



JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

TITLE:	Head Men's Basketball Coach	DEPARTMENT:	Athletics
REPORTS TO:	Athletics Director	STATUS:	Contractual
SALARY:	\$10,000	DURATION:	October 19, 2026 - April 1, 2027
SUPERVISES:	None	LOCATION:	Agency Village, SD

Job Summary

The Sisseton Wahpeton College Athletic Department is seeking a motivated Head Men's Basketball Coach. The Head Men's Basketball Coach is responsible for the overall leadership, administration, and development of the men's basketball program. The Head Men's Basketball Coach will recruit and retain qualified student-athletes, foster academic success, promote sportsmanship, and build a competitive program that reflects the mission and values of Sisseton Wahpeton College. The Head Men's Basketball Coach oversees all aspects of the program including coaching, recruiting, compliance, fundraising, community engagement, and academic advancement. This position requires extensive travel, evening and weekend work, overnight travel during the competitive season, and participation in athletic department events throughout the year. This position is open until filled.

Job Duties and Responsibilities

- Develop and implement a comprehensive vision for the men's basketball program.
- Plan, organize, and conduct all practices, competitions, conditioning sessions, and team meetings.
- Guide student-athletes on their academic and athletic advancement.
- Evaluate team and individual performance to maximize player development.
- Promote a culture of accountability, discipline, teamwork, and respect.
- Monitor academic progress and encourage classroom success.
- Support student-athletes' personal, social, and leadership development.
- Maintain a current working knowledge of the rules and regulations of intercollegiate athletics including NIAC, AIHEC, NJCAA, NAIA, and NCAA.



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- Ensure student-athletes comply with institutional, conference, and intercollegiate eligibility requirements.
 - Assist with the enrollment and admissions process involving recruited student-athletes.
 - Assist with maintaining inventories of all supplies, equipment, and technology.
 - Assist with game reports, statistics and records.
 - Maintain communication with college staff and faculty.
 - Participate in departmental meetings and institutional training.
 - Adhere to Sisseton Wahpeton College Policies and Procedures
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 - Other duties as assigned by the Athletic Director.

Qualifications

- Minimum of 2 years of successful basketball coaching experience.
- Collegiate coaching or playing experience preferred.
- Ability to travel extensively.
- Ability to work evenings, weekends, and holidays.
- Strong leadership and organizational skills.
- Excellent verbal and written communication.
- Ability to provide feedback, support, and encouragement to student-athletes.
- Team building and motivational skills.
- Ability to maintain professional standards in high-pressure situations.
- Basketball strategy and player development expertise.
- Conflict resolution.
- Public speaking and community engagement.
- Computer proficiency including Microsoft Office, Google Suite, and video analysis platforms.
- Ability to establish positive working relationships with students, faculty, staff, alumni, and community members.



Certifications

- Valid driver's license with an acceptable driving record.
- CPR, AED, and First Aid certification (or ability to obtain).

Application Process

To apply for this position, email a completed SWC Job Application, Cover Letter, and Resume to the Human Resources Department at hr@swcollege.edu. For more information, call us at 605.698.3966.

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