

TITLE: **TEACHER, SPECIAL DAY CLASS, COMMUNICATIVELY
HANDICAPPED/DEAF AND HEARING IMPAIRED**

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. California credential authorizing service in the area of communicatively handicapped with authorization for service to hearing impaired/deaf
2. Ability to use American Sign Language and Signing Exact English to instruct students
3. Evidence showing potential for success

REPORTS TO: Principal and Program Manager/CH

JOB GOAL: Under direction of the principal and the program manager/communicatively handicapped, provides direct instruction, remediation and assessment for hearing impaired/deaf students by incorporating instruction into the regular curriculum program

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Assesses and diagnoses language handicaps and plans the remedial/instructional program
2. Carries out regular classroom curriculum with emphasis on language disabilities and hearing impairments
3. Develops individualized educational plans (IEP) for each child admitted to the program and reviews IEPs at least annually
4. Schedules conferences with parents and other school staff
5. Implements the IEP for pupils admitted to the program
6. Maintains contact and coordinates efforts to encourage social growth of students by consulting with parents, professionals and colleagues
7. Maintains an adequate physical environment conducive to learning
8. Utilizes results of current research to enhance program
9. Participates in conferences, meetings and inservices
10. Assumes responsibility for implementation of state and federal regulations related to children in the HI/Deaf program
11. Participates in formation of policies, standards and objectives of the Hearing Impaired/Deaf Program
12. Acquaints site administrators and other school personnel with the educational implications of hearing impairments, deafness and resultant communication disorders
13. Serves as a member of Special Education IEP Teams
14. Serves in curriculum planning and state reports
15. Provides information and assistance to parents

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: Salary and work year to be according to current schedule; teacher salary schedule

EVALUATION: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with the District's "Improvement of Professional Services" handbook, Board Policies and Procedures and consistent with collective bargaining agreements when applicable