# **ACCOUNTS PAYABLE/PURCHASING ASSISTANT**

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. High School Diploma, 2 year college degree preferred.
- 2. Minimum 2 years job related experience.
- 3. Strong organizational, time management and communication skills.

**REPORTS TO:** Business Administrator/Board Secretary

Accounts Payable/Purchasing Specialist

### **JOB GOAL:**

To assist in the Business office daily operations and to provide support to the Accounts Payable/Purchasing Specialist with the purchasing process to the department staff and administration of the school district.

#### PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBLITIES:

- 1. Provides direct support to the Purchasing Specialist.
- 2. Assist in preparing departmental orders for goods and services; verifies for accuracy, sends to supplier.
- 3. Assists the Purchasing Specialist with maintaining purchasing documents, files and records for the purpose of ensuring the availability of documentation and compliance with established policies and regulatory guidelines.
- 4. Reviews documents and data for the purpose of ensuring completeness and accuracy of purchasing process.
- 5. Responds to inquiries of staff and administration regarding purchasing procedures for the purpose of providing information, direction and/or referral for addressing inquiries.
- 6. Performs general and program specific clerical functions for the purpose of supporting departmental activities.
- 7. Other Functions include: Student Accident Reports, assisting all office personnel as needed to insure an efficient and effective working environment.

#### TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Salary and work year to be determined by the Board of Education.

#### **EVALUATION:**

Performance of this job will be evaluated annually in accordance with State law, administrative code, and the provisions of the Board's policy on evaluation of non-certified staff.

# **LEGAL REFERENCES:**

N.J.S.A. 18A:4-14	Uniform system of bookkeeping for all school districts
N.J.S.A. 18A:6-7.1-7.5	Criminal history record; employee in regular contact with pupils;
	grounds for disqualification from employment; exception
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:12	School Ethics Act
N.J.S.A. 18A:16-1	Officers and employees in general
N.J.S.A. 18A:17-13	Assistant and acting secretaries; appointment, powers and duties
N.J.S.A. 18A:17-14	Clerks in the secretary's office
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:18A	Public School Contract Law
N.J.S.A. 18A:22	Budget and Appropriations
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:33	Facilities in general
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:39	Transportation to and from schools
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 19:60	School election
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 47:1A	Public access to government records
N.J.A.C. 6A:23	Finance and business services
N.J.A.C. 6A:26-2	Long range facilities plans
N.J.A.C. 6A:26A	District comprehensive maintenance plans
N.J.A.C. 6A:27	Student transportation
N.J.A.C. 6A:32	District operations