

## **Mount Clemens Community Schools**

**Open Position: Special Populations Coordinator** 

DEADLINE: Until Filled

START DATE: ASAP

SALARY: \$90,000-\$110,000

LOCATION: District

REPORTS TO: Superintendent

## Responsibilities include, but not limited to:

- In collaboration with the principal, ensure compliance by the school with all local and federal laws and regulations relating to students with IEPs; ensure implementation of all special population plans.
- As needed, plan, implement, and facilitate professional learning and coaching for school staff related to maintaining compliance for special populations programs.
- Participate in the development and implementation of district procedures for programs.
- When needed, provide requested special populations data, reports, etc., required for grant applications and/or audits.
- Upon request, follow identified procedures for the collection and reporting of special population data for district, authorizer, county, state, and federal reports.
- Provide guidance for all special populations disciplinary actions i.e. attending board meetings as needed.
- Facilitate implementation of mediation and/or dispute resolution efforts for special populations as requested.
- As needed, coordinates all contractual services in collaboration with the Finance/HR Department:
  - Being the point of contact for new and existing vendors.
  - Leading interviews and providing recommendations for hire to the HR Department.
  - Manage and monitor any vendor/contract hires to evaluate continued partnership.
  - Make recommendations to Finance/Operations as to whether to continue or end a vendor relationship.
- Coordinate with Special Population team members to ensure all documents are completed in a timely manner (according to district, authorizer, county, state, and federal policies and procedures).
- Upon request, provide input to the Curriculum Coordinator and/or School Improvement Team to identify and develop appropriate curriculum and school-based assessments to support the academic growth of students with IEPs
- As the accommodation coordinator, collaborate with the testing coordinator to ensure the needs of accommodated students are met by:
  - Applying for PSAT/SAT accommodations
  - Identifying students who require accommodations and names appropriate accommodations per student for district and state testing
  - Providing input as requested regarding the administration of tests
- Maintain knowledge regarding developing special populations issues, i.e., changes in federal and local policy, through independent study, professional learning, and State, county, or authorizer meetings and communications.



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- Maintain confidentiality of student records and student information.
- Provide requested SpEd compliance-related data for Special Populations staff to the principal related to the evaluation of Special Populations staff.
- In collaboration with the principal, manage special populations-specific family inquiries, including, but not limited to, complaints and requests for evaluation.
- Participate in school-wide MTSS process as needed.
- Provide budget and ordering requests related to special populations annually.
- Identify recommended technical needs in PowerSchool Special Programs and report to supervisor, and support special populations staff in the use of PS Special Programs.
- Performs other functions and duties as assigned by the Superintendent or designee.

## **Qualifications:**

- Preferred Master's Degree in Education; BS in Special Education required.
- Michigan Teacher Certification in Special Education required; Michigan Certification in Educational Leadership preferred.
- Exceptional leadership, organization, planning, communication skills, and flexibility and desire to work as part of a team.
- Clear criminal history check, physical, and drug test, required; first aid training.

Please direct any questions regarding the position to Jennifer Daws HR@mtcps.org

Persons who are interested in this position should submit letters of interest, resume, credentials/certification and list of references in one document via email above or mail them to: Human Resource-Mount Clemens Community Schools 167 Cass Avenue – Mount Clemens, MI 48043