Teacher, Kindergarten

School District Job Description

Position Title: Teacher, Kindergarten

Department: Instruction

Reports to: Principal

SUMMARY:

Teaches elemental natural and social science, personal hygiene, music, art, and literature to children from 4 to 6 years old, to promote their physical, mental, and social development by performing the following duties.

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ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Other duties may be assigned.

- Supervises activities such as field visits, group discussions, and dramatic play acting, to stimulate students' interest in and broaden understanding of their physical and social environment.
- Fosters cooperative social behavior through games and group projects to assist children in forming satisfying relationships with other children and adults.
- Encourages students in singing, dancing, rhythmic activities, and in use of art materials, to promote self-expression and appreciation of esthetic experience.
- Instructs children in practices of personal cleanliness and self care. Alternates periods of strenuous activity with periods of rest or light activity to avoid over-stimulation and fatigue.
- Observes children to detect signs of ill health or emotional disturbance, and to evaluate progress.
- Discusses students' problems and progress with parents.

SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES:

Students and Aides

Acknowledged	Date
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EDUCATION and/or EXPERIENCE:

Fifth year college or university program certificate; or two to four years related experience and/or training; or equivalent combination of education and experience.

CERTIFICATES, LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS:

Early Childhood Education certification

EVALUATION: Performance of this position will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's policy on Evaluation of Professional Personnel.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: Nine month employee on twelve-month contract. Salary and work year to be established by the Board of Education.

