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# HOLMDEL TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS JOB DESCRIPTION: HEAD DRIVER

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. Holds valid Commercial Driver's License with all necessary endorsements.
- 2. Has extensive knowledge in pupil transportation, driver training, routing and scheduling and transportation of the handicapped.
- 3. Possesses excellent driving record.
- 4. Has demonstrated a minimum of five (5) years of successful school transportation experience in the Holmdel Township School District.
- 5. Demonstrates knowledge of state laws and regulations governing pupil transportation.
- 6. Demonstrates skills in personnel management and route scheduling.
- 7. Possesses required criminal history background check, required drug/alcohol testing, and proof of U.S. citizenship or legal resident alien status.
- 8. Such alternatives to the above qualifications as the Board may find appropriate and acceptable.

**REPORTS TO:** Director of Plant Operations and Maintenance or designee

**JOB GOAL:** To assist when needed in the safe and efficient transportation of

the district's students.

# PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

# 1. Work Performance

- a. Assists in the safe and efficient operation of the school transportation program.
- b. Assists when needed in the preparation of bus routes.
- c. Develops and administers a transportation program to meet the needs of the daily instructional program, field trips and extracurricular activities.

d. Periodically inspects all Board-operated buses for cleanliness.

#### 2. Work Traits

- a. Maintains confidentiality as required and appropriate.
- b. Demonstrates an openness to discuss suggestions.
- c. Demonstrates initiative, independence and decision making appropriate to the performance tasks of this position.
- d. Makes efficient use of time and resources available.
- e. Provides well-organized, accurate work.
- f. Demonstrates ability to prioritize tasks and to change priorities, as appropriate, to meet the needs of the job.
- g. Works cooperatively with administration, staff, parents, contractors and others as necessary for the effective functioning of the school transportation program.

# 3. School and Community Relations

Displays tact and courtesy when dealing with students, staff, residents, and others in person and by telephone in the performance of this position.

# 4. Professional Development

- a. Participates in staff development opportunities in accordance with district guidelines and resources to enhance job-related skills and knowledge.
- b. Promotes the safety of pupils through per-service and regularly-scheduled in-service training.

# 5. Other Assigned Duties

Performs such other tasks and assumes such other responsibilities as may be assigned by the Director of Plant Operations and Maintenance or designee.

**TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:** Ten month year. Salary to be established by the

Holmdel Township Board of Education and the Holmdel Township Education Association.

**EVALUATION:** Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with

provisions of the Board's policy on Evaluation of Non-Certificated Staff and the Agreement between the Holmdel Township Board of Education and the Holmdel Township Education Association.

**SOURCE:** Regular Board Meeting

DATE: March 14, 2007