



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position: Literacy Specialist

Closing Date: July 1, 2010

Location: Delaware School for the Deaf

Qualifications:

- Eligible for State of Delaware Certification
- Master's Degree in Deaf Education
- Extensive knowledge and experience in best teaching practices for deaf children in ASL and English Language Arts as a subject and in other content areas
- Experience in preparing and providing professional development
- Fluency in American Sign Language and English
- Successful completion of the State of Delaware Pre-Professional Skills Test (only for those candidates not already certified in Delaware and may be met after position has been offered)
- Criminal background check and drug screening required prior to employment
- Trained in CAEBER (AEBPD) preferred

Starting Date: August 18, 2010

Salary: Teacher salary schedule based on experience and degree.
Salary Scale can be found on the district's website:

http://www.christina.k12.de.us/HumanResources/SalarySchedules/0910/Teacher_Salary_Table.pdf

Benefits: Extensive benefit package

Application Procedure: Interested applicants must submit a teaching application along with copies of PRAXIS scores, transcripts and teaching license to the following address no later than **July 1, 2010**:

Delaware School for the Deaf
Attn: Francine Motley
620 East Chestnut Hill Road
Newark, DE 19713
(302) 454-2303 V/TTY
(302) 454-2497 FAX
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**Literacy Specialist
Delaware School for the Deaf**

Responsibilities include working in a partnership/team role with another Literacy Specialist to:

- Work with classroom teachers in the development/modification/implementation of curriculum and research based best instructional practices for educating deaf children
- Keep informed and inform school community of all new applicable research
- Work in classrooms as an instructional coach
- Develop and/or provide Professional Development training and activities to staff and parents
- Provide support and technical assistance to parents/families in their efforts to raise/educate a deaf child
- Review and recommend appropriate instructional materials for teachers and/or school program
- Coordinate, maintain and distribute instructional materials in the Literacy Center
- Assist with assessments and school improvement plan
- Attend district, state and national level meetings and conferences, representing DSD