#### ROLE DESCRIPTION FOOD SERVICE SUPPORT

TITLE: Food Service Support

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. High school diploma or equivalent preferred.
- 2. Valid Driver's License required when appropriate.
- 3. Aptitude for successful performance of the responsibilities listed is necessary.

### **REPORTS TO:**

Director of Food Services, Food Service Manager/Supervisor

JOB GOAL:

To enhance student achievement by assisting in the preparation of planned, nutritional meals served in a pleasant, sanitary manner.

### PERFORMANCE RESPONSIBILITIES:

- A. OPERATE FOOD PREPARATION EQUIPMENT:
  - 1. Demonstrate awareness of the location and operation of all safety equipment.
  - 2. Inspect equipment for cleanliness and functional operation.
  - 3. Report any equipment failure to Food Service Manager/Supervisor.
- B. MAINTAIN THE HIGHEST STANDARDS OF SAFETY AND CLEANLINESS:
  - 1. Wear appropriate uniform, gloves, hairnet, etc.
  - 2. Scrub sinks, counters and work area daily or as necessary.
  - 3. Wash and sterilize all serving utensils, pans and equipment.
  - 4. Perform major periodic cleaning of refrigerators, ovens, walk-ins, storeroom, and food preparation area.
  - 5. Maintain the highest standard of safety and cleanliness in the kitchen following the New Hampshire Sanitation Code.
  - 6. Report immediately any problems or accidents occurring in the kitchen or the
  - 7. cafeteria to the Director
  - 8. Participate in relevant training as required.
- C. ASSIST WITH COOKING AND PREPARING MEALS ON DAILY MENU:
  - 1. Record items from stock to fill requisitions.
  - 2. Carry or deliver items by cart, hand, truck or van to requesting department or school; obtaining authorized signature.
  - 3. Unpack items received and inspect for damage or defects.
  - 4. Store items according to established procedures.
  - 5. Inventory periodically stock on hand and verify count inventory control totals.
  - 6. Transport additional items from purchasing department as needed.
  - 7. Maintain the cleanliness and fuel level of van.
  - 8. Lift heavy objects when necessary.
  - 9. Complete daily delivery route with food and supplies for satellite schools.

- 10. Prepare food according to planned and tested recipes.
- 11. Assure food is of the best quality, appearance, and temperature before serving.
- 12. Assure proper storage and/or disposal of all unused food or supplies.

## D. MAINTAIN A CORRECT MONTHLY INVENTORY:

- 1. Record daily requisitions from the storeroom.
- 2. Report to manager any inferior quality of food supplies delivered.
- 3. Determine quantities of each food to be prepared daily.
- 4. Complete daily production sheets.

## E. SERVE STUDENTS AND STAFF IN A CONSISTENT AND PLEASANT MANNER:

- 1. Assemble food and supplies for service to students.
- 2. Maintain a positive attitude while serving students and staff.
- 3. Cross train as cashier when necessary.
- 4. Demonstrate accurate accounting procedures.
- 5. Complete daily cash sheets.
- 6. Relocate temporarily to assist in another school cafeteria when deemed necessary by the Director.
- F. 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 – Occasional Sitting – Occasional Driving – Frequent Lifting – Lift a minimum of 25 lbs. – 30 lbs. Bending/stooping – Frequent to Occasional

# 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.