



LA JOYA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
201 East Expressway 83
La Joya, TX 78560

Job Title: TTIPS Science Teacher Strategist

Wage/Hour Status: Exempt

Reports to: Campus Principal

Pay Grade: Teacher Salary Schedule

Dept./School: De Zavala Middle School

Initiated Date: August 20, 2009

Revised Date: November 8, 2011

District Primary Purpose: To assist and promote La Joya ISD in implementing a rigorous curriculum/instructional program that supports student success and achievement.

Department Primary Purpose: To assist classroom teachers in the use of science assessment data and results and plan instruction.

Qualifications:

Education/Certification: Bachelor Degree
Teacher Certificate Science 4th-8th or Generalist 4th -8th

Experience: Three or more years successful classroom teaching experience preferred

Knowledge/Skills: Science curriculum & instruction;
All level Science state assessment objectives,
strategies, and assessments;
Science programs for special populations;
Effective communication and interpersonal skills;
Commitment to professional growth/renewal.

Major Responsibilities and Duties:

1. Provide targeted assistance in curriculum and instruction through the use of assessments and data analysis.
2. Assist in compiling data from state assessments, district assessments and produce analysis reports based on results.
3. Provide leadership in the production, distribution and collection of assessments.
4. Assist teachers and administrators in the use of assessment results to improve instruction.

5. Provide training in the use of assessment results for planning of instruction in the critical areas of need.
6. Assist in staff development activities in the lowest performing objectives, areas of need (science), timelines and Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) implementation.
7. Demonstrate teaching strategies with students in classroom setting for observations by teachers.
8. Observe classroom instruction in targeted areas and provide teachers with feedback and assistance as appropriate.
9. Participate in activities most likely to lead to continued professional growth.
10. Other duties as allowed by the grant may be assigned to ensure effective and efficient implementation instruction.

WORKING CONDITIONS:

Mental Demands:

Ability to communicate effectively (verbally and written); interpret policy, procedures and maintain emotional control under stress. Ability to interpret and implement TEA rules and regulations.

Physical Demands/Environmental Factors:

Frequent district and some out-of-district travel; occasional prolonged and irregular hours, regular physical demands of stoop lifting and other strenuous demands of job performance.

POSITION WORKING DAYS: 207 Days

DATE POSTED:

DEADLINE: Until Filled

All applications must be submitted on line for professional and clerical positions to the La Joya I.S.D. Office of Human Resources Department. (www.lajoyaisd.com)

Applicants currently employed by the La Joya I.S.D need to submit an application, letter of intent and resume online. (www.lajoyaisd.com)

I, _____, certify that the foregoing statements describe the general purpose and responsibilities assigned to this job. Any other duties assigned must pertain to the Texas Title I Priority Schools (TTIPS) Grant. I understand that this position is contingent upon a specific Federal Grant that has been awarded to the LA Joya ISD and does not obligate the La Joya ISD to employ me once the Grant has ended. I understand the requirements and acknowledge that I have received a copy of this job description.

Employee Signature: _____ Date: _____