

Position: Custodian/Theater Technician
Department: Maintenance and Operations

Bargaining Unit: CSEA

Salary: Classified Unit Salary Schedule, Range 29

#### **DEFINITION**

Under general supervision, perform custodial duties required to maintain assigned school buildings and/or building areas in a clean and orderly condition; maintain theater equipment and provide support for theater use.

#### **SUPERVISION RECEIVED AND EXERCISED**

Supervision is provided by Senior Director of Maintenance and Operations or designee.

### **DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS**

These classifications are distinguished in the following ways: Custodian, Custodian/Swimming Pool Operator, Custodian/Groundskeeper and Custodian/Theater Technician positions all perform the same duties required to maintain assigned school buildings and/or building areas; however, the Custodian/Swimming Pool Operator, Custodian/Groundskeeper and Custodian/Theater Technician have additional responsibilities that differ from the general Custodian job description. The Groundskeeper position is responsible for performing general and varied gardening and grounds maintenance work.

### **EXAMPLE OF RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. Sweep, scrub, mop, wax, and vacuum assigned floors, hallways, and student activity areas and shampoo and/or spot clean carpets on a scheduled basis.
- 2. Dust, wash, wax and polish assigned furniture, woodwork, and metal work on a scheduled basis.
- 3. Wash and clean assigned windows, walls, drinking fountains, sinks, commodes, and trash receptacles on a scheduled basis.
- 4. Report all health and safety conditions that may cause injury to students, staff, and the general public (e.g. broken furniture, burned out lights, broken equipment).
- 5. Maintain the security of the work area during and at the close of the assigned hours of work (e.g. lock doors, gates, and windows, turn on security lights and/or alarms).
- 6. Operate power cleaning equipment in a safe and efficient manner.
- 7. Transport supplies, furniture and equipment as requested and arrange furniture and equipment for special meetings, events, and activities (e.g., tables, chairs, televisions, projectors, lighting equipment, audio visual equipment, etc.).
- 8. Perform minor repairs as needed.
- 9. Inspect and maintain theater equipment and related systems.
- 10. Set up, operate, and maintain rigging, sound and lighting equipment for rehearsals and performances.
- 11. Maintain repair logs, maintenance schedules, and necessary inventory for theater use.
- 12. Set up needed furniture and equipment for building use.
- 13. Work cooperatively with site staff and outside users.
- 14. Attend Modesto City Schools asbestos training program within the first sixty (60) days of employment.
- 15. Wear Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (e.g. shoes, gloves, eye goggles, aprons, face protectors, breathing apparatus, etc), when necessary.
- 16. Utilize technology as appropriate to the position.
- 17. Effectively communicate and maintain cooperative relationships with those contacted in the course of work.
- 18. Perform other related duties as assigned.

#### **JOB REQUIREMENTS**

#### Knowledge of:

- Knowledge of cleaning materials and techniques.
- Knowledge of furniture and equipment needed for theater use.



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#### **Work Factors:**

- **Observance of Work Hours** Punctuality in reporting to or leaving duty station in accordance with prescribed schedule of working hours.
- Safety Practices Complying with safety practices, particularly situations involving pupils.
- Quality of Work Degree of excellence of the work performed.
- Quantity of Acceptable Work The amount of work completed in relation to the scheduled work load.
- Work Judgements Analyzing work situations and drawing sound conclusions.
- Planning & Organizing Planning and organizing assigned duties to achieve desired results.
- Work Knowledge/Skills Attainment of specialized knowledge needed to perform the job responsibilities.
- Meets Assignment Deadlines Timely completion of reasonable deadlines.
- Accepts Direction Acceptance of supervision, training, and instruction.
- Accepts Change Adaptability and flexibility to work situations and/or circumstances.
- Accepts Responsibility Willingness to accept responsibility.
- Operation & Care of Equipment Concern for safe, responsible, and reasonable operation or use of equipment.
- **Initiative** Showing initiative in work improvements, identifying and correcting errors, and initiating work activities.
- Interpersonal Relationships Interacting with students, parents, coworkers, and administrators in a positive and constructive manner.
- Appearance of Work Station Neat and efficient arrangement of work area.
- **Grooming & Dress** Appropriate personal appearance and work attire in relation to health, safety, and organizational standards.
- Reading Comprehension Demonstrating reading comprehension at least equal to that of a H.S. senior.
- Writing Skills Demonstrating writing skill at least equal to that of a H.S. senior.
- Mathematical Skills Demonstrating mathematical skills at least equal to that of a H.S. senior.

# **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

#### **Experience:**

• Six (6) months experience as a custodian and successful operation of equipment needed for events.

## Education:

• Graduation from high school or General Education Development (GED) Certificate or California High School Proficiency Examination (CHSPE) Certificate.

## **Physical Characteristics:**

- Sufficient vision to read small print.
- Sufficient depth perception, physical ability, strength, mobility, stamina, color perception and acuity to drive and operate equipment or vehicles.
- Sufficient hearing to hear normal, telephone and hand held radio conversations.
- Ability to speak in an understandable voice and with sufficient volume to be heard at a normal conversational distance and on the telephone or hand held radios.
- Sufficient physical ability, strength, mobility and stamina to move, lift, push/pull or carry objects which may frequently exceed 50 pounds.
- Sufficient physical ability, strength, balance, mobility, stamina and a tolerance of heights to work on ladders, scaffolding and rooftops for extended periods of time.



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- Sufficient physical ability, strength and dexterity to use basic mechanical and hand/power tools to perform minor repairs and adjustments.
- Sufficient physical ability, strength, balance, mobility, and stamina to perform moderate physical labor.
- Sufficient physical ability and stamina to work outside during inclement weather conditions.
- Sufficient physical ability to reach horizontally and vertically with arms.
- Sufficient dexterity to use hands and fingers to manipulate small objects and print or write legibly.
- Sufficient lower body strength, stamina, balance and mobility to sit, stand, kneel, walk, stoop, climb stairs, bend and extend legs for prolonged periods of time.
- Physical tolerance to extended contact with water, detergents, abrasives, cleaning solvents, cleaning solutions, disinfectants, paint/paint spray, and other harsh chemical substances.
- Physical tolerance to foul odors, chemical odors, dust and pollen.

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