



SIERRA SANDS Unified School District

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The Sierra Sands Unified School District announces a vacancy in the following positions for the **2026-2027** school year.

***** **AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE REQUIRED*******

Job #7923

Hours/Days:

Time:

Salary:

Application Deadline:

Paraprofessional ASL – China Lake Jr High School

5.5 hours per day, 203 paid days

7:45 am – 2:15 pm

Range 13 Step A, \$16.90 per hour

Until position fills

Brief Description: Under supervision, assists with the instruction, training, classroom control, and supervision of special education students.

Required Qualifications: Fluent in American Sign Language (ASL) and the ability to interpret for deaf students. Knowledge of the characteristics of deaf students. Ability to perform routine clerical and record-keeping activities. Ability to work comfortably with teachers and students, particularly special needs children.

******Will provide one-on-one assistance, particularly interpretive assistance, to deaf students and assist the student with his/her education. Accompany the student to school activities to facilitate orientation and integration with the general student body.*

Education: High School graduate or equivalent. Coursework in special education is desirable but not required.

NOTE: Must have an Associate's Degree or 48 college units, or pass the "NCLB" Paraprofessional Test, Paraprofessional Eligibility Test, and Pre-Employment Physical.

Personal Qualifications: Must have empathy and patience with special needs children and enjoy working with special needs children and adults.

How to Apply: A transfer request form must be completed for anyone applying for a transfer. An application must be completed for anyone applying for a promotion. Forms are available at the Human Resources Office, 113 Felspar St., or by emailing Michelle French at mfrench@ssusd.org. Please be sure you receive a confirmation email.

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