# JOB DESCRIPTION Tahoe Truckee Unified School District

## **CUSTODIAN**

# **Purpose Statement:**

The job of Custodian is done for the purpose/s of maintaining a sanitary, safe and attractive campus for students, staff and public; providing equipment and furniture arrangements for meetings, classroom activities and events; and minimizing property damage, loss and liability exposure.

#### **Essential Functions**

- Arranges furnishings and equipment for the purpose of providing adequate preparations for meetings, classroom activities and events.
- Cleans assigned school facilities (e.g. classrooms, offices, gym, restrooms, multipurpose rooms, grounds, etc.) for the purpose of maintaining a sanitary, safe and attractive environment.
- Evaluates situations (e.g. involving staff, students, parents, the public, etc.) for the purpose of taking appropriate action and/or directing to appropriate personnel for resolution.
- Inspects school facilities for the purpose of ensuring that the site is suitable for safe operations, maintained in an
  attractive and clean condition, and/or identifying necessary repairs due to vandalism, equipment breakage, weather
  conditions, etc.
- Maintains supplies and equipment (e.g. cleaning solutions, paper products, vacuum, mops, etc.) for the purpose of ensuring the availability of items required to properly maintain facilities.
- Prepares facility for daily operations (e.g. opening gates, building access doors, disarming security systems, raising flag, cross walk signs, minor repairs, etc.) for the purpose of ensuring school facilities are operational and safe.
- Repairs furniture and equipment for the purpose of ensuring that items are available and in safe working condition.
- Responds to immediate safety and/or operational concerns (e.g. facility damage, injured and ill students, alarms, etc.) for the purpose of taking appropriate action to resolve immediate safety issues and maintaining a functioning educational environment.
- Secures facilities and grounds for the purpose of minimizing property damage, equipment loss and potential liability to organization.

### **Other Functions**

- Assists in snow removal for the purpose of maintaining a safe environment.
- Assists other personnel for the purpose of supporting them in the completion of their work activities.
- Attends in service training (e.g. blood born pathogens, cleaning solvents, floor care, first aid, etc.) for the purpose of receiving information on new and/or improved procedures.

#### **Job Requirements: Minimum Qualifications**

### Skills, Knowledge and Abilities

SKILLS are required to perform multiple, non-technical tasks with a potential need to upgrade skills in order to meet changing job conditions. Specific skills required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: adhering to safety practices; handling hazardous materials; and operating equipment used in industrial cleaning.

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KNOWLEDGE is required to perform basic math, including calculations using fractions, percents, and/or ratios; understand written procedures, write routine documents, and speak clearly; and understand complex, multi-step written and oral instructions. Specific knowledge required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job includes: health standards and hazards; methods of industrial cleaning; and safety practices and procedures

ABILITY is required to schedule activities; collate data; and use basic, job-related equipment. Flexibility is required to work with others in a variety of circumstances; work with data utilizing specific, defined processes; and operate equipment using a variety of standardized methods. Ability is also required to work with a diversity of individuals; work with specific, job-related data; and utilize a variety of types of job-related equipment. In working with others, Problem solving with data requires following prescribed guidelines; and problem solving with equipment is limited to moderate. Specific abilities required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: meeting deadlines and schedules; setting priorities; and communicating with diverse groups.

# Responsibility

Responsibilities include: working under limited supervision using standardized practices and/or methods; providing information and/or advising others; and operating within a defined budget and/or financial guidelines. There is an opportunity to significantly impact the Organization's services

# **Working Environment**

The usual and customary methods of performing the job's functions require the following physical demands: significant lifting, carrying, pushing, and/or pulling; frequent stooping, kneeling, crouching, and/or crawling; and significant fine finger dexterity. Generally the job requires 0% sitting, 65% walking, and 35% standing. The job is performed under some temperature extremes and some hazardous conditions.

**Experience** Job related experience is required.

**Education** High School diploma or equivalent.

### **Required Testing**

Pre-employment Proficiency Test Physical Capacities Test

# Continuing Educ. / Training

None Specified

# Certificates & Licenses

None Specified

### **Clearances**

Criminal Justice/Fingerprint Clearance TB Clearance

FLSA Status

Non Exempt

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