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# CLASS SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE TEACHER, PARENT-PRESCHOOL EDUCATION

#### **DEFINITION**

Under direction, to plan, carry out and evaluate instructional activities for both groups and individual children and parents participating in the parent-preschool program.

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

The minimum requirement for the position of Teacher, Parent-Preschool Education, is a standard teaching credential or a standard designated subjects teaching credential with a background of training and/or experience with preschool children and their parents. If the teacher does not already hold a general elementary or kindergarten primary credential, he/she will be asked to apply for the children's center permit so that children eligible for preschool programs under AB 1331 can be co-mingled in these programs. Teachers with experience in compensatory programs may warrant priority consideration in those programs.

#### **TYPICAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

 1.	Conducts classes in preschool education using modern nursery school techniques of educational value to both children and parents.
 2.	Provides appropriate learning experiences for children based upon their needs, interests, and abilities.
 3.	Emphasizes the development of vocabulary, language concepts, and speaking and listening skills.
 4.	Provides a broad background of experience through classroom activities and field trips into the larger community.
 5.	Assists parents in appreciating the importance of education and their role in helping their children succeed in school.
 6.	Accepts parents as they are, where they are, and assists them to develop latent skills and strengths.
 7.	Cooperates with community agencies for the benefit of families served.
 8.	Plans and coordinates work of parents, students and volunteers in the execution and understanding of their duties and responsibilities.
 9.	Makes home visits as needed.
 10.	Executes and prepares such forms, records and reports as may be called for in the management of the programs.
 11.	Works cooperatively with principals, and other district administrators and supervisors in planning and implementing the educational programs of the schools.
 12.	Exercises supervision and care over all furniture, books, supplies and equipment entrusted to his/her care and instructs pupils in the proper use and preservation of school properties.

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TYPICAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES (Continued)

 13.	Attends meetings called by order of the principal, superintendent, department chairperson, or other administrator authorized to call meetings.
 14.	Serves as requested on school and district-wide committees and project teams.
 15.	Attends and participates in required inservice training activities and works with the program coordinator in planning his/her own inservice program.

## **WORK SCHEDULE AND SALARY**

Teachers assigned to the parent-preschool program serve on the days schools are in session, plus required non-teaching service days, and are placed on the teachers' salary schedule according to their training and experience.

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