

CERTIFICATED JOB DESCRIPTION

**RESOURCE TEACHER
(CHULA VISTA NATURE CENTER)**

JOB SUMMARY:

Under the supervision of the Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction with support from the Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Department, the Resource Teacher assigned to the Chula Vista Nature Center plans, develops, schedules, implements standard-based study trips for kindergarten through sixth grade students. Provides instructional materials and activities for the classroom teacher for use prior to the study trip.

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS:

- Assist the Nature Center in training docents.
- Lead students and adult chaperones on trails under a variety of conditions.
- Maintain excellent control of students while guiding classes in and around the Nature Center.
- Handle live animals and insects as needed.
- Plan, develop, schedule, and implement standard-based study trips for kindergarten through sixth grade students.
- Provide instructional materials and activities for the classroom teacher for use prior to the study trip.

ESSENTIAL JOB REQUIREMENTS - QUALIFICATIONS:

- **Credential:**
Multiple Subject Teaching or equivalent.
CLAD or BCLAD or equivalent.
"No Child Left Behind" compliant.
- **Education:**
Bachelor's degree, including all courses needed to meet credential requirements.
Advanced coursework in Science highly desirable.
- **Personal Qualities:**
Self-motivated, ability to set and achieve goals without direct supervision.
Appearance, grooming and personality that establishes a desirable example for students.
Interest in science and social science.
Strong sense of organization.
Interest in curriculum development.
Strong student management skills.
Creative, flexible team player.
Strong communicator.
Computer skills, computer applications.
Fluency Spanish desirable.

- **Experience:**
Three years of successful classroom teaching or informal education.

Certificated Salary Schedule

BOARD APPROVED:

REVISION DATES: 10/4/05