

POSITION: **EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN LI TEACHER ASSISTANT/Bus Driver**

SALARY: State Salary Schedule

QUALIFICATIONS: Associate degree or higher from an Institution of Higher Education or 48 semester hours completed toward a degree from an Institution of Higher Education. Applicants must possess knowledge, skills, and abilities to work with students of all ages. Applicants must hold a valid N. C. state driver's license. Applicants must be eligible to obtain a CDL with school bus endorsements. Applicants must maintain the bus license and drive at designated schools.

RESPONSIBILITIES: An employee in this class provides support to the teacher in the instruction of students. A wide variety of tasks are performed to support the teacher in the teaching-learning process for students. The work is directed by specific instructions, precedents, and established policy. Problems are solved through the exercise of judgment in selecting the best course of action to be taken. The work is performed under the supervision of the teacher and/or principal. Employee must be able to maintain the confidentiality of students as described in IDEA and FERPA. Other duties as assigned by the teacher or principal.

Academic Assistance

- Provides group and individual instruction as prescribed by teacher, principal or designee.
- Demonstrates various instructional activities.
- Monitors work assigned by the teacher and keeps students on task.
- Checks and corrects students' work while in progress.
- Praises and reinforces achievement of students.
- Reports student progress to teacher

Personal Assistance



- Assist in feeding student.
- Assist student with toileting to include changing diapers.
- Attend to other personal needs as needed by individual students.
- Follow instructions from nursing staff regarding medical needs of students.

Instructional Preparation/Support

- Prepares visual aids and duplicates materials.
- Scores students' papers as instructed by the teacher.
- Distributes and collects instructional material.
- Reorganizes materials at the end of day.
- Serves as proctor during testing.
- Attends professional development.
- Arranges classroom furnishings and equipment.

Reports and Records

- Maintains reports and records as assigned by teacher. May include but not limited to, health records, attendance, and student behavior.

Monitoring Student Behavior

- Supervises students in the total school environment.
- Creates and distributes awards for positive behavior.
- Promotes student self-esteem.
- Teaches citizenship, social skills and respect for others.
- Reconciles minor student conflicts.
- Participates in the development of discipline policy.
- Disciplines misbehavior through approved methods
- Reports discipline problems to teacher or principal
- Reports to supervisor significant change or lack of change in student behavior

Bus Driver/Monitor

- Serves as monitor or driver as needed by the EC Department
- Observes all mandatory safety regulations for school buses.
- Obey all traffic laws.
- Creates and maintains seating charts.
- Maintains discipline when students are on the bus.
- Reports undisciplined students to the proper authority.
- Checks bus before each operation for mechanical defects





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Human Resource Services
Administrative Office Building

- Notifies the proper authority in case of mechanical failure or lateness.
- Transports only authorized students
- Discharges students only at authorized stops
- Keeps to the assigned schedule.
- Keeps the assigned bus clean.
- Exercises responsible leadership when on out-of-district school trips
- Conduct post trip inspections.
- Substitute on routes when needed.

REPORTS TO:

Principal

CONTACT:

Submit an application to the Human Resources Department
Iredell-Statesville Schools
PO Box 911
Statesville, North Carolina 28687
704-872-8931

Iredell-Statesville School Employees may apply by submitting an online transfer request and resume to the Human Resources Department. Other interested persons may apply by completing an online Iredell-Statesville Schools application with resume.

IF THE POSITION IS FILLED BY AN EMPLOYEE TRANSFERRING, THEN THIS VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT WILL SERVE AS NOTICE FOR THAT VACANCY.

TERM OF EMPLOYMENT: 10 Months

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Until Filled

BEGINNING DATE: ASAP

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