RANDOLPH TOWNSHIP



PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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TITLE: Teacher REPORTS TO: Principal QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Bachelor's degree
- 2. Valid New Jersey Department of Education certification in appropriate subject matter for the appropriate grade level
- 3. Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- 4. The ability to successfully complete a criminal history background check and provide proof of U.S. citizenship or legal resident alien status.
- 5. Current residency in New Jersey, approved residency waiver or agreement to obtain residency within one year of employment.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

A teacher is responsible to the building administration and is responsible for the instruction of the curriculum approved by the Board as well as for the safety and welfare of his/her students. The teacher motivates and guides his/her students and plans with and for them. His/her primary role is continuous critical evaluation of the progress of his/her students.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Knows and carries out the policies, rules, program and curriculum of his/her school and the district as it may apply to his/her class.
- 2. Supervises instruction in his/her class and evaluates student progress.
- 3. Establishes clear objectives for all lessons and projects.
- 4. Communicates lesson and project objectives to students.
- 5. Plans and facilitates activities for a balanced program of instruction that provide students with opportunities to explore, question and investigate.
- 6. Collaborates with colleagues to improve instruction through professional learning communities.
- 7. Pre-assesses students and differentiates instruction to meet the needs of all learners.
- 8. Assess individual student learning by using authentic tasks and multiple sources of data on student performance.
- 9. Implements and allows students to utilize technology to enhance learning.
- 10. Develops positive relationships with students to make instructional relevance and rigor possible.
- 11. Accepts responsibility for the discipline and conduct; health, welfare and safety of students.
- 12. Recognizes unusual conditions, mental or physical, in students under his/her supervision and refers such to the Intervention and Referral Services (I&RS) Committee.
- 13. Devotes himself/herself to the instructional needs to each student.
- 14. Maintains evidence of instructional planning on a routine basis.
- 15. Keeps an accurate record of each student's attendance and progress.
- 16. Confers with parents to advise on student needs and progress, including electronic communications.

- 17. Accounts for books and supplies issued to his/her class and keeps such records as may be required to carry out this duty.
- 18. Conducts classes daily and not absent himself/herself from class or school during the school day unless district policy, procedures and collective bargaining agreement allow for an absence reason.
- 19. Reports to the principal and nurse any injury to himself/herself or a student in his/her charge incurred at any time or placed under the school's jurisdiction.
- 20. Attends in-services training and professional development opportunities to enhance professional growth.
- 21. Supports district initiatives and goals.
- 22. Performs such other tasks and assume such other responsibilities as assigned by the Principal/Superintendent.

WORK YEAR: Ten-month employee

DATE APPROVED:

APPROVED BY: Board of Education