JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Summary:

The Director/Producer of the Theatre Company is responsible for all aspects of a theatre company for students K-12. S/He directs and manages the entire Theatre Company, including managing budgets, obtaining facilities, coordinating staff and members of the company, development, implementation and evaluation of curriculum. The Director/Producer works collaboratively with the Educational Consultant Team and the VAPA Curriculum Development Specialist and reports to the Assistant Superintendent, Instructional Services.

Job Title: Director – Theatre Company (9765)

Essential Functions:

- Directs and produces Theatre Company activities to implement an effective performing arts program for students in grades K-12.
- Obtains suitable rehearsal and performance facilities to house the company.
- Recommends staff to implement theatre company programs.
- Develops/Maintains entrée to schools/students/arts teachers to recruit students/teachers to the Theatre Company.
- Selects appropriate material for performances and activities.
- Designs/implements/evaluates related on-going school site activities to expand theatre-related opportunities for students.
- Collaborates with other Tulare County Office of Education (TCOE) service units to develop, implement and evaluate the Theatre Company program.
- Develops a collaborative relationship with the professional arts community for the support of, and involvement in, the program.
- Develops school-to-work components to facilitate students making a connection between Theatre Company experience and the world of work.
- Forges relationship with College of the Sequoias to develop an articulated program and nurture higher education involvement in the Theatre Company.
- Develops/manages budgets to implement Theatre Company programs.

Skills, Knowledge and/or Abilities:

Skills to:

- Perform word processing, spreadsheet, database, email, Internet applications
- Organize
- Create original scripts, direct productions, oversee all related technical theater aspects.
- Stage and produce theatrical productions
- Develop programs
- Work with students in grades K-12
- Work collaboratively with others
- Coordinate staff activities
- Develop curriculum
- Manage a theatre company

Knowledge of:

- Current available materials for use in the Company
- Theatre company management
- Budget development/management
- Public relations/marketing
- California Framework for Visual and Performing Arts an Arts Standards
- Copyright procedures

Ability to:

- Communicate effectively, orally, and in writing
- Communicate via the telephone
- Lift and carry up to 50 pounds, usually with assistance
- Travel using own vehicle
- Use presentation and multimedia equipment

Experience Required:

Minimum 4 years' experience in theatre direction and/or production.

Education Required:

- High school diploma or the equivalent.
- Bachelor of Arts in Theatre, Music or Dance preferred.

Certificates, Licenses, Clearances, Testing and/or Bonding Required:

- Valid California Driver's License and proof of automobile insurance.
- Department of Justice and FBI Fingerprint Response and negative TB test at own expense.

FLSA Status: Exempt October 2016

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