

Board of Education of the City of St. Louis CAREER OPPORTUNITY

Position Title:	Bilingual Parent Specialist		
Payroll/Personnel Type:	10 Month		
Reports to:	Supervisor		

Position Summary:

Perform duties required to determine parental and student needs and arrange for parental meetings with appropriate staff or community members to address those needs.

Essential Functions:

- Conduct a needs assessment to match parents' needs with resources
- Coordinate meetings between parents and qualified interpreters to facilitate written and verbal communication
- Contact staff so that fliers, letters and visual aids can be translated and deliver to students so parents can be kept informed of school events, etc.
- Meet with staff and community members to plan and organize presentations
- Arrange for location, translators, refreshments and childcare for the meeting
- Assist in testing students in all grade levels for English proficiency
- Grade LAS and Pre-LAS tests and record scores in student file
- Organize testing time and location with teachers
- Ensure a good testing environment and proper resources during LAS testing
- Performs other duties as assigned

Experience:

Minimum of one year job related experience

Education:

 Associate degree or a minimum of two years of college from a Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education recognized accredited college, university or community college

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Ability to analyze facts and determine action using a range of procedures within limits of standard practice
- Ability to interpret instructions furnished in written or oral form
- Ability to communicate, orally and in writing, with personnel at all organizational levels
- Ability to effectively work and interact with others
- Ability to be organized and orderly with good attention to detail
- Must be fluent in at least two languages, English and one other
- Knowledgeable of community resources available to LEP student participants



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Physical Requirements:

- Must be physically able to operate a motor vehicle
- Must be able to exert up to 10 pounds of force occasionally, and/or a negligible amount
 of force constantly to lift, carry, push, and pull or otherwise move objects, including the
 human body
- Light Work usually requires walking or standing to a signification degree

Working Conditions and Environment:

- Work is routinely performed in a typical interior/office environment
- Very limited or no exposure to physical risk

Disclaimer:

The information contained in this job description is for compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and is not an exhaustive list of the duties performed for this position. Additional duties are performed by the individuals currently holding this position and additional duties may be assigned.

Review/Approvals:				
Employee	Date	Immediate Supervisor	Date	
Human Resources	Date			

In connection with hiring for this position the district shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, age, disability, veteran status or national origin.