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JOB DESCRIPTION

Department: Universal Design for Learning (UDL)

Job Title: UDL Coach

Job Objective: As a UDL Instructional Coach, you will partner with districts, schools, and classrooms to bring Universal Design for Learning (UDL) principles to life. Your mission: help educators remove barriers and create inclusive learning environments where all students can thrive.

This is a **statewide**, **high-impact coaching role** best suited for flexible, motivated, and collaborative leaders who can inspire educators, design and deliver professional learning, and model inclusive practices in diverse educational settings.

Reports to: UDL Coordinator

Required Qualifications for Position:

- Bachelor's Degree in K-12 Education or a related field
- Valid New Mexico Level II NMPED license (or higher) in General or Special Education
- Valid NM Driver's License, proof of auto insurance and reliable transportation
- Ability to travel statewide, including overnight stays (1–3 nights at a time)
- Comfortable working from a home or satellite office and managing a remote coaching schedule

Compensation: Base pay \$78, 370.43, plus you may receive additional credit for years of experience and Licensure Level.

Additional Requirements:

- Proficient with Google Workspace, Microsoft Office, Apple tools, and platforms like Canvas, Canva, Brightspace, Schoology
- Experience with UDL-aligned tools and including but not limited to:
 - o Text-to-speech, word prediction, speech-to-text
 - o uPAR, Read & Write, Equatio, Bookshare, OrbitNote
- Ability to create accessible, engaging content (Google Slides, PowerPoint, PDFs, visuals, graphic organizers, etc.)
- Skilled in using video conferencing and delivering virtual PD sessions

Preferred Qualifications

- Deep understanding of learner variability, UDL principles, and inclusive design
- Direct experience in K–12 schools (teaching, coaching, or leadership roles)
- Experience coaching or training adult learners
- Ability to create engaging and accessible training content
- Creative communicator able to present UDL concepts through visuals, analogies, and technology
- Experience integrating UDL into broader initiatives (e.g., MLSS, PBIS, SEL, content standards)

Major Job Responsibilities:

Why This Role Matters
As a UDL Instructional Coach, you will:

- Help educators design classrooms that empower all learners
- Support the alignment of UDL with state initiatives and district goals
- Build **sustainability** by fostering district-level champions and student leadership (SWAT teams)
- Advocate for accessibility, equity, and innovation in education across New Mexico

Preferred Knowledge Skills and Ability:

Dynamic Leadership

- Inspire and support teachers and staff through collaborative, relationship-based coaching
- Build strong partnerships rooted in UDL principles

Professional Learning & Facilitation

- Design and deliver engaging, research-based professional development
- Apply adult learning principles to coaching and training sessions
- Present effectively to varied audiences: educators, administrators, parents, and students

Coaching & Implementation

- Support implementation of new practices, tools, and programs in diverse educational environments
- Coach others through change processes while maintaining high standards

Communication & Collaboration

- Share and disseminate new ideas, strategies, and resources statewide
- Work cooperatively and flexibly in professional teams and networks
- Exhibit strong interpersonal communication and public speaking skills

Time Management & Independence

- Balance independent tasks with team-based collaboration
- Prioritize effectively in a dynamic and fast-paced work environment

Problem-Solving & Leadership

- Exercise sound judgment and critical thinking
- Lead by example and mentor colleagues in inclusive instructional practices

By my signature below, I affirm that: I have read the job description, understand the duties of the job, and can perform the duties and requirements listed in this job description with or without reasonable accommodation. I have been able to ask questions to clarify matters I do not understand, and I understand and accept them.	
Employer Signature and date	Employee Signature and date