

Title: Teacher Assistant - Elementary Classroom

Work Year: August - May

Work Hours: 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM, Monday-Thursday; Total of 28 hours.

Pay Rate: \$15.00 per hour

Reports To: Classroom Teacher and School Principal

Job Summary:

The elementary classroom teacher assistant supports the classroom teacher in creating a positive and effective learning environment. This role involves assisting with instructional tasks, classroom management, and providing individual support to students. The ideal candidate will be a dedicated Christian role model both on and off campus, have a passion for working with children, strong organizational skills, and the ability to work collaboratively with teachers and staff.

Qualifications:

- High school diploma or equivalent; associate's degree or higher preferred
- Experience working with children in an educational setting
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- Ability to follow instructions and work collaboratively with the classroom teacher
- Patience, flexibility, and a positive attitude
- Basic proficiency in educational technology and software
- CPR and First Aid certification is a plus
- Dedicated Christian role model that upholds the standards of the Seventh-day Adventist Church, has a proven ability to work with students, and desires to share Jesus Christ with them.

General Responsibilities:

- Assist the classroom teacher in implementing instructional activities and lesson plans.
- Support the academic and social development of students
- Maintain a safe and orderly classroom environment
- Provide individual and small group instruction as directed by the classroom teacher.
- Self-motivated with the ability to perceive what needs to be done and carry out the task

- to completion.
- Perform administrative and clerical tasks to support classroom activities.

Specific Duties and Responsibilities:

- Instructional Support: Assist with the preparation and delivery of instructional materials and activities, including setting up learning centers, preparing worksheets, and organizing supplies
- **Student Assistance:** Provide individual and small group support to students who need additional help with assignments, projects, or activities
- Classroom Management: Help maintain a positive and orderly classroom environment by monitoring student behavior, enforcing classroom rules, and assisting with transitions between activities
- **Supervision:** Supervise students during recess, lunch, and other non-instructional times to ensure their safety and well-being
- Clerical Duties: Perform administrative tasks such as copying, filing, and organizing student work, as well as maintaining classroom records and attendance
- **Communication:** Communicate effectively with the classroom teacher, other staff members, and parents as needed to support student learning and development
- Support for Special Needs: Provide support to students with special needs, following
 individualized education plans (IEPs) and accommodations as directed by the classroom
 teacher
- Classroom Setup: Assist with the setup and cleanup of classroom activities and projects, ensuring materials and supplies are ready for use

OTHER DUTIES

Any other duties or tasks as requested by your supervisor

Evaluation:

Performance evaluations will be conducted twice yearly by the Classroom Teacher and School Principal.