

ELEMENTARY BAND AND INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC TEACHER (Traveling)

DESCRIPTION OF POSITION:	Organizes and teaches beginning and advanced classes in instrumental music to upper grade elementary school pupils, utilizing standard band and orchestra instruments. Develops a performing instrumental music ensemble or orchestra at each school or group of schools to which assigned.
MAJOR DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:	<p>Establishes a schedule of instructional activities for each school to which assigned.</p> <p>Recruits fourth, fifth, and sixth-grade elementary pupils to receive instruction in playing standard band and orchestra instruments.</p> <p>Give class instruction to beginning musicians and rehearses advanced musicians.</p> <p>Selects, edits and rearranges orchestrations to conform to the musical ability of pupils.</p> <p>Organizes and presents instrumental music programs for assemblies, classroom demonstrations and P.T.A. programs.</p> <p>May organize, rehearse, and present in concert an area honors orchestra composed of pupils from the group of schools to which assigned.</p> <p>Prepares progress reports for each pupil instructed.</p> <p>Arranges for the physical environment in which lessons and rehearsals are to be conducted.</p> <p>Confers with parents on the instrumental music program and individual pupil progress in the program.</p> <p>May provide student demonstrations of musical instruments and other music-related activities to classes upon request.</p> <p>Develops weekly lesson plans and supplementary materials compatible with the basic instructional philosophy and curriculum of the District.</p> <p>Provides students with the opportunity to partake in daily patriotic observance. Education Code 52720.</p> <p>Monitors classroom environment to ensure clean and safe conditions exist, notifying principal of any unclean or unsafe classroom conditions.</p>

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Monitors classroom activities making students responsible for putting materials, supplies, tools, etc., safely and neatly away at the end of class session.

CREDENTIAL: General Elementary or Standard Elementary.

EDUCATION: Bachelor's degree with a major in music education or equivalent academic preparation including all courses needed to meet credential requirements.

EXPERIENCE: Supervised teaching (80 clock hours).

PERSONAL QUALITIES: Appearance, grooming and personality, which establish a desirable example for pupils. Ability to meet district standards for physical and mental health. Better than average recommendations from student teaching supervisors or other professionals who have observed the personal characteristics, scholastic attainment and classroom performance of the teacher.

SUPERVISION. Responsible to: Director of Elementary Curriculum

Responsible for: Students