

# CAREER OPPORTUNITY-

### EDUCATION PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST III

OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

**NON-STATE; TIME LIMITED** 

Salary Range: \$47.426.00 - \$71.208.00

Salary will be negotiable and commensurate with experience.

#### **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

This position works within the Bureau of Policy and Practice, Office of Student Outcomes. This role works in collaboration with the Office of Special Education and the Office of Student Assessment to improve programmatic experiences for students with significant cognitive disabilities. This position works alongside stakeholders and special education directors to support the provision of appropriate supports and services to students with significant cognitive disabilities (SCD) and the administration of the appropriate assessment programs with fidelity and accuracy.

The candidate must possess the ability to work independently with other program coordinators, other MDE offices, and school district staff to lead training, make policy decisions, and answer questions pertaining to Students with Cognitive Disabilities (SCD); must have a knowledge of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Mississippi Alternate Academic Achievement Standards (MAAAS), and the Mississippi Academic Assessment Program - Alternate (MAAP-A). Candidates must also have experience working with students with Students with Cognitive Disabilities and administering MAAP-A.

#### **SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS:**

Bachelor's degree required; higher levels of education preferred. A minimum of 3 years in the field of special education is required, additional experience is preferred. Proficient in various technologies including, but not limited to, Microsoft Teams, email and calendar functionality, Microsoft Office products, other virtual meeting platforms.

#### **EXPERIENCE/EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Typically requires a relevant Bachelor's Degree and 3+ years of experience.

### **APPLY**

- Visit <u>Mississippi State</u>
  Personnel Board to apply
- Deadline: October 4, 2024

### BENEFITS

 mdek12.org/OHR/MDE-Employee-Benefits

## **INQUIRIES**

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