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**POSITION TITLE:** Early Intervention Specialist

**SALARY:** Placement made on salary schedule depending upon professional background and experience. Excellent Benefits

**SCHEDULE:** 190 School Days / 2019 School year

**EMPLOYMENT DATE:** Open Until filled.

**JOB DESCRIPTION:** (Detailed position description upon request) This position is part of a multi-disciplinary outreach team that provides services and resources to support children who are deaf/hard of hearing. The primary role of this position is to provide direct support and resources to tiny-k early intervention service providers who are working with children who are deaf/hard of hearing ages birth to three, as well as to families who have children who are deaf/hard of hearing. Provide both consultative support direct services following evidence-based practices in early intervention. Will also include presenting at and participating in trainings and conferences. As needed, this position will support the outreach team in evaluations and observations for preschool-age students. Applicant should process basic knowledge of evaluation and assessment procedures, testing protocols, communication modes/methods, and language development for children who are deaf/hard of hearing. Requires travel to various locations throughout the state and may require overnight stays. Requires flexibility in working hours. Applicants do not need to live in the Kansas City metro area to be eligible for this job.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:** Master’s degree in Early Childhood Special Education, Early Childhood Unified, and/or Deaf Education. Current and /or eligible to receive Kansas Licensure in Early Childhood Special Education. Early Childhood Unified, and/or Deaf Education. Knowledge of deafness preferred. Knowledge of early intervention best practices preferred. Experience in primary service provider model for early intervention preferred. Fluent in American Sign Language preferred. Excellent oral and written skills. Ability to use behavior management and observation techniques.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** Upon offer of employment, a background check will be conducted via the KS Bureau of Investigation, Backgrounds Plus, Kansas Department of Children and Family Services, Work Reference and Kansas Offender Register. A Tuberculosis test & Health Certificate must be passed upon offer of employment (cost borne by employee).
APPLICATION DEADLINE: Open Until Filled. Send resume and copies of all college transcripts. For consideration request an official KSD application or go to our website and submit application for KSD review.

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