



IRON COUNTY SCHOOLS

CREATING A BETTER TOMORROW FOR ALL

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INFORMATION FOR SUU VOLUNTEER TUTORS

Hispanic Center for Academic Excellence of Southern Utah University

The Iron County School District thanks you for your willingness to volunteer and serve the English learning youth of our community. ICSD is committed to giving all students opportunities for success and we hope that you will play a meaningful role in the attainment of the academic goals of our wonderful students. You will make a difference. We thank you for your concern.

Opportunities

- In-class (push-in) tutoring to assist learning during class
- Out-of-class (pull-out) tutoring to work one-on-one or in small groups
- After school tutoring in English Language Acquisition and other course work
- Assistance with monitoring of student progress and behavior management
- Translating documents, newsletters and parent notifications

Available Time

Most schools need someone for two to three hours at a time. For the most part, help is needed before and after lunch and after school. Dr. Elise Leahy will have a roster to sign up for the time that best suits your schedule. It is important that once you commit to a time, you stick to it throughout the semester.

Confidentiality and Ethics

- All student information must be considered confidential. Consult with the teacher on what things should and should not be shared with others.
- Treat students with respect and kindness. The students that need your help also need encouragement and praise. In cases involving discipline, consult with the teacher on appropriate action.

The Dos and Don'ts of Tutoring

DO...

Get to know students' names.
Know your teachers policy for behavior management and your role in it.
Get to know the teaching strategies used in your classroom.
Keep yourself neat, clean and dressed appropriately for your assignment.
Use clean and uplifting language.
Show up on time, ready to assist where needed.

DON'T...

Show frustration with students.
Manipulate or insult students.
Argue with the teacher.
Assume you that you know more than the teacher.
Flirt with or try to contact students outside of school.
Talk too much about yourself.
Lose sight of the great good you are doing for these kids.

Again, ICSD is grateful for your willingness to tutor and give the children of our community a brighter future. We hope that you have a valuable and memorable experience.

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