



# Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District

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## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

### MIDDLE SCHOOL LANGUAGE ARTS CURRICULUM COACH JOB NUMBER 4179

Preference will be given to CFISD Employees

**Qualifications:**

1. Bachelor's degree from a recognized, accredited college or university;
2. Valid Texas teacher's certificate in the area of language arts;
3. Minimum of three (3) years of successful experience as a middle school language arts teacher or high school English teacher;
4. Demonstrated ability to provide staff development, use technology for developing products, to write curriculum and to communicate and collaborate with both campus and district personnel;
5. Strong knowledge and understanding of state testing program and middle school language arts TEKS;
6. Demonstrated ability to analyze and discuss assessment data;
7. Strong knowledge and understanding of differentiation and proven success with at-risk students;
8. Demonstrated skills in leading, motivating, coaching and cooperating with other teachers, campus administrators and district personnel;
9. Strong knowledge of Six Traits of Writing and TAKS writing mandatory;
10. Proven ability to effectively implement and apply technology in the classroom to enhance learning objectives;
11. Proven ability to effectively and positively provide feedback to other teachers in a collegial, cooperative and supportive manner and to foster an environment for such feedback.

**Terms of Employment:**

Probationary/Term Contract: 197 days

**Salary:**

Pay Grade T60 (Teacher Classification) as approved by the Board of Trustees.

**Inquiries should be made to :**

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**Application accepted online. For information:**

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**Category – 09-10 Administrative/Generic**

**Deadline for Applications:**

**December 2, 2009 or Until Filled**

**TITLE: Middle School Language Arts Curriculum Coach**

**ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

1. Provide staff development, including but not limited to reading and writing strategies, success on TAKS and technology.
2. Assist teachers in planning and implementation of lessons based on middle school language arts TEKS objectives.
3. Meet regularly with teachers, departments and/or teams for data analysis, discussion and planning for continuous improvement toward increased commended performance on TAKS.
4. Meet regularly with teachers, departments and/or teams of teachers to provide feedback on lesson design and implementation (especially in the area of differentiation) and provide recommendations for improvement.
5. Model exemplary lessons and instructional strategies in the classroom (focusing on differentiation).
6. Attend all middle school language arts share sessions and department chair meetings.
7. Assist teachers in implementing technology to enhance learning objectives.
8. Assist teachers in the selection and implementation of appropriate instructional resources and in creating lessons and learning activities based on middle school English/Language Arts TEKS.
9. Assist the Middle School Language Arts Coordinator to support middle school language arts teachers and students.
10. Other duties as assigned by the Middle School Language Arts Coordinator.