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CHILD DEVELOPMENT SUPERVISOR

BASIC FUNCTION:

Under the direction of a District-level administrator to plan, direct and supervise a school day care at an elementary or middle school, providing adequate care in a supplemental educational program for school children before and after regular school hours.

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES:

Essential Duties:

Assume responsibility for overall operation of a before and after school daycare program, providing direction and guidance to assigned assistants.

Direct the daily operation of the program providing direction and guidance to assigned assistants and students.

Confer with enrichment program personnel and teachers to develop and coordinate strategies for students with special needs.

Establish and maintain a safe and healthy learning environment; communicate with parents and school staff concerning program activities.

Plan and coordinate an enrichment program that compliments the educational activities of the regular classroom.

Plan and supervise field trips for students.

Maintain emergency information cards on each participant; maintain accurate enrollment and attendance information for each child.

Inspect, review, and evaluate game activity areas and equipment to ensure that activities are conducted in a safe and non-hazardous environment.

Administer routine first aid and seek assistance for serious illness or injury situations when necessary; observe and evaluate health needs of children and take appropriate action.

Interpret policies and procedures; explain program to parents and the public.

Arrange for purchase of necessary equipment, supplies and ordering snacks for the center; assure the care and maintenance of facilities and equipment.

Participate in the planning, organization and implementation of game and craft activities.

Prepare and maintain a variety of records including time sheets, parent payment

records, an class enrollment records, attendance sheets, collection of fees and medication records.

Perform a variety of personnel supervisory functions including assisting in employee selection, training and evaluation.

Maintain student and school information in a confidential manner.

Monitor center expenditures to assure they are within budget limitations.

May administer medication under specific guidelines.

Perform related duties as assigned.

May be required to work a split shift assignment.

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KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:

Knowledge of:

Child growth and development;

Program management and record keeping;

Oral and written communication skills;

Child guidance techniques;

General needs and behavior of children;

Basic supervision;

Correct English usage, grammar, spelling, punctuation and vocabulary;

Health and safety regulations;

Interpersonal skills using tact, patience and courtesy;

Basic supervision and evaluation;

Applicable sections of the State Education Code and other applicable laws;

Technical aspects of field specialty;

Ability to:

Relate effectively to elementary and intermediate age students;

Plan, develop and implement supplemental educational activities for elementary and intermediate age students;

Plan and organize work;

Train and provide work direction to others;

Work confidentially with discretion;

Maintain a healthy and safe environment;

Work independently with little direction;

Establish and maintain effective working relationships with others;

Analyze situations accurately and adopt an effective course of action;

Maintain records and prepare reports;

Communicate effectively both orally and in writing;

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

Associate's Degree is required, including twelve (12) semester units in courses related to children; Bachelor's Degree or better is preferred. A California Teaching Credential or equivalent is desirable. Two years experience working with preschool and/or K-12 students. Lead and/or supervisory experience is highly desirable as is previous experience in public education setting.

LICENSES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

Current First Aid and CPR certificates.

Valid California driver's license and state required automobile insurance as required by position.

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WORKING ENVIRONMENT:

Environment:

Day care classroom and outdoor work environment;

Subject to flexible hours;

Driving a vehicle to conduct work as required by position;

Physical Duties:

Seeing to monitor day care activities;

Hearing and speaking to exchange information in person and on the telephone;

Standing or sitting for extended periods of time;

Pushing or pulling food, television and VCR carts;

Walking to observe children on playground;

Kneeling and crouching to be on the same level as children;

Hazards:

Contact with dissatisfied or abusive individuals, occasionally parents or staff members;

Contact with blood and other body fluids;

Potential for contact with bloodborne pathogens and communicable diseases;

Chemicals used for cleaning centers;

Body odors;

This position will be paid on the appropriate step of the Classified Management salary schedule:

- Range 167X
- 12 months