

Job Description

POSITION TITLE: Special Education Teacher

F.L.S.A. Exempt

QUALIFICATIONS: Must hold proper certification according to the state of Missouri.

REPORTS TO: Principal and/or other Supervisor

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: New teachers 187 days; returning teachers 183 days with benefits

provided according to the Excelsior Springs School District.

JOB GOAL: To assist students in learning the appropriate subject matter, skills

and/or attitudes that will contribute to their development as

responsible citizens.

KEY FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Participates in curriculum review and design.
- 2. Employs a variety of effective instructional strategies to ensure student progress.
- 3. Evaluates student abilities and progress in a timely and consistent manner.
- 4. Monitors student progress and adjusts instruction accordingly.
- 5. Develops, implements and continually monitors Individual Education Plans (IEPs) that meet specific needs, interests, and abilities of students with disabilities.
- 6. Creates a classroom environment that is conducive to learning.
- 7. Assesses the accomplishments of students on a regular basis and provides progress reports as required.
- 8. Provides alternative services as assigned by the Excelsior Springs School District (ESL, Reading, and Special Reading).
- 9. Maintains accurate, complete, and correct records as required by law, district policy and administrative regulation for each student assigned to their workload.

OTHER JOB FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Abides by Missouri statutes, school board policies and regulations.
- 2. Attends meetings and performs duties as assigned by administrators or supervisors.
- 3. Takes all necessary and reasonable precautions to protect students, equipment, materials, and facilities.