

TELEVISION TECHNICIAN

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES: Maintains, operates and repairs television and audio-visual equipment; does related work as required.

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: Under general supervision, has responsibility for the operation and maintenance of television and instructional electronic equipment including maintenance of audio-visual equipment. This position differs from Audio-Visual Technician in that the primary responsibility is for electronic equipment used in the teaching field. Supervision may be exercised over subordinate level employees.

EXAMPLES OF WORK: (Illustrative Only)

Maintains and operates a variety of television and related instructional electronic equipment including video cameras, video tape recorders, converters, oscilloscopes distribution and audio amplifiers, television tuners and other equipment associated with closed television broadcast and reception;

Sets up videotape programs from open circuit TV for later display;

Services and repairs audio-visual equipment including public address systems;

Installs and keeps in operating condition amplifiers and speakers in various rooms and auditoriums;

Assists in demonstrating and instructing teachers and/or students in the use of television equipment;

Provides advice to teachers in the use of lighting, special effects and sound;

Maintains inventories, keeps service records and orders parts for television, radio and public address systems;

May be responsible for producing and editing videos for internal use within the district.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND ATTRIBUTES: Good knowledge of the methods, materials, practices and equipment used in the television trade; good knowledge of closed circuit and broadcast television systems, designs and specifications; knowledge of audio-visual equipment including public address systems; ability to install, alter, repair, maintain and locate the defects in a variety of electronic equipment; ability to meet and get along well with others; mechanical aptitude; dependability; physical condition commensurate with the duties of the position.

MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE: Either (a) graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and four years of experience in electronic maintenance and repair work, one year of which must have included the maintenance and repair of television and related electronic equipment; or (b) graduation from two year post high school course in electronics and two years of experience in electronic maintenance and repair work; one year of which must have included the maintenance and repair of television and related electronic equipment; or (c) a satisfactory equivalent combination of the foregoing training and experience.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT FOR APPOINTMENT IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS:

In accordance with the Safe Schools Against Violence in Education (SAVE) legislation, Chapter 180 of the Laws of 2000, and by the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education, candidates for appointment in school districts must obtain clearance for employment from the State Education Department prior to employment based upon a fingerprint and criminal history background check.

School Districts
J. C.: Competitive
1c

Job Class Code: S094