

SHEPHERD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Full Time School Social Worker (Shepherd/Winn Elementary)

Summary:

• Shepherd Public Schools is seeking a passionate and empathetic individual to join our team as a School Social Worker. In this role, you will play a crucial part in supporting the well-being and academic success of all of our elementary students. The ideal candidate is engaging, caring, and committed to making a positive impact within the classroom environment. You will work with students and staff to create the conditions of success for our communities.

Qualifications/Requirements:

• Master's degree from a graduate school of social work program. A minimum of a 500 clock hour supervised social work practicum.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Performs case work service with individual students to correct those personal, social or emotional maladjustments related to their educational and social progress
- Coordinate or serve as a member of diagnostic teams and educational planning and placement committees and provide biological, psychological and sociological assessment information related to planning for children adjustment problems
- Consults and collaborates with other school personnel in gathering and giving information on a case, and in establishing and planning for respective roles in the modification of the student's behavior
- Performs casework service with parents as an integral part of the task of helping students, to increase the parents'
 understanding, their constructive participation in resolving their child's problems and their knowledge and use of
 appropriate resources available
- Makes home visits for the purpose of gathering helpful information on a student's background
- Assists students directly toward adjustment to school
- Supports both special education and general education students
- Other duties as assigned

Salary and Benefits:

According to SEA Bargaining Agreement

Deadline:

Until filled

Method of Application:

- Email a letter of interest and resume to Ana Allingham, Assistant Principal/Special Education Coordinator (aallingham@shepherdschools.net).
- *Any applicant recommended for hire for any position will be required to consent to a criminal history investigation and background assessment.
- *No person shall, on the basis of race, creed, gender, religion, national origin or disability, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination in any program, activity or employment by Shepherd Public Schools.