



## SPECIAL EDUCATION PRESCHOOL TEACHER

We are a leader in the INCLUSION teaching model.

Entry level ECSEs welcome to apply (we will help you get your intern ECSE credential.)

The Special Education Teacher adapts the preschool curriculum to best support children with a variety of special needs. The Special Education Teacher collaborates with the preschool team and families in educating children in an inclusive and/or special day class environment with an emphasis on cognition, behavior, social-emotional development, and kindergarten readiness.

### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Supervise day-to-day operations of inclusive preschool classroom and ensure overall health/safety of the program (including allergy awareness and other dietary restrictions) and adherence to licensing standards
- Responsible for ongoing development, evaluation and oversight of the child-centered, play-based curriculum for children with special needs
- Lead staff in the supervision and guidance of children with special needs, ages 2 to 5 years old, including planning and implementation of classroom activities
- Model exemplary behavior with children, families, and colleagues
- Change diapers and assist with self-help skills in the restroom
- Communicate and clarify school policies and philosophy to parents, teachers and staff; orient and mentor new parents
- Collaborate w/ preschool staff to create and adapt curriculum for children with special needs
- Identify developmental needs in children, advise and council parents regarding recommendations, and refer parents to appropriate resources
- Partner with family and school district to development education goals and implement each child's IEP
- Conduct DRDP reports and documentation for all assigned children in teacher's group. Work with team to assist with evidence collection
- Conduct ECERs assessment with team teachers of primary assigned classroom. Provide list of required materials to Learning Links management staff to ensure classrooms are up to standards
- Other duties as assigned

Pre-employment requirements include an ability to clear a criminal background check, obtain TB clearance and pre-employment physical. We will also check professional (or academic) references and verify recent employment. You will be required to provide proof of eligibility to work in the US (we use e-Verify to process work authorization documents.)

Physical activity requirements include ability to frequently physically manage children (up to 40 lbs.) carrying, positioning, ability to do frequent general housekeeping, and ability to occasionally sit at a desk for 1-2 hours

See our website for more information: [www.learninglinkspreschool.org](http://www.learninglinkspreschool.org)

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