

## HARVEST BEST ACADEMY

### **Instructional Coach**

**Position Reports to: School Principal** 

# **Position Description:**

The Instructional Coach will work as a colleague with classroom teachers to support student learning. The Instructional Coach will focus on individual and group professional development that will expand and refine the understanding about researched-base effective instruction. In order to meet this purpose, the Instructional Coach will provide personalized support that is based on the goals and identified needs of individual teachers.

## **Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Demonstrate willingness to assume leadership positions.
- Demonstrate knowledge of researched-based instructional strategies that engage all students.
- Provide organized, individual and/or group learning opportunities for teachers as needed.
- Demonstrate knowledge using a variety of assessment tools.
- Demonstrate a thorough knowledge of curriculum and subject matter.
- Provide support in analyzing student assessment data.
- Assist teachers with designing instructional decisions based on assessment data.
- Assist teachers with specific classroom activities when requested.
- Provide support for classroom motivation and management strategies.
- Assist teachers in creating materials that are in alignment with curriculum.
- Monitor intervention programs by observing and meeting with teachers.
- Provide teachers Internet links related to instruction and curriculum.
- Instruct and support teachers with curriculum software products, and classroom/curriculum related technologies.
- Provide assistance in researching instructional and/or curriculum issues.
- Model lessons when appropriate.
- Provide encouragement and emotional support to teachers.
- Encourage ongoing professional growth for all teachers.
- Manage time and schedule flexibility that maximizes teacher schedules and learning.
- Work positively toward meeting identified district and building improvement goals.
- Assist with development of district curriculum, instruction and assessments.
- Develop and maintain a confidential, collegial relationship with teachers.
- Possess an understanding of when to contact administrators regarding issues of safety/ethics involving students in classroom observed.
- Obtain advance approval of the Principal/Director of Curriculum and Instruction for unique activities and expenditures.

- Attend workshops/conferences to learn about new innovative instructional strategies.
- Perform duties as assigned by the Principal and the Director of Curriculum and Instruction
- Provide Title 1 services for needed students.
- Assist with behaviors/Re-Entry Meetings with Behavior Interventionists
- Manage scheduling and logistics regarding school-wide testing
- Informally observe staff and provide feedback
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- Assist with professional development throughout year
- Support data teams
- Other duties as assigned

#### **Qualifications:**

- Master's degree preferred from an accredited college/university.
- Minimum of 3 years of successful teaching experience.
- Experience in researched-based instructional practices.
- Desire to continue career improvement

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