CONNECT Job Description

The potential coach will strive to create a positive climate and professional relationship with teachers, while documenting assigned visits on approved forms and through electronic mail to MOU Administrator, Regional Directors, and First-Class Pre-K Coaches.

The coach will create plans and goals for the classroom staff to assist in building confidence to support children with challenging behaviors and create classrooms that are proactive in preventing challenging behaviors. The coach will reflect with the teachers and suggest trauma-informed strategies for implementation based on the teachers' perspective. Strategies used in the classroom must be positive-based and approved by DECE.

The coach will attend weekly calls with CONNECT Team to discuss referrals and recurring concerns with challenging behaviors.

The coach will be responsible for documenting and maintaining all records of travel, consultation reports, communications with coach/teachers/regional directors and team member collaboration.

The ideal coach will be willing to complete trainings and sessions at conferences on topics that focus on trauma-informed practices.

The applicant must have experience in Early Childhood Development and possess a master's degree in an Early Childhood Field. The applicant must be on the state register under the classification of Education Specialist—30122. This position serves classrooms across the entire state of Alabama and will require extensive travel.

Please send resume to:

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