



Job Specification

Job Title: Child Development Specialist I
BCAT Code: 474X AA
Pay Grade: G13

Effective Date: April 1, 2007
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FLSA Status: Exempt

General Description

Serves as a lead teacher and manages classroom programs.

Examples of Duties

- Plans and implements developmentally appropriate activities.
- Assists individual children or small groups of children involved in activities.
- Teaches language, social, cognitive and physical skills.
- Assures physical safety of children during program activities.
- Trains classroom staff and supervises their teaching methods.
- Supervises Nursing students, etc. while working in the classroom.
- Consults with teachers from other areas.
- Conducts workshops for teachers from other areas.
- Consults with parents regarding children's progress.
- Performs other related duties as assigned.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Knowledge of appropriate teaching methods.
- Art, story telling, or music skills.
- Effective communication skills.
- Ability to lift preschool children.

Minimum GSU Hiring Standards

Bachelor's degree in Education, Child Development or a related field; or a combination of education and experience.

The above is a general description of duties performed by employees holding this job title and does not represent a complete list of duties that may be assigned to an employee.