

Bakersfield City School District
Education Center - 1300 Baker Street
Bakersfield, California 93305
Personnel Services

TITLE: TEACHER, READING SPECIALIST

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. California teaching credential authorizing service in area of assignment
2. Reading Specialist Credential, Miller-Unruh Certificate or Reading Certificate
3. Evidence showing definite potential for success

REPORTS TO: Principal

JOB GOAL: To implement the Reading Program to most effectively meet the special needs of the students designated to this program

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Works in the classroom with groups of children or individuals or the entire class or with individuals or small groups in a reading-listening center or classroom
2. Diagnoses the nature of children's disabilities
3. Prescribes instruction to meet individual needs
4. Helps children develop a motivation for learning
5. Provides a wide variety of instructional resources related to children's needs
6. Prepares materials for individualized instruction
7. Demonstrates teaching methods and techniques
8. Assists teachers in lesson planning and room organization
9. Refers children to professional personnel for specialized services such as clinics or specialists
10. Develops and maintains a system of record keeping
11. Confers with children, parents, teachers and specialized personnel
12. Disseminates current reading research
13. Participates in District, county and state reading meetings
14. Contributes news items of the program to bulletins
15. Assists in the testing program
16. Performs other related duties as assigned

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

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