JOB TITLE

Foreign Language Teacher

REPORTS TO: Principal/Associate Principal	DEPARTMENT: Fine Arts
JOB DESCRIPTOR: H67	SCHEDULE: R D
DATE:	NON-EXEMPT X

NATURE AND SCOPE OF JOB:

The purpose of a teacher's job is to teach students to read, write, problem solve, compute, how to find information, how to think, how to work cooperatively with others, and to meet all district-required curriculum objectives.

JOB FUNCTIONS:

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Plans and implements a program of study that meets individual needs, interests, and abilities within the CCSD curriculum.
- 2. Implements curriculum objectives and goals using effective teaching techniques and materials.
- 3. Develops, in a cooperative manner with the principal and curriculum facilitators, a plan for the improvement and enrichment of instruction.
- 4. Writes weekly lesson plans describing daily learning experiences correlated to curriculum objectives.
- 5. Monitors and assesses student progress and provides feedback on a regular basis to students and parents/guardians.
- 6. Diagnoses, instructs, and evaluates specific students' needs and seeks assistance of specialists as needed.
- 7. Communicates aims/objectives to students in a well-planned, organized manner in clear, concise terms.
- 8. Creates a classroom environment conducive to learning and appropriate to the maturity of the students.
- 9. Assists administration in implementing all policies, vision, mission, philosophy, regulations, and rules of CCSD.
- 10. Creates educational experiences to provide students with opportunities to develop potential in self-esteem, personal-social adjustment, decision-making, and other life skills. Attempts to lead each student to an understanding and appreciation of the principles of democracy and endeavors to develop in each student a spirit of patriotism, with a full understanding that American

citizenship involves responsibilities as well as privileges.

- 11. Respects the dignity of each student as an individual and attempts to gain an adequate understanding of his/her needs, interests, abilities, aptitudes, temperament, and environmental influences, as a basis on which to meet his/her needs, and to treat him/her with fairness and courtesy.
- 12. Communicates concerns and ideas with colleagues, parents, students, and community in a positive, solution-oriented manner.
- 13. Assumes legal responsibilities for the discipline and supervision of students in the classroom, on school property, or in attendance at school-sponsored activities at all times and maintains a high standard of conduct and good rapport with students.
- 14. Strives to maintain and improve professional competence.
- 15. Assumes professional and personal responsibility for the management and progress of classes
- 16. under his/her authority, direction, and supervision.
- 17. Assumes individual responsibilities assigned by principal/supervisor which may relate to
- 18. committee work, student activities, student supervision, or other planning and professional assignments.
- 19. Maintains accurate, complete, legible, and correct records as required by law, CCSD policy, and administrative regulation.
- 20. Takes necessary precautions to protect students, equipment, materials, and facilities.
- 21. Conducts oneself in a business-like and task-oriented manner.
- 22. Strives to be a good employee as well as an effective teacher.
- 23. Seeks to establish friendly and cooperative relationships between the home and the school.
- 24. Provides parents with information that will serve the best interests of their children and is discreet with information received from parents.

OTHER FUNCTIONS:

- 1. Attends and supervises curriculum oriented field trips.
- 2. Attends parent and staff meetings.
- 3. Keeps informed by reading building and district communications.
- 4. Responds to requests for information in a timely manner.

--EMPLOYEES ARE HELD ACCOUNTABLE FOR ALL FUNCTIONS OF THIS JOB--

JOB QUALIFICATIONS:

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND MENTAL ABILITY:

- Possess a broad general knowledge of all subject areas with specific knowledge needed in contract areas.
- Possess group dynamics and interpersonal skills.
- Possess knowledge of psychological, emotional, and educational behavioral development of children.

- Possess classroom management skills which include discipline as well as record keeping and assessment ability.
- Possess technological and computer skills.
- Possess problem solving, imagination, patience, reasoning, creativity, judgement, and analytical abilities.

EDUCATION, LICENSE, CERTIFICATION OR FORMAL TRAINING

- Possess all certificates required for the State of Wyoming.
- Possess at a minimum a Bachelor's Degree.
- Continue to pursue graduate level classes for professional growth.

EQUIPMENT USED:

Calculator/Adding Machine VCR
Slide Projector
Overhead
Telephone
Movie Projector
Laser Player
Computer

PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

- Be able to stand, walk, and sit for long periods without fatigue or discomfort.
- Be able to lift up to 50 pounds and carry 50 feet.
- Be able to push up to 200 pounds up to 30 feet.
- Be able to pull up to 100 pounds up to 50 feet.
- Be able to carry up to 25 pounds for 50 feet throughout the work day.
- Be able to stoop, kneel, crouch, reach, handle, finger, talk, hear, and see.

ENVIRONMENTAL DEMANDS:

- Be able to spend most of the time inside classrooms with some work outside in cold/hot weather.
- Be able to tolerate noise up to 90 decibels.

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