



CARY SCHOOL DISTRICT 26
JOB DESCRIPTION
CLASSROOM TEACHER

Reports To: Building Principal

Supervises: N/A

Position Summary:

The classroom teacher inspires and supports students' academic, social, and emotional growth. They will also create an engaging learning environment, adapt instruction to meet diverse needs, and collaborate with families and staff to foster a positive school community. Finally, classroom teachers will push themselves to keep up with best practices of teaching and learning to give students the best education possible.

Qualifications:

- Must hold a Professional Educator License (PEL) with the appropriate endorsements for the occupied position
- Must hold a bachelor's degree in education

Responsibilities Include:

- Be responsible for planning, teaching, and assessing student learning.
- Plan units that align to Illinois Academic Standards that meets the differentiated needs of learners in the classroom.
- Facilitate the learning process toward the achievement of curriculum goals and in alignment with the learning standards, establishing clear objectives for all lessons, units and projects and effectively communicating the objectives to the students.
- Create a classroom environment that is safe, inclusive, and conducive to learning and appropriate to the developmental level of the students in the classroom.
- Collaborate and coordinate with colleagues, including classroom teachers, specialists and related service professionals in order to provide appropriate supports for students.
- Employ a variety of instructional techniques and instructional media, consistent with the capabilities of the individuals and student groups within the classroom.
- Design and administer formative and summative assessments to assess student's progress on a regular basis.
- Maintain accurate, organized records and prepare reports of student progress and inform instruction.



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- Provide timely and constructive feedback to students.
 - Effectively communicate with parents through conferences and other methods.
 - Actively participate in professional learning, material selection, and committee work as assigned.
 - Increase professional competence by participating in district professional learning and seeking out other professional growth opportunities.
 - Perform other duties as assigned.

Skills:

- Deep understanding of evidence and researched based pedagogical practices to support classroom management and student engagement.
- Ability to analyze data and adjust instruction to meet the needs of all learners.
- Strong understanding of child development and best practices in education.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to create and maintain a positive, safe, and engaging classroom atmosphere.
- Proficiency in integrating technology into the classroom.
- Commitment to continuous professional growth.
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TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

This is a 180 Day per year position. Salary and benefits as established by the Board of Education.

JOB DESCRIPTION CREATION / REVISION DATE:

3/6/2025