Tulare County Office of Education **JOB DESCRIPTION**

Job Summary:

Under the direction of an assigned supervisor, preforms a range of accounting assignments and helps develop and manage the budget for select programs. Receive general supervision from the Assistant Administrator or higher level management.

Essential Functions:

- Assist in the development and management of the AB 212 budget.
- Correct, process and reconcile a wide variety of accounting documents such as invoices, employee reimbursements, requisitions, purchase orders, deposits, mileage reimbursements, vendor statements, and reports as required.
- Analyze errors in process and completion of accounting documents and assist in developing ways to reduce rates of error occurrence.
- Prepare and reconcile credit card statements.
- Review and code financial information for employees and centers.
- Initiate and complete documents to substantiate the hiring of independent contractors.
- Compile and review documents for accuracy, including digital records and databases.
- Verify items billed against items ordered and received and reconcile differences through follow-up with vendor and/or other employees.
- Seek and compare quotes/prices for goods and services.
- Compute and record refunds, credits, payments, cost of lost or damaged goods, freight charges, rentals, and similar items.
- Train new employees and other staff on fiscal processes, procedures, and policies.
- Train, monitors, and reports on child attendance
- Perform other duties as assigned.

Knowledge and/or Abilities:

- Abilities to:
 - Prepare and maintain moderately complex financial statements and reports.
 - Operate standard office equipment
 - Compare data from a variety of sources for accuracy and completeness
 - Inspect and review financial records and detect errors
 - To determine work priorities and meet deadlines
 - To follow, apply, interpret and explain instructions or guidelines
 - Work independently with little direction.
 - Establish and maintain effective working relationships with others.
 - Analyze situations accurately and adopt an effective course of action.
 - Meet schedules and timelines.
 - Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
 - Speak, read and write both English and Spanish proficiently.
- Knowledge of:
 - Accounting practices and procedures
 - Automated accounting systems
 - Spreadsheets and database software
 - Program organization, operations, policies and objectives
 - General record keeping and filing systems (including digital)
 - Technical aspects of field of specialty
 - Basic mathematics

Working Conditions and Physical Abilities: Office environment; Cold and very hot weather; Occasional traveling throughout Tulare County; Sitting – sometimes on floor - and standing for extended periods of time; Regularly lift and/or move up to 25 lbs; Occasionally lift and/or move up to 50 pounds; Close vision, distance vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and the ability to adjust focus.

Education and Experience Required:

Possession of an Associate's degree in Accounting, Business, or related field and 2 years' experience in accounting, finance, or related field. OR
4 years of experience in accounting, finance, or related field.

Certificates, Licenses, Clearances Testing and/or Bonding Required:

- Valid California Driver's License and use of personal vehicle.
- Department of Justice and FBI Fingerprint Response.
- Proof of automobile liability insurance.

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

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This organization is a Drug and Tobacco - Free Workplace

This organization requires a successful candidate to provide it with employment eligibility and verification of a legal right to work in the United States in compliance with the Immigration Reform and Control Act.