# ROLE DESCRIPTION CUSTODIAN

TITLE: Custodian

## QUALIFICATIONS:

1. High School Diploma or equivalent preferred.

## REPORTS TO:

Director of Maintenance, Assistant Director of Maintenance, Head Custodian

#### JOB GOAL:

To maintain a quality environment, to promote safety, security, and excellence in standards for the daily operation of an educational facility.

## PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

## A. MAINTAIN THE HIGHEST STANDARD OF CLEANLINESS AND SAFETY:

- 1. Work with and around staff and students, and maintain a harmonious relationship with co-workers, administration, staff and students.
- 2. Wash, apply finish, and buff or wet/dry mop floors in halls and classrooms.
- 3. Vacuum and clean carpets.
- 4. Clean and maintain bathrooms.
- 5. Move, clean, and dust furniture.
- 6. Clean walls and windows.
- 7. Maintain effective lighting throughout the building.
- 8. Load and unload trucks of stock and supplies, delivering stock and supplies to designated areas of building.
- 9. Set up and breakdown chairs, tables, staging, etc. when necessary for all functions, during and after school.
- 10. Empty trash daily.
- 11. Maintain walkways outside buildings, keeping them free of debris and/or snow.
- 12. Understand and carry out routine oral and written instructions.
- 13. Unlock and secure doors and windows in building.
- 14. Maintain safe area within and around the building by removing hazardous debris.

## B. EQUIPMENT OPERATION AND SAFETY/SECURITY:

- 1. Operate heavy-duty scrubbing, buffing, shampooing, vacuuming, and wet/dry pickup equipment.
- 2. Perform preventative maintenance on cleaning equipment.
- 3. Finish floors using strippers and final finishes.
- 4. Insure that floor and building areas are secure.
- 5. Know proper safety techniques and procedures.
- 6. Verify doors are locked and lights are off.
- 7. Wear protective equipment when required/requested.
- 8. Report fire hazards and other emergencies.

## C. MAINTAIN THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF PROFESSIONALISM:

- 1. Demonstrate positive work habits by showing initiative, cooperation, dependability, efficiency, and productivity.
- 2. Demonstrate responsible behavior regarding attendance and work schedule.
- 3. Perform in a professional manner when interacting with students, parents, faculty, administration, and co-workers.
- 4. Follow the guidelines of confidentiality as established by the school district.
- 5. Attend and participate in relevant training sessions, meetings and professional growth activities as requested and/or required.
- 6. Perform other reasonable duties as requested by the supervisor.

## PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Standing – Frequent

Walking – Frequent

Sitting – Occasional

Driving - Occasional

Lifting – Lift a minimum of 70 lbs.

Bending/stooping – Frequent

## TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

Per Merrimack Educational Support Staff Master Agreement.

## **EVALUATION:**

Performance of these responsibilities will be evaluated annually in accordance with the approved administrative procedure for staff evaluation.