JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

OPENING: Special Education Teacher

Location: 3005 South 2900 East, Salt Lake City, UT 84109 PH: 801-474-2066

School: Canyon Rim Academy, a K-6 Charter School.

Position Start Date: August 2024 // Part-Time Max 29/hrs week // No Benefits

<u>Minimum Qualifications</u>: Candidate must hold a valid teachers license approved by the Utah State Board of Education and a degree in Special Education, psychology, or a related field (Master's degree preferred). Prior experience working with students with disabilities in an educational setting and a strong understanding of special education laws, regulations, and best practices is a must. Must demonstrate excellent communication skills, both oral and written.

Canyon Rim Academy is dedicated to our vision of promoting the learning, achievement, development, and wellbeing of each student while embracing our core values of: learning, respect, safety, love, peace and joy. The Special education teacher works collaboratively with educators, administrators, students, and families to develop and implement Individualized Education Programs (IEPs), foster an inclusive learning environment and facilitate the integration of special education practices into the broader educational framework

- Manage and provide instructional guidance and general strategies for a caseload of students in the mild/moderate range using a variety of evidenced based curriculum.
- Develop, write and help implement Individualized Education Programs (IEP's).
- Communicate regularly with parents of special need students to discuss their child's progress and to insure that their IEP goals are being met, and that their needs are addressed in a timely and appropriate fashion.
- Consult with teachers and coordinate the implementation of specially designed instruction as defined in the IEP. Serve as an advocate for students with special needs, ensuring that their voices are heard and their rights are upheld within the educational system.
- Employ special educational strategies and techniques during instruction to improve the development of sensory, motor skills, language, cognition, and memory.
- Instruct students in academic subjects using a variety of techniques such as phonetics, multi-sensory learning, and repetition to reinforce learning and to meet student's varying needs and interests.
- Teach and mentor students in small groups and one-on-one.
- Teach socially acceptable behavior, as determined by the student's individualized education programs (IEP's) by employing techniques designed to promote educational, social and emotional development.
- Maintain accurate student records and prepare reports on children and activities, as required by law, school policy and administrative regulations.
- Assist in collection and interpretation of data for providing appropriate classroom interventions.
- Collect and interpret data to inform specialized instruction; proficient with technology applications.

The SpEd teacher will work as part of a team and will coordinate the delivery of specialized services, such as speech therapy, occupational therapy, para-educators (BCBA, RBT) and behavioral interventions in accordance with students' IEPs.

To apply, please submit your resume to<u>cmitchell@canyonrimacademy.org.</u> Interviews will be conducted in May. Please include a day time phone number on your resume.