Occupational Therapist-Aurora, IL

Core Academy is an affiliate of The Menta Group and has a reputation for giving professionals the tools to be successful in any educational environment. With over 35 years of experience in the educational system our staff members receive the highest degree of training and ongoing support. Our programming focuses on collaboration between all members of the team in order to meet the needs of our students. At Core Academy, we are constantly looking to build upon the strengths of our staff and provide opportunities for growth and development within the organization. Through the fostering of a collaborative environment and innovative ideas for meeting student needs, all of our staff plays a critical role in the proven success rate of our students.

Our schools provide optimal and rigorous education to students between the ages of kindergarten through 12th grade who are challenged by social-emotional, learning, and behavioral difficulties. Our educational model encourages the development of academic and social-emotional skills in a positive and well-structured learning environment, with a focus on preparation for postsecondary education, employment, and citizenship. The curriculum is individualized to meet each student’s special needs with an emphasis on four major community living domains: self-management, home living, vocational, recreation, leisure, and general community functioning. The curriculum is taught both in school and out in the community. It includes functional academics and embedded training in social-emotional skills, communication, and motor skills.

We are currently seeking an individual that can fill our Occupational Therapist position. Responsibilities include providing direct, integrated, consultative occupational therapy services to students aged 5-21 with developmental disabilities and or behavior and emotional disorders. We are flexible regarding work arrangements; contact us to discuss details. The selected candidate would be able to collaborate with other members of the educational team in creating and implementing classroom interventions in order to meet the individual needs of the students as determined by the students’ individualized education plan (IEP). We are a fast pace environment that values collaboration, innovation, and teamwork where the best interest of our students always comes first. The starting salary for this position is $70,000 for the 10 month academic calendar with the possibility of additional summer hours.

Qualifications:
Current State Occupational Therapy license
Registration with National Board of Certification in Occupational Therapy

The fulltime position offers an access to medical, dental, vision plans, 403(b), sick pay, holiday pay, and personal/vacation days. The salary range is comparable for the position and area, depending upon certification and qualifications. Part time positions will be discussed at the interviews. All of our programs post their open teaching positions on our website and feature an easy-to-complete application process.

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