

Smithton R-VI School District

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POSITION: Preschool Teacher

QUALIFICATIONS: Valid Missouri Teaching Certificate.

REPORTS TO: Elementary Principal

JOB GOAL: To encourage, engage and educate Preschool children by addressing the

social, emotional and educational needs of every child.

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Adapts instructional material as necessary to meet the needs of all students, including aptitudes and interests.

- 2. Collaborate as a team when developing lessons, activities, and planning for the Preschool.
- 3. Assesses student accomplishments on a daily basis, including formal and informal assessment.
- 4. Assigns independent learning activities to students which are appropriate to their individual needs.
- 5. Assists new students in adjusting to school.
- Assists students in establishing high standards of conduct through implementation of High Scope Curriculum
- 7. Takes advantage of opportunities for professional development related to teaching strategies within content.
- 8. Regularly communicates to parents the academic program of students. Increases the frequency of communication to those parents whose children are experiencing low academic success or a significant change in academic performance.
- 9. Completes quarterly reports on each student and maintains complete accurate attendance and grade reporting records.
- 10. Encourages students to be active and healthy and to learn new skills associated with the curriculum.
- 11. Establishes a positive climate for learning.
- 12. Selects and requisitions teaching materials which are appropriate for classroom instruction.
- 13. Evaluates student work consistently and according to district policies.
- 14. Promotes student achievement/accomplishment within the classroom and school building.
- 15. Maintains current inventory of instructional supplies, equipment, and safety materials.
- 16. Assists with the non-teaching duties as directed by the principal, such as bus duty, lunchroom duty, and recess duty.
- 17. Attends parent/teacher conferences and school activities as required by the school administration.
- 18. Chaperones school-sponsored field trips as necessary.
- 19. Assists students in activities associated with school-approved parties, holidays, and other non-curricular activities.





- 20. Cooperates with other teachers in teaching and non-teaching assignments.
- 21. Cooperates with school nurses and health authorities on pertinent health matters.
- 22. Provides equal educational opportunity for each child.
- 23. Participates in curriculum planning and development and actively considers and evaluates new educational programs and strategies.
- 24. Follows curriculum guides and teaches to accomplish learner outcomes established and approved by the school district.
- 25. Assists in identifying learning needs of exceptional children.
- 26. Implements BOE policies of students' discipline, assists in investigation of attendance problems, investigates complaints about student conduct, and investigates student complaints and grievances.
- 27. Makes referrals to other professional staff personnel.
- 28. Develops adequate lesson plans extensive enough for use by substitute teachers.
- 29. Keeps the administration informed concerning learning and discipline problems of students.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: Salary and year to be established annually by the Board of Education.

EVALUATION: Performance of this position will be evaluated annually in accordance with provisions of the BOE's policy on evaluation of teachers.



