



Mecosta-Osceola Intermediate School District

Administrative Offices: 15760 190th Avenue, Big Rapids, MI 49307

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NOTICE OF VACANCY

Title: School Psychologist

Program: Special Education Itinerant Services

Start date: March 15, 2025 or as soon as possible

Classification/FLSA: Union, Exempt, Non-Administrative

Duration: Full-time school year position

183 days / 7 hours per day

Reports to: MOISD Special Education Supervisor

Location: Mecosta-Osceola ISD

Position Summary: The School Psychologist plays an integral role as part of a multidisciplinary team focused on meeting the needs of students with disabilities as identified through the Individualized Education Program (IEP) process.

Professional Requirements / Education and Experience

- Must have full approval and certification as a school psychologist by the Michigan Department of Education or eligibility for temporary approval.
- Must have completed a graduate degree in an approved school psychology certification program.
- Preference will be given to applicants who have successful prior experience as a school psychologist.
- Thorough understanding of special education laws, regulations and processes.
- Demonstrated aptitude for work to be performed, such as, but not limited to: positive work ethic, well organized, strong communication skills, basic technology skills, and flexibility to work effectively with diverse students and staff.
- Ability to provide positive behavioral support to students in a group and in an individual setting.
- Knowledge of management techniques and instructional use of computers will enhance the candidate's ability to perform job duties.
- Must pass a criminal history background investigation conducted by the Michigan State Police (MSP) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

Essential Duties

- Be knowledgeable of and prepared to implement the National Association of School Psychologist practice model.
- Support students' ability to learn and the teacher's ability to teach through consultation and intervention.
- Apply expertise in mental health, learning, and behavior to help students succeed academically, socially, behaviorally, and emotionally.
- Develop partnerships with families to strengthen connections between home, school, and the community.
- Participate as an active team member with teachers, school administrators, and other professionals to create safe, healthy, and supportive learning environments.
- Engage in professional development education and be a leader in the implementation of best practices of school psychology and special education.

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- Timely and accurate completion of written reports and related records as needed by the Mecosta-Osceola Intermediate School District and local education agency.
- Participate as a member of the IEPT and as a member of the MET when appointed for initial change of status and re-evaluations.
- Communicate evaluation results to parents, referral sources, and colleagues within the school setting before the IEPT meeting using clear and understandable language.
- Assume responsibility for keeping informed of current developments in own field and the related field of special education and maintain readiness to adapt to change.
- Organize time, energy, and workload in order to meet responsibilities and complete assignments with due consideration of priorities among various responsibilities.
- Maintain a cooperative, harmonious relationship with professionals and others within the school setting.
- Follow all established policies, practices, and procedures in terms of duties and responsibilities of the position.
- Assume responsibility to transport self to the assigned worksite(s) and maintain regular, reliable and prompt attendance.
- Additional duties as assigned by the Assistant Superintendent of Special Education or designee.

Compensation: Based on current MOISD-MEA contract; commensurate with credentials and level of experience.

Benefits: Full benefits package including medical, dental, vision, life/add & ltd, employee assistance program; MPSERS retirement; Paid sick and personal leave; Opportunities for professional development and advancement with tuition reimbursement available.

Posting date: 02/25/2025

Application deadline: 03/15/2025 or until filled

Please submit cover letter, resumé and references, and applicable transcripts to:

Dana Boglarsky, Human Resources Specialist

Email: jobs@moisd.org

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