

## **Special Education School Improvement Specialist**

The Yonkers Public Schools, a multicultural, urban school district of 27,000 students in southern Westchester County, seeks a Special Education School Improvement Specialist (SESIS), to work in their Pupil Support Services/Special Education Department. The following is the details of this position:

## <u>Role</u>

**Description**: This teacher will work with identified schools within the Yonkers Schools District to improve outcomes for students with disabilities through the Quality Improvement Process Plan (QIP) or successor process/plan as required by NYSED; i.e.

- Assist with an analysis of data and review of instructional practices.
- Assist district personnel with the writing of a program improvement plan.
- Provide high quality, professional development and technical assistance to implement the Quality Improvement Process Plan.
- Assist in assuring systems of progress monitoring are established and progress related to QIP is documented.
- Participate in statewide VESID workgroups as established by VESID, including workgroups to develop, review and revise Quality Indicator and Resource Guides identifying research-based best practices.
- Liaison with schools in order to develop and provide training to meet their needs.
- Travel required to participate in required Albany training sessions and meetings.

Certification: NYS Certified Teacher - Special Education (K-12), or Students with Disabilities 1-6

## Qualifications:

- Minimum of five years experience in teaching in special education
- Experience conducting trainings and workshops for teachers and parents
- Knowledge of NYS/Yonkers Standards, curriculum and assessment (K-12), PBIS and RTI
- CSE experience and IEP development
- Available to work beyond the school day/year
- Willingness to participate in training beyond the school day/year at times mutually agreed upon
- Familiar with Part 200 NYS Commissioner's Regulations and Reauthorization of IDEA

Please complete an online application at <u>www.yonkerspublicschools.org</u>, and send a letter of interest, resume and certification, by **October 30, 2018,** to:

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