GUILFORD COUNTY SCHOOLS JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE: LEARN AND EARN FACILITATOR

GENERAL STATEMENT OF JOB

Performs a variety of tasks as a school-based professional development leader specifically for increasing student achievement and career objectives. Acts as a key member of the school's instructional leadership team to provide students with learning experiences to prepare them to graduate as responsible citizens prepared to succeed in higher education or in the career of their choice. Position reports to assigned school principal.

SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Work with students to develop and maintain career portfolios.

Recruit and train mentors from the community and area colleges.

Plan motivational assemblies and other leadership development activities.

Serve as SAT champion.

Assist seniors with registration and use of the Collegeboard and CFNC websites.

Plan and supervise student participation in leadership conferences, career fairs, college fairs, etc.

Organize and supervise service learning and job shadowing.

Provide other student support which will prepare them for college or the workforce.

Research and share with teachers best practices for improved student achievement.

Assist teachers with analyzing of student achievement data.

Assist teachers with the development of web pages as a tool to link the community with the school.

Organize a parent group for the school.

Develop and distribute a monthly newsletter to parents.

Collaborate with the College liaison for programming, tutoring, etc.

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ADDITIONAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Serves as Web Master for the school.

Supervises Yearbook

Performs other duties as requested.

MINIMUM TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Bachelors Degree and certification in education with at least 5-7 years experience in classroom with evidence of exemplary practice in curriculum, instruction, and organization and/or any equivalent combination of training and experience which provides the required knowledge, skills, and abilities.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS OR STANDARDS REQUIRED TO PERFORM ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Physical Requirements: Must be physically able to operate a variety of equipment including computers, copiers, typewriters, calculators, etc. Must be physically able to operate a motor vehicle. Must be able to exert up to 20 pounds of force occasionally, and/or a negligible amount of force constantly to lift, carry, push, and pull or otherwise move objects, including the human body. Light Work usually requires walking or standing to a significant degree.

<u>Data Conception:</u> Requires the ability to compare and/or judge the readily observable, functional, structural or composite characteristics (whether similar or divergent from obvious standards) of data, people or things.

<u>Interpersonal Communication:</u> Requires the ability to speak and/or signal people to convey or exchange information. Includes giving instructions, assignments or directions to assistants or subordinates.

<u>Language Ability:</u> Requires the ability to read a variety of correspondence, reports, forms, requisitions, publications, etc. Requires the ability to prepare correspondence, reports, forms, records, surveys, etc., using prescribed formats and conforming to all rules of punctuation, grammar, diction, and style. Requires the ability to speak to people with poise, voice control and confidence.

<u>Intelligence</u>: Requires the ability to apply principles of logical or scientific thinking to define problems, collect data, establish facts, and draw valid conclusions; to interpret an extensive variety of technical instructions in mathematical or diagrammatic form; and to deal with several abstract and concrete variables.

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<u>Verbal Aptitude:</u> Requires the ability to record and deliver information, to explain procedures, to follow oral and written instructions. Must be able to communicate effectively and efficiently in a variety of technical or professional languages including counseling terminology.

<u>Numerical Aptitude:</u> Requires the ability to utilize mathematical formulas; to add and subtract; multiply and divide; utilize decimals and percentages; and to apply the theories of algebra, descriptive statistics, statistical inference and statistical theory.

Form/Spatial Aptitude: Requires the ability to inspect items for proper length, width and shape.

<u>Motor Coordination:</u> Requires the ability to coordinate hands and eyes rapidly and accurately in using office equipment.

<u>Manual Dexterity:</u> Requires the ability to handle a variety of items such as office equipment. Must have minimal levels of eye/hand/foot coordination.

Color Discrimination: Requires the ability to differentiate between colors and shades of color.

<u>Interpersonal Temperament:</u> Requires the ability to deal with people beyond giving and receiving instructions. Must be adaptable to performing under stress and when confronted with emergency situations.

Physical Communication: Requires the ability to talk and hear: (Talking: expressing or exchanging ideas by means of spoken words. Hearing: perceiving nature of sounds by ear.) Must be able to communicate via telephone.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

Considerable knowledge of federal and state statutes and regulations regarding provision of services to students with disabilities.

Considerable knowledge of the County and School Board policies, procedures and standards regarding exceptional children education.

Considerable knowledge of the principles and practices of testing and interpretation of test data.

General knowledge of the ethical guidelines applicable to the position as outlined by professional organizations and/or federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations.

General knowledge of the North Carolina Standard Course of Study.

Skill in oral and written communication.

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Skill in providing consultative services to school staff.

Ability to evaluate the effectiveness of existing programs and make recommendations for improvement.

Ability to work and communicate with diverse groups and organizations.

Ability to exercise independent judgment in determining eligibility, type of services to be provided, and placement of students with disabilities in the least restrictive environment.

Ability to develop and conduct presentations.

Ability to use common office machines and popular computer-driven word processing, spreadsheet and file maintenance programs.

Ability to maintain complete and accurate records and statistics and to develop meaningful reports from the information.

Ability to effectively express ideas orally and in writing.

Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships as necessitated by work assignments.

DISCLAIMER

The preceding job description has been designed to indicate the general nature and level of work performed by employees within this classification. It is not designed to contain or be interpreted as a comprehensive inventory of all duties, responsibilities, and qualifications required of employees to this job.

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