ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT, EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

PRIMARY FUNCTION:

Under immediate supervision of the Superintendent of Schools, shall be responsible for the Student Supports and Learning Support Divisions of the District.

Professional Responsibilities:

- 1. Maintain an improvement focus.
- 2. Demonstrate strong communication skills.
- 3. Use sound judgment and display willingness to make decisions.
- 4. Serve as a strategic thinker to achieve organizational goals.
- 5. Provide leadership that creates a clear, compelling vision.
- 6. Serve as a collaborative member of the Superintendent's Cabinet to help shape and drive initiatives across the organization.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1. May act for the Superintendent in his/her absence.
- 2. Assist in public information and communications within and outside the District.
- 3. Evaluate and monitor instruction in all classrooms in the District.
- 4. Function as a member of the District Management Team, facilitating and participating on committees as assigned.
- 5. Meet and confer with a variety of groups and individuals including parents, representatives, District personnel and other authorities concerning individual students and instructional programs; meet with parents regarding specific school issues.
- 6. Direct, coordinate, implement and evaluate District programs in accordance with state and federal laws, District regulations, and other specially funded program requirements.
- 7. Conduct trainings and meetings to increase staff knowledge about policy changes, new programs, current best practices, and other pertinent information.
- 8. Responsible for supervision and implementation in areas of curriculum and instruction; special education; student supports and learning support.
- 9. Responsible for administration of educational services, including organizational development and structure, operation, and budget.
- 10. Assigns, supervises and evaluates department personnel.
- 11. Develops, implements, maintains, and evaluates the quality of curriculum and instructional services, categorical programs, student services, special education, and staff development.

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- 12. Supervises the district child welfare and attendance service, including pupil records, attendance and disciplinary control.
- 13. Coordinates district pupil resources with both governmental and non-governmental community resources for children.
- 14. Responsible for assisting in developing and implementing Board policies and administrative procedures.
- 15. Attends Board meetings and prepares reports for the Board as the Superintendent may request.
- 16. Assists in the determination of types of programs needed by the schools and makes appropriate recommendations.
- 17. Reports on the status of district programs and services at the request of the Superintendent.
- 18. Serves upon assignment by the Superintendent as a resource person to all division and site administrators in the district.
- 19. Interprets and articulates the programs, philosophy and policies of the district to staff, students and the community.

Other Duties and Responsibilities:

- 1. Perform other duties within the instructional area assigned by the Superintendent.
- 2. Promote good health and wellness practices.

QUALIFICATION STANDARDS:

Ability - Above average recommendations from administrative supervisors or other professionals who have observed the candidate's personal characteristics, scholastic attainment, performance, and ability to communicate effectively.

EXPERIENCE:

Minimum of five years experience in a public school setting, with at least two years of progressively responsible management experience. Principal experience preferred.

EDUCATION/CREDENTIALS:

Bachelor's degree, including all courses to meet credential requirements. Teaching credential as established by the state and local governing boards. Appropriate Master's degree and a Tier 1 Administrative Services credential.

KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:

Knowledge of:

Oral and written English communication skills. Interpersonal skills using tact, patience and courtesy.

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Ability to:

Establish and maintain cooperative and effective working relationships with others.

Work with a significant diversity of individuals and/or groups.

Maintain confidentiality and use discretion.

WORKING CONDITIONS:

Environment:

Indoor and outdoor work environment; subject to driving to conduct work.

Physical Abilities:

Hearing and speaking to exchange information and make presentations.

Lifting books, materials, equipment to execute lessons and presentations.

Seeing to read, prepare and review a variety of activities and to monitor student activities.

Sitting or standing for extended periods of time.

Walking extended lengths to move around campus and community.

Hazards:

Potential exposure to communicable diseases and contact with blood and other body fluids.