

Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind Job Announcement Math Teacher for the Blind/Low Vision Location: Ogden

Job Description

The Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind (USDB) invites you to consider a challenging and gratifying employment opportunity with our agency. We are seeking a dynamic and visionary individual to join our team as a Math Teacher for the Blind/Low Vision located in Ogden.

The Special Education Math Teacher will provide specialized instruction to students with diverse learning needs in the subject of mathematics at the secondary level. The teacher will collaborate with general education math teachers, support staff, and parents to create individualized education plans (IEPs) and implement strategies to support students with disabilities in achieving academic success in mathematics. The teacher will also provide consultation for the elementary teachers for mathematics instruction at the elementary level.

Principal Duties:

As a Teacher you will:

- Develop and implement individualized education plan goals related to math for students with disabilities in collaboration with the IEP team.
- Provide direct instruction in mathematics to students with diverse learning needs, adapting teaching methods to accommodate different learning styles and abilities.
- Use a variety of instructional strategies and resources to differentiate math instruction and support student engagement and learning.
- Collaborate with general education math teachers to modify and adapt curriculum materials to meet the needs of students with disabilities.
- Monitor and assess student progress in mathematics, and provide ongoing feedback to students, parents, and the IEP team.
- Maintain accurate and up-to-date records of student progress, including IEP goals, accommodations, and modifications as they relate to math instruction.
- Communicate effectively with parents, colleagues, and other stakeholders to support student learning and well-being.
- Consult with elementary teachers with instructional strategies, model instruction, create manipulatives for elementary students.
- Performs other duties as assigned

The Ideal Candidate:

The Ideal Candidate will possess or eligibility of:

- Bachelor's degree (required) or Master's degree (preferred) in Special Education or related field, with a focus on math instruction.
- State of Utah Teaching License with a Visually Impaired or math endorsement (or be willing to complete within 3 years of hire).
- Experience working with students with diverse learning needs, including those with specific learning disabilities, emotional/behavioral disorders, and intellectual disabilities.
- Knowledge of special education laws, regulations, and best practices in mathematics instruction for students with disabilities.
- Successful completion of criminal background check.

Compensation:

Salary based on Teacher Salary Schedule commensurate with education and experience. Full-time positions are eligible for a full benefits package including medical, dental, life, and long-term disability insurance, a retirement plan, personal and sick leave, and other valuable benefits.

Application Process:

Those interested in this position may apply by submitting a letter specifically addressing the qualifications listed in this announcement, current resume, transcripts, copy of teaching license, and 3 or more professional references. Please send all application materials to:

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