MT. DIABLO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Administrator, Non-Public Schools and Agencies

Primary Function Oversee the planning and coordination of Non-Public School/Agencies (NPS/A)Program and Services budget including program placement, program oversight and program development.

Directly Responsible to Chief, Pupil Services and Special Education or Designee

Major Responsibilities

- Communicates with appropriate Non-public schools and agencies related to program operations and placements focused on maintaining students in least restrictive environments.
- 2. Advises and collaborates with Program Specialist and site staff regarding placement of students in the Non-Public School (NPS) programs.
- 3. Represents the district in IEP meetings related to NPS Placements.
- 4. Maintains records related to NPS/A services.
- 5. Maintains a tracking system of information related to NPS/A students.
- 6. Monitors NPS sites for annual site visit compliance.
- 7. Develops training opportunities for district and site staff, as appropriate.
- 8. Advises the Chief, Pupil Services and Special Education of program/policy needing development in relation to NPS/A placements.
- 9. Maintains on-going communication with parents/community.
- 10. Participates as staff to the Community Advisory Committee.
- 11. Responds to parents regarding NPS/A issues.
- 12. Works with the Special Education Administrative team to identify systemic improvements that will increase placement in Least Restrictive Environments.
- 13. Develops and implements contracts with non-public schools.
- 14. Oversees the budget for non-public schools and non-public school agencies in collaboration with the staff in the fiscal department.
- 15. Performs other activities and duties as required or assigned by the Chief Pupil Services and Special Education.

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Qualifications Knowledge and Skills

- 1. Extensive knowledge of State and Federal special education laws, regulations, and procedures.
- 2. Knowledge of special education programs for ages 0-22.
- 3. Knowledge of disabilities as well as treatment and remediation strategies.
- 4. Ability to exhibit the qualities of leadership essential to the successful administration of special education.
- 5. Ability to exercise good judgment and tact.
- 6. Ability to cope with emergency situations.
- 7. Knowledge of curriculum concepts and materials pertinent to special education.
- 8. Ability to speak and write effectively.

- 9. Ability to work effectively with all segments of the educational community and general public.
- 10. Knowledge of school district operations and procedures.
- 11. Ability to work effectively with individuals and large groups.

Education, Training and Experience

- 1. Post graduate work in special education, pupil personnel services, school administration, or a related field. Completion of a masters of education in Special Education or in a related field.
- 2. Knowledge and experience in one or more areas of major disability conditions, in preschool handicapped, career/vocational development, and transition assistance.
- 3. Progressively responsible experience in providing administrative leadership in either special education or pupil personnel services.
- 4. Knowledge of curriculum concepts and materials pertinent to special education.

Licenses and Other Requirements
Bachelor's Degree in Special Education or related field
Possession of a valid California driver's license.

Management Salary Schedule Range 25
Approved by the Board of Education: XXXX