

#### HIGH SCHOOL SECRETARY

#### **DEFINITION**

Under general supervision, to perform a variety of clerical, secretarial and recordkeeping duties; and to do related work as required.

#### DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS

Incumbents in this class typically serve as a secretary to assistant principals or deans at a high school or as a secondary secretarial position in a large school office. While all positions are assigned a variety of clerical, receptionist, secretarial and recordkeeping duties at a similar level of difficulty, individual mixes of duties and responsibilities vary. None of the incumbents would individually perform all of the duties listed below.

### **EXAMPLES OF DUTIES**

Serves as receptionist to students, faculty, parents and the general public, providing information and assistance and routing calls as necessary to proper office or person; types a variety of materials, such as forms, correspondence, memos, confidential reports, cards, requisitions, lists and handbooks; may serve as recording secretary at a variety of meetings; trains and supervises student assistants; schedules a variety of meetings and conferences; assembles and mails student attendance reports to parents; maintains and updates student discipline folders; reviews attendance lists and distributes call slips; operates duplicating machines; requisitions needed office materials and supplies and maintains inventory records; receives and processes school work orders; distributes, collects and maintains records of keys; receives and processes transportation requests; compiles data for a variety of reports; maintains a variety of lists of students; orders and requisitions supplies; assists in budget preparation activities; performs a wide variety of related office clerical and secretarial duties.

#### **REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS**

## Knowledge of:

Office methods and practices, including filing systems, receptionist and telephone techniques, and letter and report writing
English usage, vocabulary, spelling, grammar and punctuation
Basic computer skills
Modern office machines and equipment

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#### Ability to:

Perform responsible secretarial and clerical work of average difficulty

Compile data and maintain accurate and complete records

Deal effectively with a wide variety of personalities and situations requiring diplomacy friendliness, poise and firmness

Learn and apply school rules, procedures and policies

Operate a computer

Type at a speed of not less that 45 words per minute from clear copy

Train and supervise student assistants

# <u>Training and Experience:</u>

Two years of clerical and secretarial experience, preferably including experience in performing recordkeeping and public contact duties

This position will be paid on the appropriate step of the classified salary schedule.

- Range 151
- 10 months