

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Title: Special Olympics Coordinator + Basketball Coach (if applicable)

Reports to: Assistant Principal for Operations & Student Life

Purpose of the Position: Organize and supervise a student athletic opportunities

Time Commitment:

1. Time of Year and Length of Activity (# of weeks/days):

Basketball - fall/winter (practice 2x/week)

Bowling - winter

Soccer - spring

- 2. *Meeting Times*: Practice/contest times typically span 2 hours in length (plus applicable travel time); this position responsible for coaching/oversight of basketball team, but does not have other "meeting time" commitments
- 3. Other Student Contact Time: Special Olympics Orientation Meeting with parents (1 hour)
- 4. Number of Students in the Activity: 10-20 (depending on season)

Major Responsibilities:

- Plan, supervise, and organize team meetings (basketball only)
- Schedule individual activity dates, times, and fees (basketball only)
- Supervise student participation in all activities
- Maintain positive communications with students and family members
- Follow all district policies, school rules and procedures
- Manage registration and all related requirements (i.e., fee collection) for Special Olympics events
- Arrange scheduling/transportation for all Special Olympics events
- Maintain communication with other team sponsors (i.e., soccer, bowling) for Special Olympics events

Key Duties:

- Recruitment of new members
- Organize transportation to and from contest venue, if necessary
- Insure all students have proper waivers signed (especially for transportation)
- Initiate the selection, purchase, care and storage of equipment and supplies
- Arrange for publicity of team activities and events
- Establish league schedule for sport (basketball only)
- Establish annual calendar for Special Olympics events
- Plan recognition awards for team participants (basketball)

- Plan recognitions for Special Olympics athletes
- Coordinate fund-raising events
- Execute other duties and assignments as required