

Job Title: SPED Instructional Aide Exemption Status: Non-Exempt

Reports to: Campus Principal Date Revised: May 2025

Dept. /School: Assigned Campus **Pay Grade:** PA2

Primary Purpose:

Provide instructional assistance to students under the supervision of a special education teacher. Assist in covering classes for Admission, Review, and Dismissal (ARD) meetings.

Qualifications:

Education/Certification:

- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Valid Texas educational aide certificate upon hire

Experience:

Experience working with children in an educational setting, preferred

Special Knowledge/Skills:

- Proficient keyboarding and file maintenance skills
- Ability to work collaboratively with teachers and students
- Strong communication, organizational, and interpersonal skills
- Patience, flexibility, and a positive attitude while exhibiting a growth mindset
- Bilingual preferred

Major Responsibilities and Duties:

Instructional Support

- 1. Assist the special education teacher in implementing daily lesson plans, ensuring students are actively engaged in learning activities.
- 2. Assist with the preparation of instructional materials, classroom organization, and setting up learning activities.
- 3. Monitor student learning and provide feedback to the students and teacher on individual or group progress.
- 4. Provide inclusion support to students in the general education classroom.
- 5. Manage classroom activities when the teacher is away from the classroom.
- 6. Provide translation/interpretation services

Student Management

- 7. Promote and uphold a safe, structured learning environment for all students.
- 8. Assist in managing classroom behavior, ensuring a respectful and productive learning environment.
- 9. Monitor students throughout the school day, inside and outside the classroom, including arrival, dismissal, cafeteria, bus, and recess duty.
- 10. Inform teachers of any special needs or concerns regarding individual students.

Other

- 11. Participate in staff meetings, professional development, and other school events as required.
- 12. Actively support the school culture, mission, and vision while prioritizing improved outcomes for all students.
- 13. Follow district safety protocols and emergency procedures.
- 14. Perform all other duties as assigned.



Supervisory Responsibilities:

None

Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors:

Tools/Equipment Used: Standard office equipment, including personal computer and peripherals

Posture: Prolonged sitting; occasional bending/stooping, pushing/pulling, and twisting

Motion: Repetitive hand motions, frequent keyboarding, and use of a mouse; occasional reaching

Lifting: Occasional light lifting and carrying (less than 15 pounds) **Environment:** Work irregular hours; occasional prolonged hours

Mental Demands: Work with frequent interruptions; maintain emotional control under stress; maintain

confidentiality

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