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Certificated: Job Descriptions

A. The administration shall be responsible for making available job descriptions and statements of responsibilities, typical duties, qualifications and organizational structure for personnel in administrative, supervisory, teaching, para-professional and auxiliary assignments. This list shall be made available electronically under the Human Resources Department.

B. Educational Aides Paraprofessionals

- 1. Educational Aides Paraprofessionals are to be used to augment rather than replace certificated educators in their professional role. The Aide paraprofessional is at all times an assistant and is responsible to a member of the professional staff in charge of the service.
- 2. Aides Paraprofessionals will not be hired to take the place of a teacher.
- 3. The assignment of an Aide paraprofessional to a classroom should not be used as a justification to increase the size of the class.
- 4. Teachers will be consulted before an Aide paraprofessional is assigned to work with them to ensure that a clear understanding of duties and responsibilities exists.
- 5. A paraprofessional may not:
 - a. be responsible for selecting programming or prescribing educational activities or materials for the students without the supervision and guidance of an appropriately licensed teacher or related service provider;
 - b. be solely responsible for designing lesson plans;
 - c. be assigned to implement elements of an IEP for a student with disabilities without direct training, supervision, and involvement from an appropriately licensed teacher or related service provider

Utah Admin. Rules R277-324-4(1), (2) (March 15, 2024)

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C. Guidelines governing interns are to be jointly developed by the Association and the District Administration.