

# Flour Bluff Independent School District Job Description

JOB TITLE: Custodian

**WAGE/HOUR STATUS:** Nonexempt

**NUMBER OF DAYS**: 260

**REPORTS TO**: Lead Custodian & Principal

**DATE REVISED:** 01/2025

#### **PRIMARY PURPOSE:**

Follow routine cleaning and maintenance procedures to maintain a high standard of safety, cleanliness, and efficiency of building operations and grounds.

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

## **Special Knowledge/Skills:**

- Ability to read and understand instructions for cleaning, maintenance, and safety procedures.
- Knowledge of minor repair techniques and building and grounds maintenance
- Ability to operate cleaning equipment and lift heavy equipment.
- Ability to properly handle cleaning supplies.

## **MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:**

#### Cleaning:

- 1. Maintain a cleaning schedule that will include cleaning of floors, chalkboards, wastebaskets, windows, furniture, equipment, and restrooms.
- 2. Keep school building and grounds, including sidewalks, driveways parking lots, and play areas, neat and clean.
- 3. Comply with local laws and procedures for storage and disposal of trash.
- 4. Assist in maintaining an inventory of cleaning supplies and equipment and request additional supplies as needed.

## **Maintenance and Repair:**

- 5. Assist with lunchroom set up, including arranging tables and chairs.
- 6. Perform preventive maintenance to ensure the comfort, health, and safety of students and staff.
- 7. Regulate heat, ventilation, and air conditioning systems to provide appropriate temperatures and ensure economical usage of fuel, water, and electricity.
- 8. Make minor building repairs as needed and report major repair needs to principal.
- 9. Move furniture or equipment within building as directed by principal.
- 10. Assist in setting up facilities for special events.

## Safety:

- 11. Assist with closing building each school day.
- 12. Follow established procedures for locking, checking, and safeguarding facilities.
- 13. Check daily to ensure that all exit doors are open and all panic bolts are working properly during hours of building occupancy.
- 14. Inspect machines and equipment for safety and efficiency.
- 15. Operate tools and equipment according to established safety procedures.
- 16. Follow established safety procedures and techniques to perform job duties, including lifting, climbing, etc.
- 17. Correct unsafe conditions in work area and report any conditions that are not correctable to supervisor immediately.

#### Other:

- 18. Maintain good working communications with co-workers and other staff members.
- 19. Maintain good attitude in difficult situations.
- 20. Help maintain cohesiveness among employees.
- 21. Perform duties in a timely and organized manner.
- 22. Project a professional image through demeanor and dress.
- 23. Comply with Maintenance/Transportation Department policies and procedures.
- 24. Comply with policies and procedures as outlined in employee handbook and addendum.
- 25. Maintain regular and reliable attendance.
- 26. Adhere to proper channels when communicating ideas, problems, etc.
- 27. Perform other duties as assigned.

### Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors:

#### **Tools/Equipment Used:**

Small hand tools, power tools, and measuring tools; light truck or van.

#### Posture:

Frequent standing, kneeling/squatting, bending/stooping, pushing/pulling, and twisting.

#### Motion:

Frequent walking, climbing stairs/ladders/scaffolding, grasping/squeezing, wrist flexion/extension, and overhead reaching; frequent driving.

## Lifting:

Heavy lifting and carrying (45 pounds and over) daily.

#### **Environment:**

Work outside and inside, on slippery or uneven walking surfaces; frequent exposure to extreme hot and cold temperatures, dust, toxic chemicals and materials, noise, vibration, and electrical hazards; work around machinery with moving parts; may work alone; regularly work irregular hours; occasional prolonged hours; frequent districtwide travel.

#### **Mental Demands:**

Maintain emotional control under stress.

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