

# Kansas School for the Deaf

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POTENTIAL IN A LANGUAGE-RICH ENVIRONMENT



## \*\*\*\* JOB OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT \*\*\*\*

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| <b>POSITION TITLE:</b>  | <b>OUTREACH CONSULTANT (English), 3-21</b>  |
| <b>SALARY:</b>          | Placement made within agency guidelines salary schedule depending upon qualifications and experience. Excellent benefits. |
| <b>SCHEDULE:</b>        | 200 school days   |
| <b>EMPLOYMENT DATE:</b> | Open until filled   |

#### **JOB DESCRIPTION:** (Detailed position description upon request.)

This position is part of a multidisciplinary outreach team that provides services and resources to support children who are deaf / hard of hearing (DHH). The Outreach Consultant will provide support and resources to families who have children who are DHH Ages 3-21 and the service providers who work with them. Duties may also include presenting at and participating in training and conferences. This position will support the outreach team in evaluations and observations.

The Outreach Consultant will also serve as a LAP-DHH specialist and will assess, monitor, and track the **English developmental milestones** of children from ages 3 through 8 who are DHH. As a LAP-DHH Specialist, the consultant will serve as an advocate for the DHH student by presenting and explaining assessment results, presenting all education options, and giving recommendations to local school districts and parents.

This position will require travel throughout Kansas and will require overnight stays. Requires flexibility in working hours. Applicants do not need to live in the Kansas City metro area to be eligible for this job.

#### **MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

- Valid licensure as a Teacher of the Deaf, Speech-Language Pathologist, Early Childhood Special Educator, or Early Childhood Unified
- Fluency in English, spoken and written; ASL/English assessments will be given during the interview process
- Ability to assess spoken English

#### **KEY COMPETENCIES:**

- Knowledge and/or experience in working with children who are DHH
- Knowledge of educational law and guidelines applying to IDEA
- Knowledge of evaluation and assessment procedures, testing protocols, communication modes/methods, and language development for children who are DHH
- Able to work collaboratively with professionals from different disciplines, families/ caregivers, and service providers



**PREFERRED COMPETENCIES:**

- Proficiency in American Sign Language
- Proficiency in other languages and/or sign systems
- Understand language milestones/language development in American Sign Language and English in children from birth through age 8 and be able to identify subtleties/approximations of language presented by the child
- Knowledge and/or experience in working with children who have multiple disabilities

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** All offers of employment from Kansas School for the Deaf (KSD) are contingent upon background check results and any applicable workplace references. Background checks are completed via the KS Bureau of Investigation, Backgrounds Plus consents, Kansas Department of Children and Family Services, and Dru Sjodin National Sexual Offender Registry. KSD may contact previous employers for workplace references. Within 30 days of employment, a tuberculosis test (and any applicable treatment), as well as health certificate must be completed by a medical provider at the cost of the employee.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Open Until Filled. For consideration, request an official KSD application or go to our website at [www.ksdeaf.org/Employment](http://www.ksdeaf.org/Employment) and apply for KSD's review. Copies of all college transcripts and licenses will be required.

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