# EASTERN CAMDEN COUNTY REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### JOB DESCRIPTION

# **ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

**NOTE**: This job description applies to, but is not limited to the staff in the following offices, who may be referred to as secretarial, clerical and/or administrative assistant staff: Superintendent's Office, Business Office, Director of Professional Development, Curriculum & Instruction, Principal's Office, Vice Principals' Offices, Attendance Office, Special Services Office, Guidance Office, Athletic Office, Food Services Office

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. High school diploma
- 2. Demonstrated computer proficiency
- 3. Executive/Confidential secretarial experience preferred
- 4. Organizational/time management skills
- 5. Ability to deal with public & staff
- 6. Ability to deal with multiple tasks/duties
- 7. Thorough knowledge of general office procedures, office practices, office machinery, word processing, computer applications, general accounting and other general office tasks.
- 8. Ability to establish priorities, work efficiently and accurately, follow directions, and successfully complete tasks in a timely fashion.
- 9. Such alternatives to the above qualifications as may be appropriate, or as may be specific to the individual position.

**REPORTS TO:** District administrator or supervisor who oversees

the department.

**JOB GOALS:** Assist administrator or supervisor with the day-to-

day operation of the school district.

# **PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:**

1. Promote and manage an efficient educational/administrative office.

- 2. Provide consistent, organized support to the office administrator.
- 3. Initiate and independently execute procedures, projects and research that support the office function, with the administrator's/supervisor's approval.
- 4. Create an office atmosphere that promotes positive public relations and establishes good working relationships with other office support staff, school staff, the public and other governing agencies.
- 5. Perform all clerical duties: typing; answering telephones; scheduling meetings and appointments; maintaining the administrator's calendar, if requested; opening of all mail received, to be date stamped and distributed as directed.
- 6. Possess the ability to write clear and concise memoranda, directives or letters without close supervision.
- 7. Maintain manuals, prepare formal documents for distribution as directed, and research information as needed.
- 8. Maintain confidentiality and integrity of the office with matters pertaining to, but not limited to litigation, student matters, staff matters, negotiations, medical reports, etc.
- 9. Prepare reports, communications, and other documents as directed by the administrator/supervisor.
- 10. Update, maintain, establish and implement database systems pertinent to the office.
- 11. Handle delegated administrative directives, requests for information, and other matters brought to the office.
- 12. Carry out instructions with minimum supervision.
- 13. Advise the administrator/supervisor immediately of any problems, concerns, and situations that may an impact on the district's smooth operation.
- 14. Draft, review, and edit routine correspondence for the administrator's or supervisor's signature.
- 15. As the administrator's or supervisor's representative, receive the public in person and by telephone, channeling inquiries, and answering questions in a knowledgeable manner.
- 16. Prepare and compile reports as required by the State, County, and other reporting agencies and maintain or monitor the maintenance of information for the reports.

- 17. Maintain, if requested, the appointment calendar of the administrator/supervisor and schedule meetings as directed.
- 18. Maintain office files and records.
- 19. Demonstrate willingness to be flexible in adjusting to new situations, environments, and personalities as well as a willingness to learn and expand skills as needed.
- 20. Perform any and all other duties that may be assigned by the administrator, or are specific to the department where the Administrative Assistant is assigned.

**TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:** Ten (10) or Twelve (12) month position; salary and work

year established by the Board of Education.

**ANNUAL SALARY:** To be established by the Board of Education.

**EVALUATION:** This position will be evaluated in

accordance with Board of Education policies.

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