Posting Date: June 10, 2019

TITLE: Workplace Readiness Specialist

**REPORTS TO**: High School Principal and the Director of Special Education

**SUPERVISES**: N/A

**TERM**: 10 months

Qualifications:

**Organization Skills** 

Effective decision-making skills

Effective verbal and written communication skills

**JOB GOAL**: An employee who is responsible for assisting and instructing high

school students prepare for paid or non-paid work place learning

experiences.

**EVALUATION:** Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with

provisions of the Board's policy on evaluation of personnel.

## PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

Job Description: Workplace Readiness Specialist

- Work with students with a disability in on-the-job training experiences. Examples may include: job sampling, volunteer experiences, job shadowing, internships, apprenticeships, summer work experiences, and work-based learning.
- 2. Assist students in establishing an appropriate working relationship with co-workers and supervisors.
- 3. Teach students how to perform specific tasks and understand work place policies while modeling appropriate workplace behavior.
- 4. Assist students in determining priorities and goals for the work experience which will be reviewed on a weekly basis to insure that the essential functions of the job are being performed.

- 5. Demonstrate creativity in developing methods of teaching job tasks and modifying processes to accommodate the student's barriers to employment.
- 6. Understand and employ workplace safety procedures while monitoring the progress of students to ensure that safety policies are being followed.
- 7. Ensure that the student(s) is working according to expectations of job site supervisor.
- 8. Assess a student(s) ability to independently perform a learned skill.
- 9. Make independent decisions based on various factors to resolve any problems at the work site.
- 10. Utilize computer to enter data and operate other software as needed to perform the essential functions of the job.
- 11. Document student progress.
- 12. Maintain a high level of confidentiality, a professional demeanor.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Submit an application that is found at:
<a href="http://haywoodschools.com/haywood-county-schools/employment/">http://haywoodschools.com/haywood-county-schools/employment/</a>
or send a resume to Toni Eubanks at: toni.eubanks@hcsk12.net

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