

POSITION:Kitchen AssistantSTATUS:Non ExemptSUPERVISOR:Kitchen ManagerDATE:July 2024

**Job Summary:** Assists with preparation, service and clean-up of food service.

### **Required Spiritual Qualities**

It is expected that the Kitchen Assistant will:

- Acknowledge Christ as Savior and seek to live as His disciple.
- Believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God, our standard for faith and practice.
- Believe and actively support Coulee Christian School's **Statement of Belief**.
- Demonstrate a desire for spiritual growth as evidenced by his or her prayer life, Bible study, and spiritual outreach to others.
- Be a <u>Christian role model</u> in attitude, speech, and actions toward others. This includes being committed to God's biblical standards for personal conduct, marriage, gender identity and sexuality.
- Demonstrate evidence of the fruit of the Spirit when interacting with others.
- Actively participate in a local Bible-believing church and share faith with others.
- Have a Christ-centered home.

## **Required Professional Qualities**

It is expected that the Kitchen Assistant will:

- Possess evidence of other adequate preparation, background, or experience as determined by the Supervisor.
- Possess the ability to interact effectively with peers and supervisors, possessing humility and willingness to be a team player.
- Demonstrate a sensitivity and ability to interact effectively with staff, parents, volunteers, and children.
- Manage a fast-paced, multifaceted job with stability, objectivity, and optimism.
- Understand the importance of discernment, discretion, and confidentiality in the operation of the school.
- Develop and maintain rapport with students, parents, and staff by treating others with courtesy, patience, friendliness, dignity, respect, and a good sense of humor.
- Communicate effectively, professionally, and timely by responding to all emails within 24-48
  hours on school days, as this is the main method of communication between administration
  and employees.
- Maintain a personal appearance that is a Christian role model of cleanliness, modesty, and good taste consistent with school policy.
- Be open and flexible to new school initiatives.

- Demonstrate a reasonable level of computer literacy. Basic proficiency is needed in word processing, e-mailing, and accessing the internet. The Kitchen Assistant should be able to use a website to upload, create, and submit documents.
- Possess customer service and public relations skills necessary to market the school to potential families, as well as the general public.

### **Required Personal Qualities**

It is expected that the Kitchen Assistant will:

- Sign and live by Coulee Christian School's **Lifestyle Statement** as a condition for employment and continued employment in this ministry.
- Be an enthusiastic visionary, encouraging, self-starter with a high energy level.
- Meet everyday stress with emotional stability, objectivity, and optimism.
- Defend principles and conviction in the face of pressure and partisan influence.
- Recognize his or her own mistakes and take measures to correct them.
- Be servant-hearted & willing to assist others.
- Use acceptable English in written and verbal communication. Speak with clear articulation.
- Respectfully submit to constituted authority.
- Seek to appreciate and understand the uniqueness of the community.
- Place his or her school ministry ahead of other jobs, coaching or volunteer activities.
- Be able to meet the physical demands of the position as outlined in Coulee Christian School's Physical Requirements for this position or negotiate reasonable accommodations with Supervisor.

### **Essential Job Functions - Accountabilities**

It is expected that the Kitchen Assistant will:

# **Spiritual Leadership**

- Possess a conviction of God's calling to the Christian school ministry.
- Follow the Matthew 18 principle in dealing with conflict.
- Join school staff in discipling of students.
- Serve as a model to students of how a spiritual leader within a school community practices Spiritual disciplines and demonstrates fruits of the Spirit in everyday situations.
- Participate in staff Bible studies.

### **Academic Leadership**

- Have knowledge of Coulee Christian School's vision/mission, programs, and policies.
- Seek and accept constructive evaluation of performance.
- Participate in ongoing professional development.

### **Administrative Leadership**

- Assists with food preparation and cooking.
- Assists with clean-up of kitchen and lunchroom.

#### **Minimum Requirements:**

It is expected that the Kitchen Assistant will:

- Hold a High School Diploma.
- Have experience working with children.
- Possess and maintain CPR & First Aid knowledge.
- Have experience in cafeteria work & cooking.
- Have experience in food preparation & service.
- Possess or acquire Servsafe Class training.
- Possess or acquire knowledge of local, state & federal food safety & sanitation standards.
- Maintain a valid driver's license in order to commute between multiple campuses.

**Working Relationship and Scope:** Reports directly to the Supervisor noted above. Works closely with all school staff members, students, families, volunteers, and outside vendors.

**Acknowledgment:** This job description describes the general nature and level of work performed by the employee assigned to this position. It does not state or imply that these are the only duties and responsibilities assigned to the job. The employee may be required to perform other job-related duties as requested by the Supervisor. All requirements are subject to change over time and to possible modifications to reasonably accommodate individuals with a disability.

I acknowledge that this job description is neither an employment contract nor a legal document. I have received, read, and understand the expectations for the successful performance of this job.

Printed & Signed name of Employee

Date

Printed & Signed name of Supervisor

Date