# THE MAINE EDUCATIONAL CENTER FOR THE DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING



STATEWIDE EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

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## **Educational Technician III**

**Department:** Statewide Education and Family Services (SEFS)

**Reports to:** Case Manager/Classroom Teacher

Coordinator, Elementary or Secondary Site-Based Services

Director of Statewide Education and Family Services

## **Primary Responsibilities**

- Assist in preparation of instructional materials
- Review and reinforce previously introduced learning for an individual or small group of students within the school, community, or classroom as planned by the teacher(s) and/or specialist(s)
- Provide direct instruction for an individual or small group of students in collaboration with the classroom teacher(s) and/or specialist(s)
- Perform short-term instruction and classroom management activities in the classroom under the indirect supervision of the teacher(s) and/or specialist(s)
- Supervise small groups of students in community-based programs with indirect professional supervision
- Assist in the implementation of health, safety, and emergency procedures
- Assist the teacher(s)/specialist(s) in other duties compatible to the job classification
- Perform student management duties before and after school, during recess, lunch, assemblies, emergency drills, and in classrooms within the standard school day
- Assists or implements personal care protocols (e.g., toileting needs, feeding needs, medical needs)
- Maintain a high level of ethical behavior and confidentiality of information
- Participate in staff meetings as needed
- Meet with classroom teacher(s) and/or specialist(s) at least weekly to discuss progress of students and to receive direction and assistance
- Arrive and depart punctually, notifying appropriate personnel about absences and coverage
- Abide by all policies and procedures of MECDHH/GBSD and Federal/State regulations
- Perform other related duties as assigned

## **Minimum Skills and Qualifications**

- Satisfactory completion of three years of college/university or 90 college credit hours
- Maine certification as an Educational Technician III.

- Current Criminal History Records Check (CHRC) Certificate
- Experience working with children preferred
- Current training in emergency, health, and safety procedures (CPR, First Aid, etc.)
- Fluency in American Sign Language or willingness to learn
- Ability to work collaboratively with a team of professionals
- Sensitivity to cultural diversity, race, gender, and other individual differences in the workforce; recognize the value of diverse perspectives and experiences; and foster a work environment reflective of the community at large

#### **Work Environment**

This job operates in a school environment. The person in this role works extensively with students. This role routinely uses standard office equipment such as computers, phones, photocopiers, and filing cabinets. The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

# **Physical Demands**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to sit, as well as use hands to manipulate, handle, or feel. The employee is frequently required to reach with hands and arms. The employee is occasionally required to stand, walk, bend, stoop, kneel or crouch. The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 25 pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception and ability to adjust focus.

#### **Other Duties**

Please note, this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of activities, duties, or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities, and activities may change at any time with or without notice.