# LOS ALAMITOS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT Office of the Personnel Commission

# **CLASS TITLE:** DATA PROCESSING TECHNICIAN

### **BASIC FUNCTION:**

Under the direction of a site administrator or designee, coordinate the flow of data processing operations and perform various responsible and complex technical and clerical work in support of the site.

## **DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS:**

Data Processing Technician must have sufficient knowledge to assist in the resolution of data processing problems; to plan and relieve the administrator of a wide variety of routine data processing detail; coordinate data processing activities with the District Technology Department regarding training, technical programs and/or equipment.

# **REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES:**

- 1. Coordinate the flow of data processing activities and communications for the site. Responsible to communicate and implement changes to programs and/or equipment by following District procedures.
- 2. Perform and coordinate data processing input and output for the entire site.
- 3. Generate and print a variety of computer reports, schedules, lists, files and records; distribute appropriately.
- 4. Make adjustments to student schedules, as instructed.
- 5. Perform other technical responsibilities relating to site programs including technical direction of staff involved in data processing functions such as counseling, attendance, student activities; train staff as necessary.
- 6. Type correspondence.
- 7. Compile and complete reports and other documents.
- 8. Order and store computer supplies; maintain inventory. Work with vendors as needed.
- 9. Assist when needed to issue student transcripts to colleges and individuals.
- 10. Operate a variety of office machines and equipment including, computer, printer, quick copy machines and other related data processing equipment.
- 11. Review and verify student program outputs for accuracy, make necessary corrections, distribute finalized documents, and file appropriately. Receive grade forms, check for completeness, and ensure their accurate distribution.
- 12. Organize processing sequence based on priorities determined by school calendar in order to meet deadlines.
- 13. Work with students, staff and parents as needed to accomplish any of the duties listed above.
- 14. Perform general recordkeeping and clerical duties as assigned.
- 15. Perform other job-related duties as assigned.

## **KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:**

#### **KNOWLEDGE OF:**

- Functions of an administrative office.
- Technical functions of areas such as data processing, business operations, testing, registrar activities, student activities, and attendance accounting.

- Telephone techniques and etiquette.
- Modern office practices, procedures, and equipment operation, including proficiency in digital and cloud-based tools
- Record-keeping and filing techniques.
- Correct English usage, grammar, spelling, punctuation, and vocabulary.
- School and District organization, operations, policies, and objectives.
- Applicable sections of State Education Code and other applicable laws.
- Interpersonal skills using tact, patience, and courtesy.
- Technical aspects of the field of specialty.
- District-wide computer methods and procedures.

#### **ABILITY TO:**

- Coordinate activities of the site data processing.
- Operate computer, printer, and other related data processing equipment.
- Perform responsible and complex office work involving independent judgment and requiring accuracy and speed.
- Provide technical direction in areas of data processing as needed.
- Coordinate with the District to implement revised office procedures as needed in accordance with established guidelines for data processing.
- Understand and interpret rules and written directions and apply to specific situations.
- Analyze situations accurately and adopt an effective course of action.
- Meet schedules and time limits.
- Perform duties effectively with many demands on time and constant interruptions.
- Plan and organize work.
- Train and provide work direction to others as related to District data processing.
- Maintain records and prepare reports.
- Work confidentially with discretion.
- Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
- Make arithmetic calculations quickly and accurately.
- Understand and follow oral and written directions.
- Type at 45 words per minute from clear copy.
- Work independently with little direction.
- Work effectively within a team, coordinating with colleagues, stakeholders, and external partners to complete tasks, achieve goals, and resolve issues in a collaborative and efficient manner.
- Demonstrate a commitment to Los Alamitos Unified School District's mission, vision, and priority goals.

## **EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:**

- High School Diploma, GED, or certificate of completion
- Two years of increasingly responsible experience in data processing or student information systems.

#### WORKING CONDITIONS

Subject to stand while operating various machines, occasionally walk, sit, kneel, squat, crawl, stoop, and bend; work at computer for extended periods of time requiring close/distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception and the ability to adjust focus; frequent use of telephone; exposed to loud noise from various machines; lift, carry, push or pull up to 25 lbs. with proper technique; work alone and without guidance from a supervisor in a typical office environment subject to tight deadlines and difficult interpersonal situations.

SALARY RANGE: 68

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