

# **Secondary Special Education Teacher**

Post Date: August 2024 Application Deadline: Until filled

## **Position Summary**

Whitehall District Schools is seeking an enthusiastic and competent educator who aspires to be an instructional leader and child advocate. This individual will join a team of individuals dedicated to advancing the outcomes for students with disabilities and believes that all students have the ability to achieve. This person is well-versed in core content expectations, developmental disabilities, and evidenced-based teaching strategies. This individual can articulate a vision for student success and possesses a passion for preparing students for their secondary-level goals and beyond. This individual can support the growth of life-skills that will promote the progress of students towards WDS' district-wide goal of community-ready students upon graduation or certificate-completion of high school.

### **Essential Duties**

- Build and maintain positive relationships with students, staff, and families and work collaboratively to develop a plan for the best interest of students
- Collect data from multiple sources to drive instructional strategies and write goals for students
- Have a strong vision for success and share that vision with colleagues
- Use innovative technology to promote student learning
- Partner with general education teachers and implement effective inclusion strategies that are in the best interest of all students
- Work directly with building leaders to create an optimal learning environment
- Complete compliant, timely, organized, and collaborative Individual Education Plans (IEPs)
- Communicate student progress and promote student success within the school community

## **Education and Experience**

- Valid Michigan teaching certification
- Special Education Endorsement

#### Compensation

- Teacher Contract
- Full time
- Competitive pay commensurate with experience

Individuals interested in applying for this position should email their resume, letter of interest and references to: <a href="mailto:kirstenbolles@whitehallschools.net">kirstenbolles@whitehallschools.net</a>. Thank you.

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