TEACHER INDUCTION PROGRAM - MENTOR (Part-Time/ Stipend)
SAN MATEO COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION
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JOB SUMMARY:
Under the direction of an assigned administrator, provide intensive individualized support to participating teachers in the San Mateo County Teacher Induction program to effectively transition them into the teaching profession and earn their clear credential. Improve the educational performance of students through improved training, information and assistance to new teachers. Teacher Induction Program Mentors provide 40 hours of individualized coaching to a teacher candidate and also participate in up to 27 hours of mentor professional development.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES:
• Meet with Induction candidate/teacher on a weekly basis
• Work in collaboration with candidate to develop Individualized Induction Learning Plans
• Ensure the candidate’s portfolio documents are completed and submitted in a timely manner
• Complete and submit a Mentor Individualized Learning Plan (MILP)
• Participate in and attend all Mentor trainings
• Participate in 9 additional hours of Professional Learning supporting the role
• Facilitate candidate’s participation in program evaluation processes and on-line surveys
• Notify the Program Director if a candidate leaves the program early
• Facilitate collaborative conversations between the site administrator and participating teacher
• Participate in the candidate’s portfolio review process
• Participate in the program evaluation process
• Perform other related duties as assigned

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

KNOWLEDGE OF:
• Knowledge of California Standards for the Teaching Profession, California Induction Program Standards
• Knowledge of teacher development and adult learning
• Knowledge of equitable programs and best practices which address the achievement gap
• Deep knowledge of principles, theories, standards, practices, strategies and procedures involved in enhancing student learning and achievement
• Knowledge of Common Core State Standards and application in subject or instructional areas

SKILLS AND ABILITY TO:
• Be an exemplary professional role model
• Support fully a commitment to equity-centered schools and classrooms, through promotion of effective practices demonstrated to eliminate the opportunity gap for students (students of color, English Language Learners, students in low socio-economic status, students with disabilities, etc.) and reflect an asset-based lens for viewing students and capabilities.
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EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:
• Minimum of five years of teaching experience

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:
• Experience mentoring or coaching teachers

LICENSES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS:
• Valid Clear California Teaching Credential
• Valid California Driver’s license

WORKING CONDITIONS:
• Mentoring sessions are held in person at a school site with some video conferencing options available as well. Mentors must be able to access the school site and also the technology for video conferencing.

ENVIRONMENT:
• Mentoring conducted in person at the teacher’s worksite, as well as video mentoring
• Attend seminars at the San Mateo County Office of Education

SALARY:
• $2,500 stipend per teacher