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Title: Instructional Assistant

Anticipated start date: August 1, 2024

About Springer

Springer School and Center is a caring community supporting students diagnosed with learning disabilities and their families. Springer serves the community through four pillars: Springer Lower School and Middle School (grades 1-8), Springer High School (grades 9-10), Springer Diagnostic Center, and Springer Learning Center. Springer faculty and staff embrace the organization's mission and incorporate the core values of student growth/development, staff expertise/development, partnership, communication, and stability in their daily work.

Position Summary

Instructional Assistants are paired with a classroom teacher in the Lower School and in the Middle School. Instructional Assistants support student academic, social, and behavioral plans as determined by the classroom teacher, department, team, and/or organization in ways that are consistent with Springer's mission, values, and best practices.

Job Goals

- Develop meaningful relationships with students.
- Run small-group and whole-group instructional sessions as directed by the classroom teacher.
- Support student needs as directed by the classroom teacher.
- Complete administrative tasks as directed by the classroom teacher such as grading papers, preparing classroom materials and entering data in the student database.

Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree or equivalent
- Experience working with children.
- Passion for working with small groups with students.
- Embraces multicultural thinking and appreciates diverse perspectives.

Additional Preferred Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree or master's degree in Special Education.
- Active Intervention Specialist teaching license.
- Experience teaching students diagnosed with learning disabilities.
- Experience incorporating educational technology in a classroom setting.
- Coaching experience.



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Key Characteristics: Smart, dependable, personable and tech-savvy.

Terms of Employment: Full-time, 10 months per year (school year).

How to Apply

Qualified applicants should email a resume, cover letter and employment application (found on the Springer employment page) to dhoughton@springer-ld.org. The subject line of that email should reflect the position title.

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