIS provides a generous amount of planning time to allow teachers to prepare classes and monitor student progress. The successful candidate will be working collaboratively in a positive and supportive department with well-qualified professional colleagues.

Position Overview:

We are seeking a passionate and experienced Head Professional Golf Coach to lead our golf academy's training programs and inspire students to achieve their fullest potential in the game of golf. This individual will be responsible for overseeing coaching strategies, developing customized training plans, and providing mentorship to both our junior and adult athletes. The Head Professional Golf Coach will be instrumental in maintaining a high standard of instruction, ensuring our academy remains a top choice for aspiring golfers.

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Qualifications:

- Proven experience as a Head Golf Coach or Professional Golf Instructor, with a strong track record of developing athletes and advancing their performance.
- PGA certification or equivalent professional coaching qualifications.
- Extensive knowledge of golf techniques, rules, and equipment, with a commitment to staying current with industry trends.
- Exceptional communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to inspire and motivate players of all ages.
- Strong leadership qualities and a proactive approach to team and program management.

Key Responsibilities:

- **Instruction and Coaching:**
 - Lead individual and group golf lessons for all skill levels, from beginners to advanced players.
 - Develop and implement comprehensive training programs tailored to each athlete's needs, focusing on skill development, technique, and mental resilience.
 - Provide ongoing assessment of players' progress and adjust training regimens as needed to meet performance goals.
- **Academy Leadership:**
 - Oversee and mentor the academy's team of assistant coaches, ensuring alignment with our coaching philosophy and standards.
 - Collaborate with the academy's management team to create and enhance training materials and resources.
 - Lead initiatives to attract and retain students, promote a positive learning environment, and build a strong academy culture.
- **Program Development:**
 - Design and oversee special programs, such as junior golf camps, tournament preparation, and summer training sessions.
 - Organize and manage practice schedules, training sessions, and competitive events for academy members.
 - Remain updated with the latest coaching techniques, technologies, and trends to maintain a progressive coaching approach.
- **Community Engagement:**
 - Actively engage with the local golf community to foster relationships and build the academy's reputation.

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- Attend networking events, tournaments, and workshops to represent the academy and promote our programs.
- Work with marketing staff to create engaging content and materials for promoting our academy's achievements and offerings.

Additional Knowledge/Skills/Attributes:

Knowledge:

- Comprehensive knowledge of the game is paramount.
- Extensive knowledge of current coaching techniques and procedures.

Skills:

- The applicant must possess the ability to communicate in spoken and written word. Excellent organizational, communication, and interpersonal skills.
- The applicant must possess the ability to relate to students and to teach them on and off the field.
- The applicant must be willing to accept a high level of accountability.
- The applicant must possess the ability to assess players and coaches effectively.

Attributes:

- The applicant should be professionally calm and motivationally intense.
- The applicant should be a progressive thinker but a believer in planning and preparation.

Essential Responsibilities:

- Manage and supervise athletic activities, contests, and practice sessions, to promote individual growth in athletic skills, teamwork, discipline, respect, and good sportsmanship.
- Use a variety of instructional techniques and media to meet the needs and improve the abilities of student athletes in golf.
- Coordinate the development, promotion and recruitment for the Golf Program.
- Hold organizational meetings for team prospects and encourage potential athletes to participate in the Golf Program.
- Work with other members of school staff to plan and put in place instructional goals and objectives to ensure the overall educational development of student athletes.
- Work with outside organizations to establish a curriculum at the elementary school levels, as well as coordinating the implementation of summer camps for youth and community students.
- Establish performance criteria for competition and evaluate students' athletic abilities initially and on a regular basis.
- Develop a regular practice schedule and organize practice time to provide both individual and team development.
- Hold a preseason meeting with all student athletes and parents before the first official match.

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- Assess players' skills and assign team positions. Monitor and enforce student eligibility criteria for extracurricular participation.
- Apply and enforce student discipline during athletic contests, practice sessions, and while on trips off school property.
- Encourage sportsmanlike conduct in all phases of athletic participation at all times.
- Take all necessary precautions to protect student athletes, equipment, and facilities, including protecting students from hazing/bullying.
- Maintain and secure all golf equipment and uniforms.
- Oversee process of cleaning, repairing, and storing all athletic equipment.
- Maintain records to ensure compliance with all pertinent regulations, including eligibility forms, transfer forms, and grade reports, and ensure that regulations are followed.
- Instruct and advise students on NCAA regulations with regard to academic requirements for scholarships and recruiting practices.
- Assist student athletes with college recruitment