# **Educational Assistant – Learning Loss**

# **Utilizing ESSER Funding for 2021-22 School Year**

# **QUALIFICATIONS**

1. Not less than a high school diploma or general equivalency diploma (copy of diploma or transcript must be submitted upon employment), **and** proof of additional training from one of the following:

Associates Degree, or

Minimum of 48 semester hours above the high school level at a college or university, or

Satisfactory score on a state-mandated equivalency test; and

2. Meets health and physical requirements.

**JOB GOAL** To provide academic assistance to identified students in ELA and math

#### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS**

- 1. Administer, score, and record such achievement and diagnostic tests as the teacher recommends for individual students;
- 2. Work with individual students or small groups of students to reinforce learning of material or skills using a variety of educational programs which may include technology;
- 3. Document student progress and what is completed in the class every day; and
- 4. Attend training sessions to appropriately utilize materials.

# PHYSICAL DEMANDS

This job may require lifting of objects that exceed fifty (50) pounds, or the average weight of a child, if assigned to elementary grades, with frequent lifting and/or carrying of objects weighing up to twenty-five (25) pounds. Other physical demands that may be required are as follows:

- 1. Pushing and/or pulling
- 2. Climbing
- 3. Stooping, kneeling and/or crawling
- 4. Reaching
- 5. Talking
- 6. Hearing
- 7. Seeing

#### **VOCATIONAL PREPARATION**

The required vocational preparation may come from any of the following:

- 1. Vocational education
- 2. Apprentice training
- 3. On-the-job training
- 4. Essential experience

## **TEMPERAMENT (Personal Traits)**

- 1. Adaptability to performing a variety of duties, often changing from one task to another of a different nature without loss of efficiency or composure.
- 2. Adaptability to accepting responsibility for the direction, control, or planning of an activity.
- 3. Adaptability to dealing with students.
- 4. Adaptability to generalizations, evaluations, or decisions based on sensory or judgmental criteria.

### **CAPACITY AND ABILITY REQUIREMENTS**

Specific capacities and abilities may be required of an individual to adequately learn or perform a task or job duty.

- 1. <u>Intelligence:</u> The ability to understand instructions and underlying principles. Ability to reason and make judgments.
- 2. Verbal: Ability to understand meanings of words and the ideas associated with them.
- 3. <u>Form Perception:</u> To make visual comparisons and discrimination and see slight differences in shapes and shadings of figures and widths and lengths of lines.
- 4. Manual Dexterity: Ability to move hands easily and manipulate small objects with the fingers.
- 5. <u>Color Discrimination</u>: The ability to perceive or recognize similarities or differences in colors or shades or other values of the same color.

## WORK CONDITIONS

Normal working environment – usually works 180 school days from 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**NON-EXEMPT** from the requirements of the *Fair Labor Standards Act* regarding earning (and being appropriately paid) time and a half for all work over forty hours in the defined work week (defined as Sunday 12:00 a.m. to the following Saturday at 11:59 p.m.).

## **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this position. They are not intended to be a complete list of responsibilities, duties and skills required of personnel so assigned.