

New Mexico State Personnel Office

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Classification Description

EDUCATION ADMINISTRATOR SUPERVISOR

Class Title	Class Code	Pay Band	Alt Pay Band*
Education Administrators Supervisor	B9039S	80	85

*In accordance with SPB Rule 1.7.4.10 NMAC, the assignment to alternative pay bands shall be reviewed annually to determine their appropriateness.

Purpose

Devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two (2) full time equivalent employees^{**}, acting upon leave requests, conducting annual performance evaluations and recommending disciplinary actions. Interviewing and recommending selection of applicants and conducting training of personnel. Plans, directs, coordinates, and evaluates educational activities of pre-k, elementary, secondary, and post secondary level schools.

Nature of Work

Education Administrator Supervisor devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two (2) full time equivalent employees and sets educational standards and goals and establishes the policies and procedures required to achieve them. They also supervise managers, support staff, teachers, counselors, librarians, coaches, and other employees. They develop academic programs, monitor students' educational progress, train and motivate teachers and other staff, manage career counseling and other student services, administer recordkeeping, prepare budgets, and perform many other duties. They also handle relations with parents, prospective and current students, employers, and the community. In a smaller organization such as a small day care center, one administrator may handle all these functions. In universities or large school systems, responsibilities are divided among many administrators, each with a specific function.

Distinguishing Characteristics

The omission of specific statements does not preclude management from assigning other duties which are reasonably within the scope of the duties.

- Devotes a substantial portion of time assigning and directly supervising work of at least two (2) permanent/full time employees. Acts upon leave requests, conducts annual performance evaluations and recommends disciplinary actions.
- Conducts training of personnel; may interview and recommend selection of applicants.
- Provides career coaching through mentoring and arranges for outside training opportunities when possible.
- Makes well-informed, effective, and timely decisions and perceives the impact and implications of those decisions.

- Makes point of view in a clear and convincing manner.
- Listens effectively and clarifies information as needed.
- Identifies and analyzes problems; weighs relevance and accuracy of information; generates and evaluates alternative solutions; makes recommendations.
- Writes in a clear and concise manner.
- Develops networks and builds alliance; collaborates across boundaries to build strategic relationships and achieve common goals.
- Builds and manages workforce based on organizational goals, budget considerations, and staffing needs
- Ensures that employees are appropriately recruited, selected, and appraised; addresses performance issues.
- Keeps up to date on occupationally specific technological developments; makes effective use of technology to achieve results.
- Directs a specialized statewide federal or state funded program.
- Administers complex programs or projects of extensive scope, involving one or more funding sources.
- Prepares and monitors educational contracts and grants.
- Directs and/or monitors one or more budgets.
- Reviews and approves/disapproves applications for programs and/or projects.
- Provides leadership, professional development technical consultation, training, and direction to school districts, community based organizations, and educational entities.
- Monitors school districts to determine accreditation status.
- Develops evaluation instrument(s) for monitoring educational programs.
- Develops of policies, applications, request for proposal/application, technical assistance manuals, and related publications.
- Evaluates programs and/or projects in progress and recommend continuation, modification or termination.
- Plans, develops, evaluates and reviews educational standards.
- Plans, develops, and delivers professional development activities covering a broad range of educational content.
- Provides information and staff development in the accreditation process, and provides technical consultation for continuous improvements.
- Interprets federal, state, and local statutes and regulations to ensure compliance.
- Conducts program and budget reviews.
- Provides technical expertise to educational entities and legislative bodies in the development of statutes and regulations.
- Conducts process evaluations to ensure products and services are optimized.
- Ensures accreditation process is completed in a timely manner.
- Conducts, collaborates, and communicates long range planning strategies with other units.

Recommended Education and Experience for Full Performance

Master's degree in Education, Public Administration or Business Administration and four (4) years of experience as a teacher and/or program administrator, two (2) years of which must be supervisory.

Minimum Qualifications

Bachelor's degree in Education, Public Administration or Business Administration and five (5) years of experience as a teacher and/or program administrator. Any combination of education from an accredited college or university in a related field and/or direct experience in this occupation totaling nine (9) years may substitute for the required education and experience.

