

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT  
IOWA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF  
**SCHOOL ASSISTANT - PE/Locker Room Supervisor – male**

**Primary Function:** Under the supervision of assigned staff member, works directly with students in activities programmed by the supervisor. Duties require the ability to work in a group or one-on-one with a student to provide additional support and assistance. This position will perform duties under the direct supervision of the classroom teacher and will provide assistance to the physical education teachers and locker room supervision for the boys' locker room and showering area.

**Characteristic Duties and Responsibilities:**

1. Receives oral and written instructions from immediate supervisor
2. Works with and services needs of children on a group or individual basis in personal, classroom, recreation, dormitory or busing activities.
3. Knows child's location, special needs and interests, social development, school progress and/or family background, and confers with other teachers, assistants, houseparents, health staff and/or other staff regarding the child's welfare.
4. Provides oral and written reports as requested or necessary for the welfare status of the students.

The tasks listed under the heading of Characteristic Duties and Responsibilities are examples of the variety and general nature of duties performed by employees in positions allocated in the class. The list is descriptive only and should be used for no other purpose. It is not intended that any position includes every duty listed nor is it intended that related duties cannot be required.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:**

1. Ability to communicate orally and in writing.
2. Knowledge of basic principles and procedures of first aid.
3. Ability to keep accurate, up-to-date records.
4. Knowledge of emergency evacuation procedures.
5. Knowledge of human behavior and needs of impaired children.
6. Ability to reach the level of sign language proficiency designated for their position within the time frame established by the School's "Sign Language Communication Policy".

**Minimum Eligibility Requirements:**

- Fluency in sign language is preferred.
- An understanding of the educational need of deaf and/or hard-of-hearing children and previous work experience with deaf and /or hard-of-hearing children is strongly preferred.
- Ability and willingness to obtain a Life Guard Certificate desired.
- Candidates with the State of Iowa Paraeducators Certificate; or 2 years of related college courses; or COMPASS score of 150 (Reading score of 57, a Writing score of 50, and a Math score of 43) desired.

***Applicant must have satisfactory criminal history and child abuse registry background checks before hire.***

**Wage and Benefits:** Pay starts: \$12.26/hour. A full benefit package is available.

**Work Schedule:** Full time, forty hours per week, school year position, Monday through Friday 7:30 am 3:30 pm.

**Application Deadline:**

Apply by downloading application from ISD's website [www.iowaschoolforthe deaf.org](http://www.iowaschoolforthe deaf.org) and mailing to ISD, Human Resources, 3501 Harry Langdon Blvd, Council Bluffs, IA 51503; or by coming to ISD's main administration building and turning in an application at the front desk. Or phone 712-366-0571 and request to have an application mailed to you. Be sure to indicate the position you are applying for on the front page. Include a copy of your State of Iowa Paraeducators Certificate and/or a copy of your college transcripts and/or a copy of your COMPASS scores if applicable.

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