

NOTICE OF VACANCY

DATE: June 27, 2024

TITLE OF VACANCY: Alternative Education Truancy and Support Specialist

LOCATION: Douglas School/Travel

DAYS PER YEAR: 208 **HOURS PER DAY:** 8.5 (7:45 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. includes a 30 minute unpaid lunch)

REQUIREMENTS/QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Must have a Bachelor's Degree in Education or a Related Field (Master's Degree Preferred)
- 2. Ability to perform all job-related functions
- 3. Ability to understand and follow verbal or written directions
- 4. Ability to communicate and maintain good working relationships with other employees, general staff, community agencies, students and parents
- 5. Maintain accurate records
- 6. Experience with Adult Education preferred
- 7. Must be willing to perform home visits

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Monitor attendance for all middle and high school students at Douglas
- 2. Contact parents/guardians regarding absences
- 3. Meet weekly with students regarding truancy concerns
- 4. Make home visits to students and families regarding truancy concerns
- 5. Engage with staff and share attendance data as needed
- 6. Work closely with social workers to provide community resources to students and families
- 7. Provide resources to students seeking adult education needs
- 8. Track attendance and behavior data
- 9. Communicate with community agencies on a regular basis and serve as a liaison between the schools and agencies
- 10. Assist in transitioning students from alternative programs in the district to their home schools
- 11. Assist in supporting students from alternative programs in the district to their home schools
- 12. Other duties as assigned

APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 9, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

APPOINTMENT DATE:

July 25, 2024

SALARY: Daily Rate of \$295.92

BENEFITS:

Personal and Sick Leave - Medical Insurance - Life Insurance - Illinois Municipal Retirement - Paid Holidays (must be hired for minimum 20 hours per week to qualify for benefits and paid holidays)

SELECTION PROCESS:

Application, Selection, Interviews

HOW TO APPLY:

Go to $\underline{\text{Human Resources}}$ on the District Website, click on classified vacancies and follow online instructions OR

Refer application and resume to:

Gina McLaughlin-Schurman, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources Springfield Public Schools District 186 3063 Fiat Avenue Springfield, IL 62703 217-525-3006