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## MONTGOMERY PUBLIC SCHOOLS OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

### POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 13, 2021  
DATE

## APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR THE POSITION OF TEACHER OF THE VISUALLY IMPAIRED

### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Current Alabama Teacher's Certification, Bachelor's Degree or higher with an endorsement in Special Education or related field
- Certified Teacher of the Visually Impaired in Alabama

### JOB RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Responsible for specialized instruction and services required to meet the unique needs of visually impaired students, including braille instruction
- Consults regularly with the classroom teacher, other regular and special education personnel, parents, and others to coordinate programs and services for the visually impaired student.
- Assists the school administrator and teachers in making environmental adjustments for the student in the school.
- Shares responsibility with classroom teachers in the identification of instructional areas in which the student requires assistance.
- Assures that large-type or braille texts, supplementary materials, educational aids, and equipment needed by the visually impaired student, and the classroom teacher, are provided in a timely manner to ensure the student's maximum participation in all classroom activities
- Conducts functional vision/learning media assessments and produces written reports.
- Provides instruction in the development and maintenance of skills to meet the student's unique educational needs in the following areas, as indicated in the IEP:
  - low vision & visual efficiency skills,
  - concept development & academic skills,
  - daily living skills,
  - career & vocational education skills,
  - communication skills (these skills include braille reading and writing as appropriate),
  - social/emotional skills and abilities, & sensory motor skills.
- Attends IEP meetings for students with visual impairments.
- Provides in-service training programs for school personnel and students and education for parents regarding the needs of visually impaired students and adaptations, programs, and services for these students.
- Coordinates with other personnel, such as transcribers, readers, counselors, O&M specialists, career/vocational education staff, and rehabilitation counselors.
- Maintains a current reference library of professional materials and resources.
- Acquires information and training about current research, development, and technology.
- All other duties assigned by Director of Special Education

SALARY: \$40,873.00 - \$68,781.00 (Board approved salary schedule based on rank, certification, and experience)

WORK TERM: 187 days

**EFFECTIVE DATE: 2021-2022 School Year**

**CLOSING DATE: Until Filled**

**HOW TO APPLY:** All applicants should complete the State of Alabama on-line application and attach it to the specific job number in order to be eligible for hire. This application can be found on the website [www.alsde.edu/teachinAlabama](http://www.alsde.edu/teachinAlabama). Any questions should be directed to the Office of Human Resources at (334) 223-6730.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** The person selected for this position must agree to a background check, be fingerprinted, and pay a \$48.15 fee. This is required by law.

THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. "NO PERSON SHALL BE DENIED EMPLOYMENT OR BE EXCLUDED FROM PARTICIPATION IN ANY PROGRAM OR ACTIVITY ON THE BASIS OF DISABILITY, SEX, RACE, RELIGION, NATIONAL ORIGIN, COLOR OR AGE."

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