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## SCOTCH PLAINS-FANWOOD BOARD OF EDUCATION JOB DESCRIPTION OFFICE ASSISTANT

Date of Adoption: December 22, 2011

**JOB TITLE**: Office Assistant

**REPORTS TO:** Designated Administrator

#### NATURE AND SCOPE OF JOB:

The Office Assistant's basic function is to perform diversified duties connected with the operation of the assigned office under the direction of the building or department administrator.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. Strong interpersonal and communication skills
- 2. Provide evidence that a criminal record history check has been conducted and clearance has been given by the Department of Education. During the initial six-month period, provide a sworn statement that there have not been any convictions of a crime or a disorderly person's offense in accordance with 18A:6-7.1.
- 3. Provide evidence that health is adequate to fulfill the job functions and responsibilities with reasonable accommodation pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 12101 and in accordance with N.J.A.C. 6:3-4A.4.
- 4. Pass the State required Mantoux Intradermal Tuberculin Test as required by N.J.A.C. 6:3-4A.4.
- 5. Meet such alternates to the above qualifications, as the Superintendent may deem appropriate, acceptable and legal.

#### **EMPLOYMENT TERMS:**

Salary and work year to be determined by the Board of Education and in accordance with the negotiated agreement with the Scotch Plains-Fanwood Education Association.

## **JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:**

An Office Assistant performs standardized computer and clerical duties that follow well-established methods and procedures, including:

- 1. Operates electronic typewriters, computers, copiers and other standard office equipment
- 2. Sorts and files correspondence and documents; removes documents from files upon request (e.g. student transfers) and keeps records of movement of materials.
- 3. Posts daily reports and records as required, e.g. school lunch and attendance data
- 4. Maintains and updates records
- 5. Handles staff and student requests, concerns and problems in an efficient and effective manner
- 6. Keeps time and attendance records
- 7. Receives, evaluates, identifies and redirects callers

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- 8. Distinguishes between routine matters and those that should be referred to the proper administrator
- 9. Maintains a close working relationship with administrators, secretarial and clerical staff within the district
- 10. Supports the Principal and school Executive Secretary in the day-to-day operations of the office
- 11. All other duties as assigned.

## **EVALUATION:**

The Designated Administrator shall evaluate the Office Assistant in accordance with Board Policy, this Job Description, and such other criteria as shall be established by the Board of Education.