

Job Description

POSITION TITLE:

Human Resources Specialist

2230

SALARY PLACEMENT:

Classified/Confidential Supervisory Salary Schedule Range 1

SUMMARY OF POSITION:

Under general direction of the Director of Human Resources, performs a wide variety of complex and responsible duties related to the day-to-day human resources functions, including recruitment, selection, employment compensation, and employee/employer relations of certificated and classified employees; assign, direct and monitor the work of others. Does related work as required. This is a classified confidential position.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS – EDUCATION, TRAINING AND/OR EXPERIENCE:

High school diploma or equivalent of the completion of the twelfth grade, plus two years of advanced personnel training or business/computer courses obtained through a college or vocational school. Experience of a closely related nature may be substituted. Three years of varied and progressively responsible clerical experience at an administrative level.

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS – EDUCATION, TRAINING AND/OR EXPERIENCE:

Advanced computer skills, including knowledge of Word, Escape, FilemakerPro, Google Suite, and Excel. Experience working in a school district or county office of education.

Knowledge of:

- principles, methods, and practices related to personnel procedures
- Federal and State laws, California Education Code, departmental policies, and procedures
- basic office methods, practices, and procedures, including filing systems
- letter and report writing
- assigned software
- proper English usage, spelling, grammar, and punctuation

Ability to:

- operate a computer
- understand and apply principles, techniques, and procedures required for effective job performance
- interpret, explain, and apply personnel policies, laws, rules, and regulations
- analyze situations accurately and adopt an effective course of action
- respond promptly to requests of internal and external clients
- provide needed information, assistance, training, materials, and resources
- plan, organize, and prioritize own work to meet deadlines and accomplish assigned tasks within established timelines including maintaining accurate records and files
- perform duties requiring independent judgment and initiative under the stress of strict deadlines
- perform mathematical calculations with speed and accuracy
- communicate clearly and concisely both orally and in written form

- establish and maintain cooperative-working relationships with those contacted during performance of job duties
- maintain and improve professional skills and knowledge
- be flexible and receptive to change.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

Essential functions may include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Perform a wide variety of complex and responsible duties related to the day-to-day human resources functions including recruitment, selection, employment, compensation, and employee/employer relations of certificated and classified employees.
- 2. Prepare employee notifications, as necessary.
- 3. Explain the policies and procedures, collective bargaining contracts and agreements and other rules, laws, contracts or procedures to applicants, candidates, employees, and others.
- 4. Provide support for the Human Resources leadership team and staff; coordinate flow of communications; draft correspondence and other material as requested.
- 5. Make routine decisions.
- 6. Maintain strict confidentiality on all job-related matters.
- 7. Gather, review, and compile information and prepare accurate and comprehensive reports and surveys with deadlines as assigned.
- 8. Maintain records and prepare notices and documents in connection with contracts, assignments, tenure, resignations, leaves, layoffs including Human Resources Authorizations (HRA's)
- 9. Prepare correspondence independently on matters not requiring personal attention of management.
- 10. Prepare a variety of communicative subject matter that may include privileged and highly sensitive material.
- 11. Plan, develop, and implement office procedures.
- 12. May assist in the transcription of investigative interviews.
- 13. May assist with the preparation and collection of collective bargaining information needed for negotiations.
- 14. Attend to administrative and clerical detail utilizing initiative, problem analysis techniques, good judgment, and confidentiality.
- 15. Attend work-related conferences and seminars.
- 16. Make mathematical calculations with speed and accuracy.
- 17. Assist with data collection, correspondence and tracking of all SJCOE employees involved in the interactive process.
- 18. May assist with employment verification.
- 19. Assist with tracking and monitoring of SJCOE employee evaluations.
- 20. Prepare all travel and conference requests for Human Resources management and staff.
- 21. May serve as additional support to the Chief Human Resources Officer.
- 22. Assist with the maintenance of critical information as it relates to the 39-month re-employment process.
- 23. Assist with the preparation and set-up of large events on behalf of SJCOE.
- 24. Develop and oversee a systematic approach for investigative files maintained in Human Resources.
- 25. May support the Coordinator of Recruitment and Retention as needed.
- 26. Serve as point person for assisting employees with email accounts, password resets, etc.
- 27. Perform other related duties as assigned.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Employees in this position must have the ability to:

- 1. Sit for extended periods of time.
- 2. Enter data into a computer terminal, operate standard office equipment, and use a telephone.
- 3. See and read a computer screen and printed matter with or without vision aids.
- 4. Hear and understand speech at normal levels and on the telephone.
- 5. Speak so that others may understand at normal levels and on the telephone.
- 6. Stand, walk, and bend over, reach overhead, grasp, push, pull and move, lift and/or carry up to 25 pounds to waist height.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

Employees in this position will be required to work indoors in a standard office environment and come in direct contact with SJCOE staff, district office staff and the public.

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