



# DISTRICT 186

SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## NOTICE OF VACANCY May 16, 2023

**TITLE OF VACANCY:** Special Education Teacher

**LOCATION:** Washington Middle School

**CONTRACT PERIOD:** 180 Days

**REPORTS TO:** Building Principal

### REQUIREMENTS/QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Valid Illinois PEL with LBS1 middle school endorsement
2. Successful teaching or student teaching experience
3. Strong interpersonal communication skills in working with general education teachers, students, parents and staff
4. Strong knowledge base of secondary curriculum
5. Strong organizational skills
6. Strong problem-solving skills
7. Strong knowledge of intervention strategies and progress monitoring experience
8. Ability to model teaching strategies to meet the needs of students' various learning styles
9. Ability to informally assess learning and/or behavioral needs of students & address those needs using documented data

### SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Work collaboratively with all special education and general education staff
2. Work under the direction of the building principal
3. Provide instruction as determined by the students' IEPs
4. Participate in the development of comprehensive Individual Education Plans for identified students including behavior intervention plans
5. Provide consultation, technical assistance and training to teachers and parents of students experiencing learning or behavioral problems
6. Provide information to parents relative to strategies that can be used at home to support the school's efforts
7. Take responsibility for implementation of IEPs for students on assigned caseload
8. Other duties as assigned

### APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Until Filled

### EFFECTIVE DATE:

First contractual day of the 2023-2024  
District 186 180-Day calendar

**SALARY and BENEFITS:** In accordance with current SEA negotiated agreement

**HOW TO APPLY:** go to <https://www.sps186.org/page/human-resources> and click on certified vacancies, follow online instructions *OR*

### Refer application and resume to:

Gina McLaughlin-Schurman  
Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources  
Springfield Public Schools District 186  
1900 West Monroe Street  
Springfield, IL 62704  
217-525-3006

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