



# State of New Jersey

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### NOTICE OF VACANCY

The COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION invites applications from qualified candidates for the following:

**ISSUE DATE:** May 13, 2010

**RESUMES MUST BE RECEIVED OR**

**POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN:** May 27, 2010

Applications received after closing date may be considered if position is not filled.

**TITLE:** School Psychologist (12 Months)

**REFERENCE #:** DOE-010-10

**BARGAINING UNIT/RANGE:** P28

**LOCATION:** Ewing, NJ

**DIVISION:** Division of Student Services, Marie H. Katzenbach School for the Deaf

**POSITION #:** 918907

**SALARY:** \$64,406.55 - \$91,781.49

**HOURS OF WORK:** 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

#### DESCRIPTION

Under direction of the Child Study Team Leader is responsible for examining, classifying, and recommending special educational programs for pupils identified as having a handicap or disability according to mandated state rules/regulations for special education; this position may provide services for students attending various educational programs throughout the state; therefore, travel throughout the state is likely; may conduct comprehensive psychological evaluations for students who are Deaf or hard of hearing; may contribute in comprehensive presentation of the functioning level of the student along with recommendations based on clinical diagnostic results for educational placement; offering follow-up services to enrolled students when adjustment problems arise or modifications are deemed necessary to their instructional program; does other related duties as required.

#### REQUIREMENTS

**EDUCATION:** Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree.

**EXPERIENCE:** One (1) year of experience working with exceptional children in a clinical hospital, public school system, or mental health or child guidance center.

**LICENSE:** Appointee will be required to possess certification as a School Psychologist issued by the NJ Department of Education.

Experience working with students with handicaps in any of the following categories: hearing impairment, dual sensory impairment, and/or communication disorders preferred. Demonstrated knowledge regarding issues in the evaluation of, and programming for, students with hearing impairments preferred. Candidates skilled in the use of alternative/augmentative modes of communication used by individuals with a hearing impairment which may include American Sign Language, aural/oral communication and Signed English preferred.

Appointee will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform essential duties of the position.

NOTE: Clinical externship hours for state certification requirements may be applied in meeting the minimum experience.

Appointees to the Marie H. Katzenbach School for the Deaf must be able to communicate effectively in the language of the deaf, particularly American Sign Language, sufficiently to perform duties of the position, and must successfully pass a screening process administered by the deaf and hard of hearing committee at the school.

NOTE: All final candidates must be fingerprinted and bear the \$78.00 cost of the criminal history check in order to qualify for employment at the Marie H. Katzenbach School for the Deaf.

For more information on the Marie H. Katzenbach School for the Deaf, visit [www.mkdsd.org](http://www.mkdsd.org)

#### OPEN TO THE FOLLOWING

Applicants must meet the open competitive requirements listed on the job specification on file at the Civil Service Commission. You may access the job specification through the Civil Service Commission's website <http://info.csc.state.nj.us/jobspec/73104.htm>

#### FORWARD RESUMES TO:

Personnel Director  
New Jersey State Department of Education  
Reference #: DOE-010-10  
P.O. Box 500  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0500  
Resumes may be e-mailed to: [resume2@doe.state.nj.us](mailto:resume2@doe.state.nj.us)

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