



Position: Vocational Teacher

Assignment: VOC Agricultural Science Teacher

Wage/Hour Status: Exempt

Reports to: Principal

Pay Grade: TC100/226 days

Dept./School: Assigned Campus

Date Revised: Spring 2024

Primary Purpose:

Provide student with skills and practical hands-on-experience in Agriculture. Provide students with appropriate learning activities and experiences in the core academic subject area assigned to help them fulfill their potential for intellectual, emotional, physical, and social growth. Enable student to develop competencies and skills to function successfully in society.

Qualifications:

Minimum Education/Certification:

- Bachelor's degree from accredited university
- Valid Texas teaching certificate in agricultural science

Special Knowledge/Skills/Experience:

- Knowledge of agricultural science and technology
- General knowledge of curriculum and instruction
- Ability to instruct students and manage their behavior
- Ability to supervise agricultural field experiences
- Strong organizational, communication, and interpersonal skills
- Previous teaching experience preferred
- Principles of Agriculture and Natural Resources
- Advanced Animal Science
- Livestock Production
- Equine Science
- Small Animal Management
- Agricultural Mechanics
- Agricultural Structures
- Wildlife and Recreation Management
- Range and Ecology
- Energy and Natural Resources
- Practicum in Agriculture
- Veterinary Medicine Applications

Major Responsibilities and Duties:

- Expected to train competitive LDE and CDE teams
- SAE & livestock responsibilities as assigned
- Serve as FFA advisor and assist with activities and events

- Coordinate assigned tasks as related to the Lewisville ISD Livestock Show, county show, and major livestock shows
- Work cooperatively with other teachers on campus
- Interact and communicate effectively with the FFA Booster Club
- Maintain accurate and complete records of programs and projects as required by law, district policy, or administrative regulations
- Exhibit and encourage high professional and ethical standards
- Support, communicate, and interpret district goals, policies, administrative procedures, and TEA regulations to the various publics
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- Maintain emotional control under stress
- Knowledge of large and small show animals
- Ability to work indoors and outdoors in a variety of weather conditions
- Proficient at pulling livestock trailers with district agriculture trucks
- Attend district area and state meetings, contests, and conventions
- Assist with FFA degree, award, and scholarship applications
- Assist in management of school facilities, equipment, classrooms, shop, greenhouse, school project facility, vehicles, and trailers

Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors:

- Maintain emotional control under stress, work with frequent interruptions.
- Frequent district and regional travel, occasional statewide travel, prolonged and irregular hours.
- Work outside and inside, on slippery or uneven walking surfaces, and around machinery with moving parts.
- Exposure to extreme temperatures and biological and chemical hazards.
- Frequent lifting, hearing, reaching, seeing, speaking, standing, walking, and climbing
- Prolonged standing; frequent kneeling/squatting, bending/stooping, pushing/pulling, and twisting

OTHER: All employees are to follow district safety protocols and emergency procedures.

The foregoing statements describe the general purpose and responsibilities assigned to this job and are not an exhaustive list of all responsibilities and duties that may be assigned or skills that may be required. This position is an in-person job and is to be performed at the location specified. It does not qualify for remote work or work from home status.

Signature

Date

Print Name