

****Position Title:**** Special Education Teacher

****Location:**** Willowbrook Elementary School

123 Maple Lane

Cedarville, State ZIP

****Start Date:**** August 15, 2024

**Position Summary**

Willowbrook Elementary School invites applications for a dedicated and passionate ****Special Education Teacher**** to join our inclusive learning community for the 2024-2025 school year. The successful candidate will be responsible for providing differentiated instruction and support to students with diverse learning needs (K-5), collaborating closely with classroom teachers, aides, support specialists, and families.

**Key Responsibilities**

- Develop and implement Individualized Education Plans (IEPs) tailored to students' needs
- Adapt general education lessons and teach various subjects (Math, Reading, Science, etc.)
- Create a safe, nurturing, and engaging environment for students with disabilities
- Work closely with parents, administrators, and fellow educators to monitor progress and adjust teaching strategies
- Provide direct instruction individually and in small groups
- Collect data and track student growth and achievement in accordance with school and state requirements
- Foster social, emotional, and behavioral growth alongside academic development
- Participate in IEP meetings, staff development, and ongoing professional learning
- Utilize technology and adaptive tools as part of instruction and communication

**Required Qualifications**

- Minimum Bachelor's Degree in Special Education or related field
- **Valid State Teaching Certification in Special Education (K-6)**
- At least 1 year of experience working with children with special needs (school or clinical setting)
- Strong understanding of IEP processes, IDEA, and ADA requirements
- Knowledge of differentiated instruction and behavior management strategies
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to collaborate as part of a multidisciplinary team

Preferred Qualifications

- Master's Degree in Special Education or related field
- Additional certifications/training in autism spectrum disorders, dyslexia, or behavioral interventions
- Experience with augmentative and alternative communication (AAC)
- Bilingual (Spanish/English) a plus

Working Conditions

- Full-time, 10-month position (contract renewal each school year)
- Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday
- Benefits include health, dental, vision, and retirement plan
- Supportive and collaborative school culture with ongoing mentoring

How to Apply

Please submit the following documents to **hr@willowbrookschool.edu** by **June 30, 2024**:

- Cover letter

- Resume
- Copy of valid teaching certification
- List of 3 professional references

For questions about the position, contact **Ms. Angela Desai, Special Education Coordinator, at (555) 234-5678**.

Willowbrook Elementary is an equal opportunity employer and celebrates diversity in our faculty and students. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply.