Job Announcement

School Psychologist
Teacher Specialist – Assessment Center

Final Filing Date: Open until filled (desire to fill for 2020-21 school year if not sooner)

UNIT/PC#: 184-647-9153-001
Tenure/Time Base: Permanent, full time
Location: California School for the Blind, Fremont
Base Salary per month: $5,717.00 - $7,896.00
Recruitment & Retention per month: $700.00
Total Salary per month: $6,417.00 - $8,596.00
Annual Salary: $77,004 - $103,152

Duties

The Assessment Center school psychologist collaborates with other members of the Assessment Center to provide assessment, consultation, and support for students who are visually impaired, blind and deaf-blind. These services are provided both on site at the California School for the Blind and in homes and educational settings throughout the state to students who are not enrolled at the California School for the Blind.

Perform collaborative assessments, including information gathering, referral analysis, selection of format, procedures, and instruments, consultation with stakeholders, observation, testing, and both oral and written interpretation of results for individuals, age 3 – 22, who are referred to the CSB Assessment Program. Write comprehensive reports that include history, psychological data and information, responses to referral questions, and recommendations as appropriate for identified needs. Contribute to follow-up and evaluation of services as needed to maintain high quality standards.

Provide outreach including creating and presenting workshops, providing written and verbal consultation, and technical assistance to LEAs and SELPAs on best practices working with students with visual impairments including but not limited to assessment, psychological principals and knowledge, human development, learning theory, psychology assessment, and individual differences. Create curricula, templates, informational and how-to guides, lessons, and other creative implementations to meet the needs of educational team members working with students with visual impairment and share the expertise and work done in the Assessment Center.

The incumbent must possess good judgment; strong organizational and technology skills; the ability to effectively communicate with supervisor, staff, and public; be self-motivated to ensure goals are met and assignments are completed in a timely manner; be innovative and open-minded to establish new and different processes and policies to support the Education Resource Center's mission, vision and goals.
Required Qualifications
- Applicant must possess the following:
  - Education: Master’s Degree or Ph.D. in School Psychology from a NASP-accredited program
  - Credential: Pupil Personnel Services Credential with School Psychology Authorization

Desired Qualifications
- At least 2 years working as a school psychologist or other related field.
- Experience working with students with visual impairments, deafblind students, and/or students with moderate/severe disabilities.
- Experience providing counseling to students with disabilities.
- Excellent interpersonal skills, written communication skills, and oral communication skills.
- Ability to work collaboratively within the assessment team and Education Resource Center as well as with a wide range of stakeholders.
- Proactive self-starter with the ability to multitask, establish and rearrange priorities, and maintain focus on both short-term and long-term goals.
- Proficient computer skills with various office productivity tools.
- Savvy internet skills in researching and discovering deliverables and resources
- Experience and/or familiarity with academic testing of student.

Please refer to Duty Statement for further information related to job expectations.

How to Apply
Submit a resume and cover to:

Chemene Hooker-Henry
California School for the Blind
500 Walnut Avenue
Fremont, CA 94536

A copy of current credentials, and three professional references (name and contact information) will be required at time of interview.

Applications must be received by: Open until filled

All applications will be screened based upon desirable qualifications and experience.

For questions and/or additional information, please contact Chemene Hooker-Henry, at (510) 936-5587

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