

New: XX/XX/XXXX Submitted: XX/XX/XXXX

JOB TITLE:	OFFICER SCHOOL SAFETY
DIVISION	OPERATIONS SERVICES
SALARY SCHEDULE/GRADE:	IB, GRADE 9
Work year:	200 DAYS
FLSA STATUS:	NON-EXEMPT
JOB CLASS CODE:	
BARGAINING UNIT:	CLAJ

SCOPE OF RESPONSIBILITIES

The Officer School Safety supports and facilitates the educational process by providing a safe and secure environment through building and establishing meaningful relationships with students and staff. The Officer School Safety works closely with students, parents, school personnel and community agencies to support teaching and learning in the schools. The Officer School Safety patrols district property to protect students, staff and visitors from physical harm.

PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES & EVALUATION CRITERIA

Enforces federal, state, and local laws

Implements the Triad model of school-based policing (officer, informal counselor, instructor)

Works closely with the Principal and staff of the school to foster a better understanding of the law enforcement function to maintain a secure learning environment; works proactively with the school's leadership team and collaborates with the school's administrative team on safety protocols and procedures

Works with school counselors and other student support staff to assist students and provides services to students involved in situations where referrals to service agencies are necessary; assists in conflict resolution efforts

Provides classroom presentations on crime prevention and fundamental concepts and structure of the law; teaches law-related education, de-escalation techniques, and conflict resolution to students and staff

Patrols District property for suspicious activity, unauthorized persons on campus, or unauthorized entry during and after school hours

Serves as the initial first responder for campus emergencies and maintains control of emergency incidents requiring law enforcement intervention until relieved by police or fire department command personnel

Initiates positive interactions with students in the classroom and general areas of the school building; serves as a positive role model and increases the visibility and accessibility of police to the school community

Assists other law enforcement agencies with incidents involving local criminal activity that may impact the safety of the environment for students and staff

Provides instructions and directions to others as it pertains to law enforcement matters and emergency situations

Conducts security building assessments for schools; checks and secures doors, rooms, buildings and equipment

Assists with non-emergency services for special events, including, but not limited to athletic contests and other after-hours student-involved events

Qualifies as required with district-issued equipment

Documents all actions taken with students and parents in a formal setting

Provides testimony and presents evidence in legal proceedings, if necessary

Completes all trainings and other compliance requirements as assigned by the designated deadline

Performs other duties as assigned by Supervisor

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

The work is performed while standing or walking. The work requires the use of hands for simple grasping, pushing and pulling of arm controls and fine manipulations. The work requires the use of feet for repetitive movements. The work at times requires bending, squatting, crawling, reaching, with the ability to lift, carry, push or pull heavy weights the work requires activities involving exposure to marked changes in temperatures and humidity, driving automotive equipment, and exposure to dust, fumes and gases.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

High School diploma or G.E.D.

Completed Department of Criminal Justice Training Basic Law Enforcement Academy

Certification by the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council- Peace Officer Professional Standards (POPS)

Eligibility for Kentucky Special Law Enforcement Officer (SLEO) Certification

Valid Driver's license

Effective written and oral communication skills

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of school system policies and procedures

Experience as a School Resource Officer

National or State Basic School Resource Officer Certification

Training in Crisis Intervention or Mental Health

Experience in a diverse workplace