Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind
Job Announcement
Deaf Mentor
2 positions available
Location: Northern Utah and St. George, Utah

Job Description
The Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (USDB) invites you to consider an enjoyable and gratifying employment opportunity with our School. We are looking for two knowledgeable, caring and innovative Deaf Mentors with the Parent Infant Program for the Deaf/Hard-of-Hearing. There is a position working in the Northern Utah area and a position working in St. George, UT.

Roles and Responsibilities
As a Deaf Mentor you will:

- Provide home-based services to families with deaf/hard-of-hearing children, age birth to three years, in the areas of American Sign Language (ASL) and deaf culture.
- Prepare and write lesson plans.
- Perform weekly home visits to children and families, following the curriculum provided, and models for parents the activities to be worked on with children during the week;
- Help families access deaf community activities and events.
- Apply bilingual, bicultural teaching methods to deaf/hard-of-hearing children.

Minimum Requirements
The ideal candidate:

- Must be deaf.
- Must have advanced American Sign Language (ASL) skills.
- Must have knowledge of Deaf culture.
- Must be well-versed in language acquisition, principles of ASL best practices, and have a specialization in teaching adults the principles of ASL and Deaf culture.
- Deal with people in a manner which shows sensitivity, tact, and professionalism.
- Communicate clearly and effectively.
- Maintain strict confidentiality.
- Successful completion of a criminal background check.

Compensation
$20.00 an hour. These positions are eligible for a full benefits package including medical, dental, life, and long-term disability insurance, a retirement plan, plus paid leave to include annual, sick, and holiday pay.

Application Process
To be considered for this position, you must register and submit an electronic application and resume on the Utah State Jobs website at the following link:
https://utdgohcm.csod.com/ux/ats/careersite/4/home/requisition/497?c=utdgohcm&sq=deaf%20mentor
The recruitment is open until filled.

The State of Utah is committed to equal employment opportunity regardless of race, color, ancestry, religion, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, citizenship, marital status, disability, gender identity, or Veteran status. We also consider qualified applicants regardless of criminal histories, consistent with legal requirements. For accommodations, please contact (801) 957-9390.