# JOB DESCRIPTION.

### CUSTODIAN

### BOARD OF EDUCATION FAIRFIELD

## NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS 1400.14 MANDATED

## **Custodian**

#### **Qualifications:**

- 1. Black Seal License
- 2. Minimum experience, as determined by the Board of Education
- 3. Knowledge of plant operation and maintenance; cleaning methods and procedures; heating and ventilation; proper handling of hazardous materials
- 4. Ability to read, write and communicate effectively
- 5. Required criminal history background check and proof of U.S. Citizenship or legal resident alien status

<u>Reports to:</u> Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds/Business Administrator

<u>Job Goal</u>: To provide a safe, clean, and comfortable school environment.

### Performance Responsibilities:

- 1. Opens/closes the building each day. Determines, before leaving, that all doors and windows are secured, and all lights are turned off, except those left on for safety reasons.
- 2. Keeps building and premises, including sidewalks, driveways, and play areas neat and clean at all times.
- 3. Operates heat, ventilation, and air conditioning systems to provide temperatures appropriate to the season and to ensure economical use of fuel, water, and electricity.
- 4. Checks daily to ensure that all exit doors are open and all panic bolts are working properly during the hours of building occupancy.
- 5. Displays the U.S. flag during school hours on days when school is in session.
- 6. Cleans and dusts classrooms, offices, library, and faculty room daily; empties waste baskets in these areas.
- 7. Cleans corridors after each school day, and during the day when conditions require.
- 8. Cleans and sanitizes bathroom fixtures and floors daily, and replenishes paper and soap supplies, as needed.
- 9. Cleans and sanitizes all drinking fountains daily.
- 10. Cleans cafeteria dining areas after use.

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- 11. Shovels, plows, salts, and/or sweeps sidewalks, steps, driveways and parking areas, as necessary.
- 12. Obeys all fire/safety and environmental laws and regulations relating to the plant operation.
- 13. Keeps the grounds free of rubbish and debris.
- 14. Cleans chalkboard/whiteboards daily.
- 15. Moves furniture or equipment within the building, as required, for various activities and as directed by the supervisor of buildings and grounds, head custodian, or principal.
- 16. Complies with all laws and procedures for the storage and disposal of trash, waste, and debris.
- 17. Conducts an ongoing program of general maintenance, upkeep and repair, making minor repairs, and reporting major repair needs promptly to the supervisor of buildings and ground.
- 18. Cleans all windows on both the inside and outside, as scheduled.
- 19. Keeps all floors in a clean and attractive condition and in a good state of preservation.
- 20. Performs grounds keeping chores including grass-cutting, tree-trimming, leaf raking and removal of litter, to maintain the grounds in a safe and attractive condition.
- 21. Performs related duties, as assigned.

Terms of Employment: Salary and work year to be determined by the Board of Education

<u>Evaluation</u>: Performance of this job will be evaluated in accordance with provisions of the Board's Policy on evaluation on noncertified staff.

<u>Legal References</u>: N.J.S.A.: 13:1F-19, 18A:6-7.1, 16-1, 16-2, 17-3, 17-41, 36-3, 41-1, 41-2, 34:5A-1 et seq., 34:7-1

N.J.A.C.: 6:3-4A-4, 24, 26, 26-12, as:90-3.4, 12:100-4.2

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