

# **Job Description Form**

# Library and Administration Support Officer Schools

Position number Generic

Agreement Department of Education (School Support Officers) CSA General

Agreement 2019 or as replaced.

Classification Level 2.

Reports to Manager (various)

**Direct reports** Library Assistant (Level 1)

## Context

Information about the particular school or college in which the vacancy is being advertised is available on <a href="Schools Online">Schools Online</a>.

For further information please visit the Department of Education website: education.wa.edu.au.

### **Key responsibilities**

- Supervise the daily operations of the library and provision of reference, information and associated services to teaching staff and students.
- Administer library systems ensuring library records are accurate and up to date, including cataloguing, archiving, and updating of descriptor notes.
- Process library resources to ensure that resources are available to students, staff and parents at all times.
- Provide a customer-focussed service to students, parents and staff including provision of advice on library systems, equipment, computers, audio-visual equipment and the internet.
- Conduct library skills training, demonstrate use of library equipment and develop procedure manuals for equipment, as required.
- Provide technical advice on the library Information Technology system, and ensure effective operation and maintenance of the system (this may include a library website).
- Assist students, parents and staff to select program and age appropriate library resources.
- Design and create library displays appropriate to school programs.



- Prepare and monitor the library budget and make recommendations for purchase of new library resources.
- Coordinate rosters for library visits.
- Supervise duties of subordinate library staff and/or volunteers, as required.
- Supervise small groups of students outside lesson times or in class learning activities relating to the library.
- Provide general administrative support to the front office including preparing correspondence, newsletters, notices and maintaining databases or websites.
- Undertake student-related activities including providing information, advice and collecting documentation for enrolment of new students.
- Establish and/or undertake ordering procedures for office consumables.
- Monitor and manage staff leave entitlements to ensure accrued leave is cleared within a reasonable timeframe and in accordance with relevant Award, agreement and departmental policy.
- Manage staff performance as required in accordance with the Public Sector Performance Management Standard and Departmental policy.

## Selection criteria

- 1. Demonstrated good verbal and written communication skills, including application of customer service principles and practices.
- 2. Demonstrated good interpersonal skills and ability to work unsupervised and in a team environment.
- 3. Demonstrated ability to use computers and a range of application software packages, particularly databases, spreadsheets and word processing.
- 4. Demonstrated experience in providing administrative support with the ability to organise and prioritise tasks effectively.

### **Eligibility and training requirements**

Employees will be required to:

- obtain a current Department of Education Criminal Record Clearance prior to commencement of employment
- obtain or hold a current Working with Children Check
- complete the Department's induction program within three months of commencement
- complete any training specific to this role required by Departmental policy
- complete the Department's training in Accountable and Ethical Decision-Making within six months of appointment.

#### Certification

The details contained in this document are an accurate statement of the responsibilities and other requirements of the position.

#### **ENDORSED**

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