# Baker School District 5J Paraprofessional I Positions IN & OUT OF DISTRICT

Date Open: June 1, 2021

#### **POSITION INFORMATION**

- Baker School District is currently seeking candidates for Paraprofessional I position openings within the District for the 2021-2022 school year.
- These 1.0 FTE positions will be located at various locations in the District.
- Positions will begin with the Inservice date on August 24, 2021.
- Baker School District operates on a 4-day work week, M-Th. However, due to several holidays on Mondays, there are three Fridays included in the work week during the school year.

## **QUALIFICATIONS & REQUIREMENTS**

- Completed two years of post-secondary education study (72 Q hrs or 48 S hrs) or
- Obtain an Associate's degree or
- Have passed a paraprofessional assessment.
- <u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: There are options available to applicant if the assessment test needs to be completed. Please call Cathy Martin, 541-524-2260 Ext. 1004.

## **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES**

- Must be able to work effectively as a team member in finding solutions to problems.
- Must be able to work independently as well as with other employees and/or administrators in a positive, productive manner.
- Must be able to maintain harmonious relationships with students.

# **MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Work under the direct supervision of, and follow instructional plans provided by, certified teachers and/or licensed specialists in a group or one-on-one situation.
- Assist in creating and maintaining a positive environment that promotes optimum learning and the safety of students and staff in any educational setting.
- Utilize positive behavior management strategies as directed by the teacher and/or specialist to assure student safety, dignity, and responsibility for their own actions.
- Assist students in independent or group study, administer remedial drill work, and provide computer assistance, using a variety of strategies respecting individual learning styles.
- Assist teacher in testing and evaluation of individual students.
- Supervise students in all areas of the school and/or other educational settings as directed.
- Request, gather, prepare and store materials for teachers and students.
- Perform clerical duties, maintain accurate records, and operate office machines as needed.
- Perform tasks assigned and trained by occupational and physical therapists, speech language pathologists, and other providers in the delivery of related services.
- Participate in in-service and/or professional development programs, funded by the district, when requested by administrator/supervisor.
- Maintain confidentiality in all areas.
- Comply with all applicable district, state, and federal policies and laws.
- Perform other duties as determined or assigned by the supervising teacher and/or principal.

#### SALARY

- 2021-2022 Salary Scale \$13.14 \$16.53. Placement on the salary schedule will be in accordance with the BSD 5J/OSEA collective bargaining agreement.
- Baker School District 5J offers a comprehensive and competitive benefits package for health and retirement. In addition, the District pays the six percent (6%) employee PERS contribution required by ORS 238.200 and ORS 238A.330.
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### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

You must apply through Frontline at https://www.applitrack.com/Baker5J/onlineapp/ to be considered and added to the applicant pool. If you have any questions, please call Cathy Martin, Personnel Department, at 541-524-2260, Ext. 1004, or email at cathy.martin@bakersd.org.

- In District (Current Employee on Contract with the District)
  - In order to be added to the applicant pool, apply through Frontline and upload a Letter of Interest and a current Resume with references. Please do not email your documents directly to Cathy Martin.
- Out of District
  - Apply through Frontline and upload a Letter of Interest, a current Resume, and two current Letters of Recommendation.

# **DISTRICT POLICY**

It is the District's policy to provide veterans and disabled veterans with preference as required by law.

During the application process, a veteran will need to submit the following:

- Copy of the Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (DD Form 214 or 215). OR Proof of receiving a non-service connected pension from the US Dept. of Veteran's Affairs.
- Disabled veterans must also submit a copy of their Veterans disability preference letter.

### **CLOSING DATE**

• Open Until Filled.