

HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHER

The Wattsburg Area School District is looking for a Special Education Teacher anticipated March 2025.

Shift: Full time, regular school schedule

Salary Range: Minimum of \$44,325 based on degree(s), prorated.

Benefits: Full employer paid medical while employed.

Overview:

We are seeking a dedicated educator to teach Emotional Support. The ideal candidate will be certified in Special Education. Individuals with a bachelor's degree in a related field are eligible and will be considered. This is a full-time position.

Key Responsibilities:

- Teach assigned students/classes the approved curriculum.
- Engages students actively and meaningfully through lesson design, instruction, and assessment.
- Identifies and implements appropriate instructional practices and methods to meet students' varying ability levels and special needs.
- Uses an appropriate variety and number of assessments to determine student academic progress.
- Provides written feedback to students on assessed material on a regular basis.
- Implements the IEP requirements of special needs students.
- Establishes communication with parents through a variety of means to inform them of academic and behavioral progress and achievement.
- Maintains accurate and complete records as required by law, district policy, and administrative regulations, including all mandated special education paperwork.
- Develops appropriate IEPs with measureable annual goals and SDIs based on student's needs.
- Collaborates with regular education teachers and other staff to provide support, adaptations and modifications for students on their caseload.
- Attends all required special education trainings and in-services as specified by the supervisor of special education.
- Attends special education meetings (IEP/ER/RR) and building level team meetings as appropriate.
- Maintains confidentiality with student information.

Qualifications:

- Certified Special Education Teacher.
- Strong organizational skills.
- Effective written and oral communication skills.
- Self-motivated and adept at problem solving and critical thinking.
- Ability to work as part of a team.

Required Clearances:

- Act 34, 114, and 151 clearances, Act 126 Mandated Reporter Training; and
- Act 168 Sexual Abuse/Misconduct Disclosure; and
- Health physical and tuberculin skin test required.

Application Process:

All qualified individuals should visit the District's website at:

<https://www.wattsburg.org/EmploymentOpportunities.aspx> and follow the instructions for items that must accompany your Instructional Application, including, but not limited to:

- Cover letter of interest
- Resume
- Letter(s) of reference
- Pennsylvania Standard Teaching Application
- Copy of certification
- Transcripts
- Copy of required clearances as listed