

SOUTH EAST SOUTH CENTRAL SPECIAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE

Job Title: Educational Consultant with emphasis on Low Incident Populations with challenging behaviors such as Autism Spectrum Disorder

Qualifications: Master's Degree or above, classroom experience in working with students with a variety of moderate to severe disabilities, experience in developing and providing professional development to educational professionals, knowledge of Kentucky's Assessment and Accountability System including Alternate Assessment. Knowledge and experience in implementing research based instructional/discipline strategies, knowledge of and ability to apply the principals of applied behavior analysis, knowledge and experience in using the Kentucky Common Core Standards and related documents, knowledge and experience in special education law and due process procedures, intermediate technological/computer skills, strong interpersonal and communication skills, self-starter and independent worker.

Reports: SESC Special Educational Cooperative Director

Responsibilities:

- Identify, access, and use existing resources to support the efforts of the district in providing services to all students.
- Work with staff to model and demonstrate skills for appropriate instructional and discipline strategies specifically for students with low incidence disabilities
- Develop and coordinate professional development activities for regular and special education teachers, classroom assistants, and administrators.
- Work with districts to design, expand and evaluate programs serving students with and without disabilities.
- Provide support to schools to assist with programming for students will intense challenges.
- Work with special and regular education teachers in developing transition activities, appropriate positive behavioral supports and interventions, and instructional strategies and techniques.
- Provide ongoing, job embedded professional development for member district staff on collaboration, universal design for learning, IEP development and implementation, transition planning for post-secondary settings, accommodations and modifications for at risk learners.
- Provide training for staff on scientifically based instructional/learning strategies including collecting ongoing data on the effectiveness of the interventions.
- Provide consultation to teachers, paraprofessionals and administrators as requested.
- Complete classroom observations of teachers as they implement the techniques and strategies, and provide constructive feedback.
- Work with other WTEC staff and member district Directors of Special Education as assigned.

Terms of Employment: Contract: 220 days. Salary based on the KEDC salary scale. Consultant will be based out of the Richmond/London area. Employee must be available for atypical work hours such as early morning arrival or late evening meetings. Some overnight travel required.

Evaluation: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with Policy and Procedures developed by the KEDC board.

TO APPLY: Send application found on KEDC website, letter of application, resume and copy of Kentucky Teaching certification to:

Connie King
South East South Central Special Education Cooperative
707 North Second Street
Richmond, KY 40475 Fax: 859-624-4529
You may email application information to connie.king@kedc.org.

For more information contact: Belinda Bowling at (859) 893-2190 or e-mail at belinda.bowling@kedc.org

KEDC is an equal opportunity employer. Independent travel and occasional overnight lodging are required for this position. Applicants should be able to handle light-lifting and transport materials for training. It is preferable, but not required, that employees live within SESC area.