

NOTICE OF VACANCY

DATE: August 17, 2021

TITLE OF VACANCY: Family & Community Engagement Liaison- One Year Only

LOCATION: Springfield High School

DAYS PER YEAR: 180 HOURS PER: 7.5

REQUIREMENTS/QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. 60 semester hours in Human Services or Education required; Bachelor's preferred.
- 2. Experience in Human Services or Education.
- 3. Successful experience working with community organizations.
- 4. Successful experience working with children and their families with various circumstances.
- 5. Effective interpersonal, oral and written communication skills.
- 6. Experience in developing and/or leading workshops and training.
- Experience in facilitating meetings.
- 8. Ability and desire to work in a team atmosphere.
- 9. Ability to maintain a flexible schedule, including early mornings, evenings and weekends or schedule modification
- 10. Possess strong problem solving skills and the ability to maintain confidentiality.
- 11. Possess strong organizational skills and the ability to prioritize and respond to deadlines while working multiple tasks and maintaining accurate records.
- 12. High degree of self-motivation and ability to work with minimum supervision.
- 13. Working knowledge of computer applications such as Google Suite and Apple devices.
- 14. Valid Illinois drivers license and transportation.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Serve as Family and Community Engagement Leader to families, students, staff and community.
- Empower families to fully participate in the family and community engagement team, and in school level decision-making.
- 3. Provide families with training to facilitate student learning at home.
- 4. Provide school staff with the professional development to deepen and grow trusting relationships with all families.
- 5. Make home visits to actively engage families in solving school-related concerns.
- 6. Plan and implement, in cooperation with the Principal and school staff, a strong 2-way communication plan.
- 7. Plan and implement, in cooperation with the Principal and school staff, family events aligned to school improvement goals.
- 8. Help schools in monitoring parent materials budget, securing food and materials for events as needed.
- 9. Actively participate on the school's instructional leadership team (ILT).
- 10. Make referrals to appropriate community resources.
- 11. Plan transportation for parent activities, conferences, and home visits.
- 12. Create deep levels of community partnerships.
- 13. Provide data/documentation, as needed, for Federal Program evaluation purposes and federal program compliance.
- 14. Perform other duties as assigned.

APPLICATION DEADLINE/OPEN UNTIL:

Upon Board Approval

EFFECTIVE DATE:

Until Filled

BENEFITS: Personal and Sick Leave - Medical

Insurance - Life Insurance - Illinois Municipal Retirement

(2020-2021 Salary Schedule) - Paid Vacation and Holidays

HOW TO APPLY: go to www.sps186.org/humanresources and click on classified vacancies, follow online instructions

OR

Refer application and resume to:

SALARY: \$23.36 per hour

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