

# Instructional Assistant – Least Restrictive Environment (Site Funded)

#### **Position Details**

Class Code: 4271

Job Family: Paraprofessionals/Aides/Assistants Classification: Support Professional Terms of Employment: Pay Grade 40 on the Support Professional Salary Schedule

FLSA STATUS: NON-EXEMPT

# **Position Summary**

Under immediate supervision of a licensed professional, performs a variety of paraprofessional duties related to classroom instruction.

# **Essential Duties and Responsibilities**

The list of Essential Duties and Responsibilities is not exhaustive and may be supplemented.

- 1. Assists licensed teacher/professional in the instructional program by performing tasks such as: working directly with students on Individualized Education Program (IEP) goals, benchmarks, and data collection, taking attendance, monitoring student work groups, correcting/ collecting students' papers, maintaining work folders, distributing materials, scoring and recording grades, reading to students, and practicing skills previously taught by the licensed teacher/professional to maintain or improve learning skills, etc.
- 2. Assists with implementing IEP accommodations and modifications as appropriate.
- 3. Assists licensed teacher/professional in implementing classroom management systems and behavior intervention plans.
- 4. Assists with clerical tasks.

- 5. Assists with the loading and unloading of buses to ensure that students board the proper bus.
- 6. Assists students with personal care and sanitary needs.
- 7. Assists in feeding students by preparing, distributing, ordering, and administering snacks and special lunches.
- 8. Operates a variety of office equipment (e.g., computers, copiers, etc.).
- 9. Assist and actively participate with physical education activities.
- 10. Assist with reports on student progress, behavior, and performance.
- 11. Collect data and administer medication to students per parent/guardian authorization.
- 12. May perform Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation/Automated External Defibrillator (CPR/AED), when necessary.
- 13. Completes standard Clark County School District (CCSD)/school forms.
- 14. Conforms to safety standards, as prescribed.
- 15. Performs other tasks related to the position, as assigned.

# **Distinguishing Characteristics**

Involves performance of tasks directly associated with assisting the licensed professional in a specifically assigned instructional program.

# **Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (Position Expectations)**

- 1. Knowledge of CPR/AED and Universal Precautions.
- 2. Ability to deal with unusual behavior and crisis situations.
- 3. Ability to work effectively with all types of students.
- 4. Ability to learn and apply school rules, regulations, and procedures.
- 5. Ability to interpret and apply verbal/written instruction.
- 6. Ability to maintain confidentiality.
- 7. Ability to perform several different tasks and determine priorities.
- 8. Ability to prioritize and organize work.
- 9. Ability to perform routine record keeping.
- 10. Ability to play easy to moderately difficult piano accompaniments.
- 11. Ability to work cooperatively with employees, students, parents/guardians, and the public.
- 12. Ability to recognize and report hazards and apply safe work methods.

13. Possess physical and mental stamina commensurate with the responsibilities of the position.

## **Position Requirements**

#### **Education, Training, and Experience**

High school graduation or other equivalent (General Education Development (GED), foreign equivalency, etc.).

#### **Licenses and Certifications**

- 1. A valid driver's license or state-issued identification card.
- 2. Current CPR/AED certificate from the American Heart Association, American Red Cross, or other similar organization. Certification must be maintained for the duration of the assignment. Certification training must be in-person and include a hands-on component. Online courses will not be accepted. A copy of the front and back of the CPR/AED certificate must be uploaded into the application.

#### **Preferred Qualifications**

Successful completion of the Language Proficiency Test, as measured by a Districtapproved third-party administrator.

# **Document(s) Required at Time of Application**

- 1. High school transcript or other equivalent (GED, foreign equivalency, etc.).
- 2. Copy of a valid driver's license or state-issued identification card.
- Current CPR/AED certificate as indicated above. A copy of the front and back of the CPR/AED certificate must be uploaded into the application.
- 4. Specific documented evidence of training and experience to satisfy qualifications.

## **Examples of Assigned Work Areas**

CCSD schools - health offices, playgrounds, cafeterias, classrooms, locker rooms, etc.

### **Work Environment**

#### Strength

Sedentary/heavy - exert force of 10-100 lbs., occasionally/ frequently/constantly.

#### **Physical Demand**

May involve climbing and balancing; frequent sitting, standing, walking, pushing, pulling, stooping, kneeling, crouching, reaching, handling, and repetitive fine motor activities. Hearing and speech to communicate in person, via video conference and computers, or over the telephone. Mobility to work in a typical office setting and use standard office equipment. Stamina to remain seated and to maintain concentration for an extended period of time. Vision: Frequent near acuity, occasional far acuity, and color vision. Vision to read printed and online materials, Video Display Terminal (VDT) screens, and other monitoring devices.

#### **Environmental Conditions**

Exposure to climate-controlled office settings to outside weather with temperatures ranging from mild/moderate to extreme cold/heat. May involve exposure to noise levels ranging from moderate to very loud and occasional to frequent time periods.

#### **Hazards**

Furniture, playground/office equipment, communicable diseases, chemicals and fumes (as related to specific assignment), and power/hand-operated equipment and machinery (as related to specific assignment).

# Examples of Equipment/Supplies Used to Perform Tasks

Computers, printers, fax machines, calculators, copiers, telephones, school supplies, etc.

#### AA/EOE Statement

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#### **Job Revision Information**

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