

Job Description Form

Administrative Assistant

System and School Performance

Position number 00023470

Agreement Public Service and Government Officers CSA General Agreement

2017 (or as replaced)

Classification Level 2

Reports to Director, System and School Performance (Level 9)

Direct reports Nil

Context

The System and School Performance Directorate has two branches: System Performance and School Performance. Its purpose is to:

- develop, disseminate and support Departmental policies and frameworks related to performance, research, Gifted and Talented and accountability
- collect, analyse and provide performance and statistical information to meet planning, reporting and resource allocation requirements and enhance Departmental decision making
- provide information and support to external agencies and the wider community about public schools
- manage the On-entry Assessment program and Reporting to Parents (RTP), the application and selection processes for Gifted and Talented programs and the administration of Notices of Arrangements.

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Key responsibilities

- provides clerical and administrative support to the work unit in a timely manner, including basic research
- prepares, processes and delivers incoming and outgoing correspondence, actions routine matters by drafting responses and preparing basic reports
- maintains an effective correspondence filing system for corporate information and records relating to projects, initiatives, committees and other activities
- prepares and distributes meeting agendas and minutes and undertakes follow up actions when required
- manages incoming telephone calls, visitor enquiries, diary appointments, meetings, emails and other communications



- assists with travel arrangements, including preparing travel documents, booking flights and accommodation
- assists with the preparation of the budget, payment of accounts, credit card reconciliation, monitoring expenditure and preparing reports as required.

Selection criteria

- 1. Demonstrated experience in clerical and general administrative duties.
- 2. Demonstrated experience in purchasing, processing accounts for payment and monitoring expenditure for a work unit.
- 3. Demonstrated sound written, verbal and interpersonal communication skills with the ability to liaise effectively with individuals at all levels.
- 4. Demonstrated well developed keyboarding and computer skills including a working knowledge of databases, spreadsheets, word processing and experience using an electronic records management system.
- 5. Demonstrated sound organisational skills, including the ability to use initiative and work independently or as part of a team.

Eligibility and training requirements

Employees will be required to:

- obtain a current Department of Education Criminal Record Clearance prior to commencement of employment
- 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.

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