

### **Permanent Substitute**

#### **Purpose Statement**

The job of a Permanent Substitute Teacher is to assist students in learning the appropriate subject matter and skills as designated by the lesson plans of the teacher.

This Job reports to Building Administrator.

## **Essential Functions**

- Permanent substitute teacher should be versatile and have the ability to work with all grade levels. May be required to move to a different school building, if the need arises.
- Reports to the school office upon arrival and performs all check-in procedures as required.
- Reviews with the building administrator, department head, team leader, or grade level teachers, etc. all plans and schedules to be followed during the teaching day.
- Maintains as fully as possible the established routines and procedures of the school and classroom to which they
  are assigned.
- Communicates with the classroom teachers, admin team, etc. to ensure seamless transitions.
- Teaches the lesson as prepared by the absent teacher.
- Consults with a building administrator, department head, team leader, grade level teachers, etc. before initiating any teaching or other procedure not specified.
- Assumes responsibility for overseeing student behavior in class and all other areas of the building and grounds as necessary.
- Uses a time clock system for clocking in and out each day they are scheduled to work. Clocking must reflect true time worked.
- Reports in writing on the day's activities at the conclusion of the teaching day.
- Follows all district and school policies, rules, and procedures to which regular teachers are subject and which good teaching practice dictates.
- Performs all duties assigned to the absent teacher unless excused by a building administrator.
- Possesses the mental and physical attributes required to perform all essential functions.
- Demonstrates professionalism and appropriate judgment in behavior, speech, dress, and appropriate professional manner for the work setting.
- Adheres to all district rules, regulations and policies.
- Ability to implement the vision, mission and values of the district.
- Maintains strict confidentiality in regards to student needs, progress and work.

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#### **Other Functions**

 Performs other related duties, as assigned, for the purpose of ensuring the efficient and effective functioning of the work unit.

# **Job Requirements: Minimum Qualifications**

## Skills, Knowledge and Abilities

SKILLS are required to perform multiple, highly complex, technical tasks with a need to routinely upgrade skills in order to meet changing job conditions. Specific skill based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: applying assessment instruments; operating standard office equipment including using pertinent software applications; and preparing and maintaining accurate records.

KNOWLEDGE is required to perform basic math, including calculations using fractions, percents, and/or ratios; read technical information, compose a variety of documents, and/or facilitate group discussions; and analyze situations to define issues and draw conclusions. Specific knowledge based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: appropriate codes, policies, regulations and/or laws; age-appropriate activities; lesson plan requirements, stages of child development; and behavioral management strategies.

ABILITY is required to schedule activities, meetings and/or events; gather, collate, and/or classify data; and use job-related equipment. Flexibility is required to work with others in a wide variety of circumstances; work with data utilizing defined but different processes; and operate equipment using standardized methods. Ability is also required to work with a diversity of individuals and/or groups; work with a variety of data; and utilize job-related equipment. Problem solving is required to analyze issues and create action plans. Problem solving with data frequently requires independent interpretation of guidelines; and problem solving with equipment is moderate. Specific ability based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: establishing and maintaining constructive relationships; adapting to changing work priorities; maintaining confidentiality; exhibiting tact and patience; and working flexible hours.

#### **Work Environment**

The usual and customary methods of performing the job's functions require the following physical demands: occasional lifting, carrying, pushing, and/or pulling, some stooping, kneeling, crouching, and/or crawling and significant fine finger dexterity. Generally the job requires 10% sitting, 40% walking, and 50% standing. This job is performed in a generally clean and healthy environment.

**Experience:** Prior experience working with school aged children is helpful.

Desire to continue career improvement by enhancing skills and job performance.

**Education:** A minimum of 36 college credit hours from a regionally accredited college or university is required

or Frontline education training - 20 hours.

Required Testing
None

Certificates and Licenses
DESE issued certificate

one DESE issued certificate

Continuing Educ. / Training Clearances

Criminal Justice Fingerprint/Background Clearance

FLSA Status Approval Date Salary Grade

Exempt Support Staff Salary Schedule - Range 16

**Revised Date** 

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