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Position Title: Deputy Director, Teacher Training & Support

Reports To: Nicole Roberts Pratt, Director Training and Operations

Location:

Tennessee Department of Education
710 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243

Position Description:

The Deputy Director of Teacher Training and Support will play a critical role in advancing the strategic plan of the Department, [Tennessee Succeeds](#). The individual in this role will be charged with leading multiple statewide professional learning and educator support projects, with the goal of improving student learning. Specifically, this individual will oversee the management of a network of teacher leaders as well as the development of content for professional learning courses and events.

The Deputy Director of Teacher Training & Support will report directly to the Director for Training & Operations for the Office of Academic Strategy and Operations and will work with a variety of team members and contractors.

Specific Position Responsibilities:

- Manage the recruitment, selection, training, and overall experience and work of existing and new teacher leader networks

- Develop a vision and agenda for the training of the professional development facilitators; manage the training experience to ensure effectiveness of the content in turnaround

- Serve as the project lead for large-scale, statewide initiatives to support districts, schools, and educators, including training and materials development

- Communicate information about professional learning opportunities with various stakeholders



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Collaborate with other divisions to ensure the content and messaging of trainings is aligned to the department's priorities and past work

Special projects for the Training & Support team as needs arise

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree required, Master's degree preferred
- Located in or willing to relocate to the greater Nashville area
- A track record of success managing and executing large-scale and/or complex projects.
- Demonstrated drive for results and strong judgment in the face of obstacles.
- Excellent oral and written communicator
- Skill in building productive working relationships.
- Detail orientation and comfort working with large and complex sets of information.
- Evidence of continuous improvement and ongoing learning orientation.
- Desire to work with educators from across the state to provide training and support.
- Experience working with diverse teams successfully.
- Seeks feedback; communicates feedback well to others
- Desire and ability to work and maintain optimism in a fast-paced, collaborative environment.
- Minimum of three years teaching experience, preferred
- Experience designing, reviewing, and facilitating adult learning experiences

Successful candidate will exhibit the following:

- Excellence
- Optimism
- Sound Judgment
- Courage
- Teamwork

Salary and Benefits:

Salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. In addition, a [comprehensive benefits package](#) is included.

To Apply:



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Please e-mail a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three professional references to Edwina.Fanning@tn.gov.

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