Job Details

Teacher – High School and Middle School English

#### **Primary Purpose**

Provide all students with appropriate learning experiences designed to help them fulfill their potential for intellectual, emotional, physical, and social growth; enable students to develop competencies and skills to function successfully in society.

## Qualifications

Bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university

Teaching certificate in subject/grade area preferred

## Special Knowledge/Skills

Effective communication and interpersonal skills Knowledge and demonstrated competency in the subject(s) assigned General knowledge of curriculum and instruction Ability to instruct students and manage behavior

## **Major Responsibilities and Duties**

- 1. Guide the learning of students in accordance with the district's philosophy of education toward the achievement of curriculum goals.
- 2. Align teaching and available resources to the District curriculum.
- 3. Present subject matter according to the guidelines established by the Texas Education Agency, board policies, administrative guidelines and the District curriculum.
- 4. Conduct ongoing assessments of student learning and use results to plan and implement instruction.
- 5. Work cooperatively with other teachers to modify curricula and instruction as needed for special education, 504, ELL, and GT students according to guidelines established.
- 6. Work cooperatively with the campus and district instructional supervisors, leaders, and department heads to improve instruction.
- 7. Offer accelerated instruction to each student who meets any of the state "at-risk" criteria in order for the student to perform satisfactorily on the state assessment.
- 8. Work with other members of staff to determine instructional goals, objectives, and methods according to campus and district requirements.
- 9. Use available technologies as appropriate teaching and learning tools.
- 10. Integrate the instruction of technology into subject area teaching.

#### Communication

1. Use effective communication skills to present information accurately and clearly.

- 2. Maintain a professional and cordial relationship with colleagues, students, parents, and community members.
- 3. Adhere to local, state, and federal guidelines regarding confidentiality.
- 4. Establish and maintain open communication by conducting conferences with students, parents, and other staff members.
- 5. Respond to parent phone calls/messages in a timely manner.

# Classroom management and organization

- 1. Take all necessary and reasonable precautions to protect students.
- 2. Create a classroom environment conducive to learning and appropriate for the physical, social, and emotional development of students
- 3. Manage student behavior in accordance with the The ProVision Student Code of Conduct and handbook.
- 4. Provides for care and protection of school property and be held accountable for books, equipment, and other instructional materials.
- 5. Maintain accurate student accounting and grading records in compliance with local and state requirements.
- 6. Assists in upholding and implementing administrative regulations and board policy.
- Manage and utilize data effectively for systemic process and program analysis.
  Account for the accuracy and verification of all student program data and report.
  Implement data-driven decision making for improvement efforts based on best practices.
- 8. Mange and utilize policy effectively for maintaining systemic processes and practice. Account for the verification of the correct policy regarding all decisions and correspondence.
- 9. Implement effective policy-driven decision making.

## Professional growth and development

- 1. Seek and participate in professional development activities to improve instructional effectiveness thereby increasing student achievement.
- 2. Participate collaboratively with colleagues to reflect on one's teaching practices.
- 3. Stay abreast of developments in the profession and display openness to change and innovation.
- 4. Maintain updated record of all professional development activities.
- 5. Keep informed of and comply with state, district, and school regulations and policies.
- 6. Attend and participate in faculty meetings and serve on staff committees as required.

# Personal growth and work habits

- 1. Participate as an effective team member who contributes to district, department, and content goals.
- 2. Submit all legal documents in a timely manner as required by Federal, State, and District.
- 3. Display proficient levels of technology applications.
- 4. Utilize time wisely for effective management of job responsibilities.
- 5. Meet deadlines to submit lesson plans, progress reports, grades and other documents as required by the campus/district.
- 6. Maintain punctuality in daily work times, appointments, and meetings.

- 7. Work cooperatively with co-workers and supervisors to ensure that the goals of the school/department are met.
- 8. Maintain a positive and professional tone in all communication (i.e. email, written, and verbal).
- 9. Perform other duties and accept other responsibilities as assigned, including attendance at applicable school graduation ceremonies and any requested school trainings, regardless of when conducted.

# **Working Conditions**

**Mental Demands** 

Effective verbal and written communication; concentration while performing duties; ability to maintain emotional control under stress; ability to work with frequent interruptions.

Physical Demanding/Environment Factors

Frequent standing, stooping, bending, lifting, moving textbooks, media equipment, desks, and other classroom materials

Terms: 187 days

**Full-Time** 

Teacher Salary Schedule: Range begins at \$48,000 for non-certified teachers

Range begins at \$50,000 for certified teachers