

Coopersville Area Public Schools

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Autism Spectrum Disorder Teacher – Upper Elementary Full Time Position

2025-26 School Year (Second Semester)

Minimum Qualifications:

- Bachelor's or Master's degree in Special Education
- Valid MDE teaching certification for teachers working with students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (SV)
- Experience working with elementary students with ASD
- Strong understanding of evidence-based practices for teaching students with ASD
- Excellent communication and collaboration skills

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Work with the Director of Special Education and support staff at the Intermediate School District to implement best practices in a new ASD program
- Collaborate with ancillary staff and other specialists to meet the unique needs of the student
- Design and adapt curriculum materials to meet the diverse needs of students with ASD
- Develop and implement individualized lesson plans based on students' IEP goals
- Utilize evidence-based teaching strategies tailored to the unique learning styles of students with ASD
- Incorporate visual supports, sensory-friendly materials, and technology to enhance learning experiences
- Collaborate with special education staff, parents, and other professionals to create and review IEPs for each student
- Monitor and track progress toward IEP goals, adjusting strategies as needed
- Implement positive behavior intervention strategies to foster a positive and supportive classroom environment
- Work closely with behavioral specialists to address challenging behaviors and develop behavior intervention plans
- Maintain open and regular communication with parents, providing updates on student progress and addressing concerns
- Collect and analyze data on student performance to inform instructional decisions
- Participate in data-driven discussions with the special education team to refine teaching approaches
- Stay current on best practices and research in the field of autism education
- Participate in professional development opportunities to enhance skills and knowledge
- Foster a sense of community and inclusion within the classroom

- Implement strategies to support peer interactions and social skill development
- Reliable, consistent attendance is a requirement and essential function for all staff positions

Please apply via the district's online AppliTrack system:

<http://coopersvillebroncos.org/our-district/administration/human-resources/>

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 6th, 2025

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