

Flour Bluff Independent School District Job Description

JOB TITLE: Athletic Trainer

WAGE/HOUR STATUS: Exempt NUMBER OF DAYS: 187 REPORTS TO: Athletic Director DATE REVISED: 01/2025

PRIMARY PURPOSE:

• The role of the School Athletic Trainer, in responding to the unique needs of students, is to interact effectively with each component of the educational setting within the framework of the philosophy and goals established by Board Policy and in accordance with statutes, standards or regulatory agencies, and administrative guidelines to create an educational environment which is conducive to learning and which provides opportunities, strengthens areas of weaknesses, and extends positive values.

QUALIFICATIONS: Minimum Education/Certification:

- Bachelor's degree
- Certification per Texas Education Agency

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

ROLE 1: PROGRAM MANAGEMENT

- 1. Demonstrates knowledge of skill areas within the field of coaching/training responsibilities.
- 2. Displays ability to effectively communicate and cooperate with all segments of the school.

ROLE 2: SCHOOL CLIMATE

- 3. Attends all meetings, etc. as required by the Athletic Director/Head Coach.
- 4. Exhibits a personal lifestyle which can serve as a model for student athletes.
- 5. Performs additional assignments such as equipment inventory, facility maintenance, etc. in a competent manner.
- 6. Exhibits punctuality and dependability.
- 7. Adheres to Professional Ethical Standards in relationship to students, parents, patrons, peers, administrators, and support personnel.

ROLE 3: SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

8. Assess and respond to needs related to job responsibilities.

ROLE 4: STUDENT MANAGEMENT

- 9. Establishes and maintains a positive and productive relationship with student athletes and trainers.
- 10. Demonstrates planning, organization, and follow-up skills applicable to athletic training.

ROLE 5: PROFESSIONAL GROWTH and DEVELOPMENT

- 11. Displays sincere interest in the field of athletic training by involvement in professional associations related to the field.
- 12. Exhibits poise, control, and professionalism in all aspects of the working environment.
- 13. Provides leadership in addressing challenges facing the profession; pursue professional development activities, disseminate ideas and information to other professionals.

ROLE 6: SCHOOL/COMMUNITY RELATIONS

- 14. Participates in school functions and activities as a positive student advocate.
- 15. Perform other duties as assigned.

Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors:

Tools/Equipment Used: Exercise equipment and devices including stationary bike, pulleys, weights, whirlpool, paraffin bath, ultrasound equipment, and cold packs; automated external defibrillator (AED).

Posture: Prolonged standing; frequent kneeling/squatting, bending/stooping, pushing/pulling, and twisting.

Motion: Continual walking; moderate reaching.

Lifting: Frequently moderate lifting or carrying (15-44 pounds).

Environment: Work outside (exposure to sun, heat, cold, and inclement weather) and inside; exposure to noise; exposure to biological hazards, bacteria, and communicable diseases; frequent districtwide and statewide travel.

Mental Demands: Maintain emotional control under stress; frequent prolonged and irregular hours.

The above statements describe the general purpose and responsibilities assigned to this job and are not an exhaustive list.