

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE POSITION:

Under the direction of the site Principal, the Student Intervention Specialist will provide oversight, training, education, program development and support for school site specific student intervention, prevention, and wellness efforts to support student wellness, mental health, and to close the achievement gap. Provides support for the District's Alternative to Suspension program, supports site administrators, counselors, and staff to implement tiered interventions through a Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS) for all students with a focus on the mental health and wellness of English Learners, Low Income Students, Foster Youth, McKinney-Vento Youth, and unaccompanied youth.

MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The following is a list of duties that are representative of the position and include but are not limited to:

- a. Collaborates to develop, implement, and monitor intervention, prevention, and wellness efforts to promote student success and close the achievement gap through site based Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) with a focus on the mental health and wellness of English Learners, Low Income Students, Foster Youth, McKinney-Vento Youth, and unaccompanied youth. *E*
- b. Provides direct support for school site 504 Accommodation Plans. *E*
- c. Collaborates with site administration, the site counseling team, public agencies, and community-based organizations to connect students and families in need of additional support to appropriate resources and services. *E*
- d. Provides support to the District's Alternative to Suspension Program *E*
- e. Collaborates to implement programs to improve student retention at the school site including, but not limited to: academic intervention, attendance interventions, drug/alcohol education, socio-emotional services, mental health services, and anger management. *E*
- f. Participates as necessary in Individualized Education Program (IEP) Meetings and Student Attendance Review Team meetings. *E*
- g. Coordinates site Student Study Team Meetings, and attends related District meetings as appropriate and assigned. *E*
- h. Collaborates with site administration, the site counseling team, community organizations and public agencies to coordinate Mental Health services and substance abuse prevention programs. Particularly acute cases will be referred immediately to the appropriate service provider or public agency. *E*
- i. Serves as a member of the site and District Crisis Team(s). *E*
- j. Prepares and delivers presentations to faculty, staff, and parents, regarding intervention, prevention, and wellness efforts to promote student success. *E*
- k. Ensures student and family privacy per state and federal law in respect to wellness efforts, Mental Health issues, and other services provided or facilitated by the school. *E*
- l. Collaborates with site administration and the site counseling team to identify and implement other means of correction programs in lieu of suspension in eligible cases. *E*
- m. Collaborates with site administration and the site counseling team on Foster Youth and McKinney Vento enrollments as well as students returning to the site from juvenile facilities, expulsion placements, charter schools, and home schools. *E*
- n. Performs other duties as assigned. *E*

REQUIREMENTS

WORK YEAR: Certificated Psychologist work year; 193 days

CREDENTIAL: Current valid Pupil Personnel Services Counseling Credential, Pupil Personnel Services Social Work Credential or Pupil Personnel Services School Psychologist Credential (required);

EDUCATION: Master's degree in education or related field from an accredited college or university (preferred)

Current and valid license with the CA Board of Behavioral Sciences; LCSW with the ability to provide clinical supervision to an Associate Social Worker/ASW (preferred)

EXPERIENCE: Two years successful experience as a counselor, social worker, or psychologist in PK – 12 schools or in a youth/family services setting (preferred);

Extensive experience working with diverse student populations; (preferred);

Extensive experience with mental health and intervention programs for youth/families (preferred);

Experience collaborating with county and community agencies (preferred)

OTHER: Bilingual in Spanish (strongly preferred);

Knowledge of Mixteco, Tagalog, and other world languages (preferred)

SALARY: Certificated Psychologist Salary Schedule

BENEFITS: Medical (employee contribution), 100% dental, vision