



Dyslexia Teacher

JOB DESCRIPTION

The Dyslexia Teacher participates as a member of the instructional staff in planning for teaching and motivating dyslexic students, interacting with pupils and evaluating pupils. Also serves as an examiner of prospective students for the dyslexia program.

EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Bachelor's degree with appropriate certification for position.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Provides instruction for identified bilingual students with dyslexia or related disorders.
2. Is willing to train to become a Certified Academic Language Therapist.
3. Tests students who are referred for dyslexia.
4. Interprets tests results to teachers and parents.
5. Attends 504/ARD meetings.
6. Provides teacher training for RTI and helps monitor student's progress.
7. Serves as resource person to campus principals and teachers to meet the instructional needs of students.
8. Maintains necessary records and prepares reports as assigned.
9. Supports the instructional program of Judson ISD K-12 grades.
10. Plans the long and short range objectives for assigned courses.
11. Implements the state and District curricula.
12. Develops lesson plans with appropriate essential elements.
13. Collects and uses a variety of information to guide the growth and development of individual pupils.
14. Maximizes amount of time available for instruction.
15. Uses research-based best practices in teaching and learning.
16. Selects appropriate teaching materials using a variety of activities to develop student interest and performance.
17. Establishes standards for individual pupils in terms of ability levels.
18. Creates a classroom climate conducive to pupil intellectual, social, emotional and moral development.
19. Manages pupil behavior and activities to allow for learning.
20. Communicates effectively with students.
21. Evaluates and provides feedback on pupil performance continuously by utilizing a variety of sources.
22. Teaches for cognitive, affective, and/or psychomotor learning and transfer.
23. Maintains accurate student accounting records and other reports in compliance with local and state requirements.
24. Participates in professional development activities.
25. Participates in extracurricular activities as assigned.
26. Interacts and communicates effectively with parents and school staff.
27. Participates in the planning, presentation, and evaluation of various school activities.
28. Performs other duties as assigned.



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MENTAL DEMANDS

Ability to communicate effectively (verbally and written), concentrate, interpret policy and procedures, reason, understand verbal instructions, analyze, differentiate, memorize, read, coordinate, compile, compute, instruct, and maintain emotional control.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Ability to lift and/or carry light weight (under 15 pounds), stand, climb stairs, stoop, kneel, crouch, reach, perform repetitive hand motions, hear, speak, distinguish colors, and possess visual acuity.

SALARY: Teacher Pay Scale

WORK DAYS: 187

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