

NOTICE OF VACANCY

DATE: December 17, 2024

TITLE OF VACANCY: Preschool for All - Expansion Parent Educator

LOCATION: Early Learning Center **REPORTS TO:** PK Programs Coordinator

DAYS PER YEAR: 180 (Remainder of the 2024-2025 School Year)

HOURS PER DAY: 8

REQUIREMENTS/QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Bachelor's degree in Child Development, Early Childhood Education, Social Work, or a related field
- 2. Commitment to supporting at-risk families
- 3. Documented successful experience working with young children and families
- 4. Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- 5. Ability to work non-traditional hours
- 6. Valid Illinois driver's license and reliable transportation

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Work closely with PK staff, families, and community partners to support the needs of children and families
- 2. Work with the PK teaching staff to increase parent involvement in their child's education
- 3. Coordinate and conduct home visits to support home-school connection, attendance concerns, and other needed family supports
- 4. Make referrals to appropriate community resources
- 5. Identify and develop potential partnerships with community entities with access to priority populations
- 6. Provide leadership support in day to day operations at PK locations
- 7. Plan and implement activities for parent involvement, parent workshops, and Parent Advisory council meetings
- 8. Assist with the maintenance and ordering of materials for PK toy and book lending libraries
- 9. Assist with developmental preschool screenings
- 10. Assist with the collection of data/documentation as needed for program evaluation purposes
- 11. Provide transportation, if needed, for parent activities and conferences
- 12. Serve as a role model to parents and students
- 13. Perform other duties as assigned

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Until Filled

SALARY: \$27.85 (24-25 Salary Schedule)

APPOINTMENT DATE:

Upon Board Approval

BENEFITS: Personal and Sick Leave - Medical Insurance -

Life Insurance - Illinois Municipal Retirement

SELECTION PROCESS: Application, Interview, and Selection

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

Refer application and resume to:

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