SCHOOL DISTRICT OF LEVY COUNTY

JOB DESCRIPTION

COORDINATOR, STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math)

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. Master's Degree in Education preferred.
- 2. Must hold or is eligible for a valid Florida Professional Educator's Certificate in one or more of the STEM subject areas.
- 3. Three (3) years successful teaching experience in Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics .
- 4. Experience in coordinating professional development related to performance responsibilities.
- 5. Strong communication skills and ability to work with adult learners.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- Evidence of a strong grasp of math and science content and standards.
- Ability to model effective instructional practices in science, technology, engineering, and math.
- Shows evidence of incorporating technology into teaching practices.
- Is a strong advocate for hands-on learning for science and math.
- Ability to recommend, utilize and train others in current technologies.
- Is a strong advocate for both math, science and STEM education and has demonstrated work to provide access to rigorous instruction and resources for all students.
- Skill in maintaining balance, integration and integrity in academic programs.
- Ability to demonstrate leadership and decision making in a wide variety of situations.
- Ability to collaborate effectively with district instructional team, school-based administrators, instructional coaches, teachers, and communities.
- Skill in effective oral and written communication.
- Strong planning and organizational skills.
- Ability to work effectively and cooperatively with State cadres of STEM coaches.
- Ability to process, analyze and make judgments regarding a wide variety of information.
- Skill in promoting the professional development of others.
- Demonstrates strong technology skills.
- Knowledge of Differentiated Accountability requirements.

REPORTS TO:

Director of Curriculum

JOB GOAL

To provide professional development in and promote and enhance STEM programs in our district

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Assists in maintaining and ensuring a consistent, rigorous and equitable educational experience across all schools in STEM subject areas.
- 2. Facilitates a short- and long-term plan for the district to integrate STEM principles (purposeful technology infusion, rigorous project based and applied learning experiences, school-to-work connections for students, and 21st Century skills) into the instructional program.
- 3. Collaborates with Career and Technical Education to align CTE programs/curricula and core content.
- 4. Creates a STEM curriculum committee with representatives from all levels.
- 5. Chairs regular meetings of the STEM curriculum committee.
- 6. Assists teachers and staff in acquiring current, appropriate materials (including print, software and hardware, equipment).
- 7. Spends time in classrooms working with teachers on best instructional practices.
- 8. Uses data derived from varied assessment tools to facilitate planning for continuous improvement in student achievement.
- 9. Is the point of contact for collaborating with partnerships, universities, state and national organizations with the goal of promoting STEM education in schools.
- 10. Functions effectively as a liaison between administration, school sites, Florida STEM stakeholders, parents, and students for the purpose of supporting approved STEM education programs.
- 11. Organizes meaningful, practical, ongoing professional development in content and pedagogy.
- 12. Follows current research and embeds those practices into professional development.
- 13. Oversees the work being done to create and promote math and science support programs, including software and hardware, techniques, innovative practices training for teachers.
- 14. Coordinates and facilitates student participation in local, state and/or national STEM organizations and competitions.
- 15. Provides opportunities for parent forums and other educational efforts to demonstrate the relevance of STEM education.
- 16. Provides leadership in developing and revising as needed the curriculum scope and sequence for K-12 Mathematics and Science.
- 17. Monitors school level programs as appropriate to ensure compliance with statutes, regulations and district policy.
- 18. Identifies master teachers with potential for sharing desirable practices consistent with district goals throughout the school system.
- 19. Assists with district instructional materials adoption for STEM instructional materials.
- 20. Assists in the preparation of grant applications and work with program development projects.
- 21. Provides technical assistance for teachers as requested by school administrators.
- 22. Participates in professional organizations and continuously updates knowledge of subject area responsibilities.
- 23. Provides schools guidance and resources regarding state end-of-course exams.
- 24. Acts as a resource to schools in the school improvement planning and implementation processes.
- Assists in the implementation of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics (NCTM) Curriculum Standards (K-12) and the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards in Mathematics and Science (K-12).

- 26. Reviews and recommends changes in procedures and policies, including the program of studies and the *Comprehensive Student Progression Plan*.
- 27. Evaluates assessment data and provides assistance to district and school personnel to increase student achievement and outcomes on district exams, Advanced Placement exams, industry certification exams, and state accountability.
- 28. Ensures all required elements of Florida's Differentiated Accountability requirements, as they relate to STEM, are being met.
- 29. Performs other related duties as assigned by Director of Curriculum and Assistant Superintendent.
- *(30) Ability to work in a constant state of alertness and safe manner.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Light work: Exerting up to 20 pounds of force occasionally and/or up to 10 pounds of force as frequently as needed to move objects.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Salary and benefits shall be paid consistent with the District's approved compensation plan. Length of the work year and hours of employment shall be those established by the District.

EVALUATION:

Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's policy on evaluation of personnel.

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