

# Notice of Job Vacancy #24-024

Posting Date: August 3, 2023

Position: School Security Resource Officers serving Hampshire County Schools

Number of Positions: Multiple Part-Time Hourly Positions

Location: Itinerant locations as assigned by Hampshire County Schools

Employment Term: Part-Time / As Needed – up to 8 hours a shift / NTE 130 hours per month

Salary: \$30.00 per hour

#### Qualifications:

WV Law Enforcement Certification

- Must have Jurisdiction in Hampshire County WV to make an arrest
- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Valid Driver's License
- Pass criminal/character/driving background investigation
- Other examinations as deemed necessary
- A patient attitude and even temper.
- The ability to counsel and interact with students in the pre-k-12 setting.
- A moral and ethical role model for students.

<u>Position Overview:</u> EPIC is hiring part-time School Security Resource Officers to serve Hampshire County Schools during the regular school day and at certain after-school events. The selected candidates will provide school security and resource services as assigned / as needed.

## Position Responsibilities:

The dedicated school security officer's responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Developing safety procedures for potential threats in the school, conducting drills with students and staff, and de-escalating aggression between students and between students and teachers.
- Patrolling the school grounds, ensuring overall safety, viewing videos and security monitors, and watching for strangers or suspicious activity.
- Supervising weapons detectors and special events and directing foot and auto traffic if necessary.
- Protecting the school and students against theft and property damage, and assisting in medical emergencies.
- Maintaining positive relationships and contact with students to enhance positive behaviors.
- Working with counselors and support staff to assist students when referrals to service agencies are necessary, or to assist in conflict resolutions.
- Acting as a communication liaison with law enforcement agencies and provide basic information concerning students on the campus served by the officer.
- Referring students and/or families to the appropriate agencies for assistance as needed.
- The security officer shall not act as a school disciplinarian. However, if the principal believes an incident is a violation of the law, the principal may contact the security officer to determine whether local law enforcement agencies need to be contacted.

### Position Responsibilities Continued:

- Counseling students in special situations when requested by the principal, student, or parent.
- Investigating criminal activity on or around school property.
- Acting as a resource person to answer questions students or parents may have concerning criminal law.
- Assisting local law enforcement agencies with outside investigations relating to students.
- Providing security at school events and/or functions.

## Reports To: School Principal and HCS Director of Safe Schools; EPIC Administrator

<u>Evaluation</u>: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's policy on Evaluation of Professional Personnel.

<u>Conditions of Employment:</u> Recommended by the EPIC Administrator; Confirmed by the EPIC Regional Council

Anticipated Start Date: Immediately following the onboarding process.

Application Process for All Candidates: You may submit your application one of two ways.

**Online application** can be made via United Talent Teach-In West Virginia Application System by clicking on the link below. <u>Be sure you have selected EPIC as one of your locations</u> within your online application so that you may see our jobs and make application.

Use this link to go to the online application system.

**Printable EPIC application** can be found on the EPIC website and should include three references with contact information. (This is a faster route to apply.)

Use this link to access the printable EPIC application.

You may drop off your completed printable application at our EPIC main office M-F from 8-4 or submit it one of the following ways:

Mail to 109 South College Street, Martinsburg, WV 25401 Attention: Human Resources Email to Shannon Johnson at <a href="mailtosdecomp-second-color: sdjohnson@wvesc.org">sdjohnson@wvesc.org</a>
Fax to 304-267-3599 Attention: Human Resources

This job posting will remain open until all positions are filled or no longer needed.