Knowledge and Skills

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Knowledge

Leadership - Knowledge of leading through influence and persuasion by establishing mutual trust, respect, and loyalty, through shared beliefs, values, and goals; Being cognizant of subordinates' needs, goals, and aspirations, and to carefully consider these personal variables when making decisions.

English Language — Knowledge of the structure and content of the English language including the meaning and spelling of words, rules of composition, and grammar.

Education and Training — Knowledge of principles and methods for curriculum and training design, teaching and instruction for individuals and groups, and the measurement of training effects.

Administration and Management — Knowledge of business and management principles involved in strategic planning, resource allocation, human resources modeling, leadership technique, production methods, and coordination of people and resources.

Customer and Personal Service — Knowledge of principles and processes for providing customer and personal services. This includes customer needs assessment, meeting quality standards for services, and evaluation of customer satisfaction.

Public Safety and Security — Knowledge of relevant equipment, policies, procedures, and strategies to promote effective local, state, or national security operations for the protection of people, data, property, and institutions.

Personnel and Human Resources — Knowledge of principles and procedures for personnel recruitment, selection, training, compensation and benefits, labor relations and negotiation, and personnel information systems.

Psychology — Knowledge of human behavior and performance; individual differences in ability, personality, and interests; learning and motivation; psychological research methods; and the assessment and treatment of behavioral and affective disorders.

Computers and Electronics — Knowledge of circuit boards, processors, chips, electronic equipment, and computer hardware and software, including applications and programming.

Communications and Media — Knowledge of media production, communication, and dissemination techniques and methods. This includes alternative ways to inform and entertain via written, oral, and visual media.

Law and Government — Knowledge of laws, legal codes, court procedures, precedents, government regulations, executive orders, agency rules, and the democratic political process.

Sociology and Anthropology — Knowledge of group behavior and dynamics, societal trends

and influences, human migrations, ethnicity, cultures and their history and origins.

Therapy and Counseling — Knowledge of principles

Skills

Leadership - Displaying attributes that makes employees willing to follow; applying effort to increase productiveness in areas needing the most improvement; establishing a spirit of cooperation and cohesion for achieving goals; making the right things happen on time; providing performance feedback, coaching, and career development to individuals to maximize their probability of success; giving subordinates the authority to get things accomplished in the most efficient and timely manner.

Active Listening — Giving full attention to what other people are saying, taking time to understand the points being made, asking questions as appropriate, and not interrupting at inappropriate times.

Reading Comprehension — Understanding written sentences and paragraphs in work related documents.

Speaking — Talking to others to convey information effectively.

Critical Thinking — Using logic and reasoning to identify the strengths and weaknesses of alternative solutions, conclusions or approaches to problems.

Writing — Communicating effectively in writing as appropriate for the needs of the audience.

Judgment and Decision Making — Considering the relative costs and benefits of potential actions to choose the most appropriate one.

Learning Strategies — Selecting and using training/instructional methods and procedures appropriate for the situation when learning or teaching new things.

Social Perceptiveness — Being aware of others' reactions and understanding why they react as they do.

Complex Problem Solving — Identifying complex problems and reviewing related information to develop and evaluate options and implement solutions.

Coordination — Adjusting actions in relation to others' actions.

Statutory Requirements: Applicable New Mexico Teaching Certificate may be required. Issued by NMPED or a current teaching license from another State in accordance with 22-10A-3.

Conditions of Employment: Working Conditions for individual positions in this classification will vary based on each *agency's utilization, essential functions,* and the *recruitment needs* at the time a vacancy is posted. All requirements are subject to possible modification to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities.

Default FLSA Status: Exempt.

Bargaining Unit: Not covered

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**Means two (2) or any combination of full-time equivalent (FTE) status that equals at least two (2) regular or term status employees in non-temporary positions.

***Adapted from the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics and are intended to illustrate the typical education and experience required for this occupation. Not to be construed as minimum qualifications.

Note: Classification description subject to change. Please refer to the SPO website <u>www.spo.state.nm.us</u> to ensure this represents the most current copy of the description.