

ZANESVILLE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
**JOB DESCRIPTION**

TITLE:	<b>JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING SECRETARY</b>	REPORTS TO:	Principal or designee
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**TRAINING QUALIFICATIONS**

- High school diploma or GED equivalency
- Pass a series of typing, word processing and grammar tests
- Have a working knowledge of basic office procedures and the operation of common office equipment, machines and computers
- Previous experience as a secretary preferred
- Such alternatives to the above qualifications as the Board may find appropriate and acceptable

**REQUIRED SKILLS AND ABILITIES**

- Communication Skills: Must be able to read, analyze, and interpret information relevant to the position, including being able to speak effectively to small and large groups of people, and to communicate clearly and concisely both orally and in writing
- Leadership Ability: Must be able to articulate a vision and mission for the district and provide the appropriate direction, guidance, and management skills to achieve them
- Mathematics Skills: Must have the ability to work with basic mathematical and computational concepts
- Reasoning Ability: Must be able to define problems, collect data, establish facts, and draw valid conclusions
- Technology Skills: Able to effectively use, as it applies to your specific job function, typical office applications and computer programs such as word processing, spreadsheets, and presentations; must be able to use email

**PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

- Demonstrates enthusiasm and a sincere desire to aid and ensure the safety of all
- Is able to accept constructive criticism/feedback
- Demonstrates professional tact and diplomacy with administrators, staff, teachers, students, parents and the diverse community
- Is conscientious and assumes responsibility for ones own work performance
- Anticipates problems and unforeseen events and deals with them in an appropriate manner
- Demonstrates an ability to make proper decisions when required
- Demonstrates loyalty to the administrative team
- Possesses high moral character and a good attendance record
- Promotes good social relationships as well as promoting good public relations by personal appearance, attitude and conversation
- Participates in appropriate professional organizations and their activities
- Maintains a calm attitude and sense of control at all times
- Maintains a high level of ethical behavior and confidentiality of information
- Possesses the ability to be flexible and adaptable to changing situations

**JOB GOAL**

To assure the smooth and efficient operation of the school office so that the office's maximum positive impact on the education of children can be realized

**WORK ENVIRONMENT CHARACTERISTICS/ CONDITIONS**

The work environment characteristics described here are not listed in order of importance, and are representative of those an employee encounters while completing the duties and responsibilities of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the duties and responsibilities. The information contained in this job description is for compliance with the American with Disabilities Act (A.D.A.) and is not an exhaustive list of the duties performed for this position.

- Occasional work that may extend beyond the normal workday
- Occasional exposure to blood, bodily fluids, and tissue
- Occasional operation of a vehicle under inclement weather conditions
- Occasional interaction among unruly children/adults

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- Many situations that require hand motion, e.g., computer keyboard, typing, writing
- Consistent requirements to sit, stand, walk, hear, see, read, speak, reach, stretch with hands and arms, crouch, kneel, climb and stoop
- Consistent requirements to lift, carry, push, and pull various supplies and/or equipment up to a maximum of 50 pounds

**DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. Performs the usual office routines and practices associated with a busy, productive and smoothly run office
2. Maintains accurate filing system of correspondence, office files and other files appropriate for a particular office
3. Receives and routes incoming calls
4. Maintains a log of employee absences and prepares reports for substitute employees
5. Prepares final drafts of reports as directed by supervisor
6. Maintains the bookkeeping function as appropriate for a particular office
7. Dispenses office supplies
8. Assists in the ordering of supplies as appropriate for a particular office
9. Assists others in the operation of office machines
10. Assists in the distribution of incoming mail
11. Assists with the operation of the lunch program as appropriate for the particular office
12. Assists with the counting and safekeeping of money as appropriate for the particular office
13. Performs specific duties related to assignments by the building principal

<b>TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT</b>	221/260 contract days
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