SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SARASOTA COUNTY

JOB DESCRIPTION

PARAPROFESSIONAL AIDE III

SALARY SCHEDULE: SSP-7

COST CENTER: DISTRICT-WIDE

QUALIFICATIONS:

(1) High School diploma

- (2) Associate of Art's / Associate of Science Degree or sixty (60) hour equivalent from an accredited educational institution or passing score on the Para Pro Assessment Test
- (3) Must be able to communicate effectively.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

Basic knowledge and understanding of children. Knowledge of general computer use. Ability to follow directions. Ability to work independently.

REPORTS TO:

Principal or Designee

JOB GOAL

To perform routine tasks independently as assigned under the direction of a certified staff member.

SUPERVISES:

N/A

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- * (1) Assist in the supervision of students as assigned.
- * (2) Perform clerical duties as assigned.
- * (3) Assist in creating a safe learning environment.
- * (4) Implement classroom activities as directed.
- * (5) Assist staff members with behavioral management.
- * (6) Assist with the development of instructional materials.
- * (7) Assist with the preparation of accurate records and reports.
- * (8) Assist with assessing student progress.
- * (9) Communicate effectively with staff and parents.
- *(10) Use specialized equipment as required.
- *(11) Intervene, when appropriate, to situations concerning discipline of students.
- *(12) Demonstrate initiative in the performance of assigned responsibilities.
- *(13) Provide for a safe and secure workplace.
- *(14) Model and maintain high ethical standards.
- *(15) Follow attendance, punctuality and proper dress rules.
- *(16) Maintain confidentiality regarding school matters.
- *(17) Maintain positive relationships with staff and vendors.
- *(18) Participate in workshops and training sessions as required.
- *(19) Keep supervisor informed of potential problems or unusual events.
- *(20) Respond to inquiries and concerns in a timely manner.
- *(21) Follow all School Board policies, rules and regulations.

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- *(22) Exhibit interpersonal skills to work as an effective team member.
- *(23) Demonstrate support for the School District and its goals and priorities.
- (24) Perform other incidental tasks consistent with the goals and objectives of this position.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Light Work: Exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally and/or up to 10 pounds of force as frequently as needed to move objects.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Salary and benefits shall be paid consistent with the District's approved compensation plan. Length of the work year and hours of employment shall be those established by the District.

EVALUATION:

Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's policy on evaluation of personnel.

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*Essential Performance Responsibilities