



JOB DESCRIPTION

TULARE JOINT UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
426 North Blackstone, Tulare, CA 93274



Painter Revised 7/11

DEFINITION

Under the supervision of the Director of Facilities and the Maintenance and Operations Supervisors of each campus, maintains a painting, staining and refinishing program for the District; other related duties as required.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES/ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Paint interior and exterior of buildings; equipment and surfaces including athletic courts and fields; and stripe parking lots. E
- Stain or paint cabinets, doors and other furniture and fixtures such as lockers, fences, and other equipment. E
- Recommend the selection of colors and purchases paint for district needs. E
- Performs wallpapering. E
- Supervises assistants when provided. E
- Prepares cost estimates. E
- May drive District vehicle. E
- Prepare various interior and exterior surfaces such as wood, concrete, metal, glass, plaster, brick and cement for painting. E
- Operate and maintain appropriate equipment and tools for painting, removing paint or graffiti, patching holes, sanding or roughing slick surfaces. E
- Use and maintain brushes, rollers or spray guns to apply a variety of surface coverings such as paint, varnish, shellac, enamel, lacquer or other protective or decorative finishes. E
- Mix paints to match, blend, coordinate or contrast colors. E
- Erect, move and work from ladders, scaffolding and platforms. E
- Apply primer, undercoats and finish coats as needed.
- Plan, organize and layout assigned tasks; prepare and maintain records and reports related to materials used and graffiti incidents; order and obtain supplies and materials as needed. E
- Serve in a lead capacity on painting projects and as a member of a crew on other maintenance projects as needed and as assigned. E
- Perform other duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Education

High School Diploma or equivalent

Experience

Three years professional painter experience desired

Licenses and Other Requirements

DOJ and FBI fingerprint clearance

Negative TB test within the last four years

Valid California Driver's License

KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of

- Painting equipment and painting practices currently in use in the profession.

- The most efficient and cost effective painting and refinishing practices.
- Paint color mixing; quality and cost of paints and other finish materials.
- Surface preparation techniques.
- Wood staining techniques.
- Wallpapering techniques.
- Methods of preparing a variety of surfaces for painting, repainting and finish work.
- Appropriate safety precautions and procedures.
- Operation and care of paint brushes, rollers, compressors and related equipment.
- Proper methods of storing equipment, materials and supplies.
- Basic record-keeping techniques.
- Technical aspects of the painting trade.
- Graffiti removal techniques.
- Oral and written communication skills.
- Interpersonal skills using tact, patience, and courtesy.

Ability to

1. Use painting tools and equipment commonly in use in the professional painting business.
2. Select and match colors to coordinate with district-wide color schemes.
3. Supervise an assistant (s) when provided.
4. Establish and maintain cooperative and effective working relationships with others.
5. Drive automotive equipment safely and in accordance with traffic laws and regulations.
6. Perform journey-level painting and finishing work.
7. Prepare a variety of surfaces for painting or other surface coverings.
8. Accurately estimate labor, time and material costs.
9. Maintain routine records.
10. Erect and work from scaffolding, riggings and ladders.
11. Observe and apply painting trade safety standards and procedures.
12. Mix paint and match colors.
13. Use a variety of tools and operate equipment utilized in the painting trade.
14. Maintain tools and equipment in a clean and proper working condition.
15. Understand and follow oral and written directions.
16. Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.
17. Observe legal and defensive driving practices.
18. Perform duties effectively, timely, and without supervision.
19. Establish and maintain cooperative and effective working relationships with others.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORKING CONDITIONS

Environment

- Indoor/outdoor environment subject to changing conditions and temperatures exceeding 90 degrees at times.
- Regular exposures to fumes, dust, odors, heights, and loud noises.
- Driving a vehicle to conduct work.
- Working on ladders at varying heights.
- Regular exposure to vapors from paints and solvents.
- Exposure to loud noises from equipment operation.

Physical Demands

- Climbing ladders and working from heights as necessary.
- Occasional bending, kneeling, and twisting.
- Clarity of vision at varying distances to perform various work assignments.

- Lifting, carrying, pushing, and pulling object(s) weighing up to 75 pounds.
- Standing for extended periods of time.
- Reaching overhead, above the shoulders, and horizontally.
- Continuous hand-eye coordination and manipulation of large and small objects to operate painting equipment and tools.
- Verbal, auditory, and written capabilities to effectively communicate in an articulate manner.
- Dexterity of hands and fingers to operate a variety of specialized tools and equipment and to drive.

Hazards

- Working with chemicals, tools, and powered machinery.