

TMCSEA

TAZEWELL-MASON COUNTIES SPECIAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

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Tazewell-Mason Counties Special Education Association (TMCSEA) is a decentralized special education cooperative serving 21 school districts across two counties located in central Illinois in the city of Pekin. TMCSEA strives to promote programming and services that enable students with disabilities to maximize their individual potential and become contributing members of society. The Association, through shared programming, provides high quality, specialized educational services, programs and facilities in partnership with our member districts.

TMCSEA provides instructional and itinerant programs for member district students who attend their resident schools. Another purpose of the Association is to provide educational programming and services for member district students whose educational needs cannot be served within their local district. A comprehensive needs assessment is completed annually by member districts to identify program and service needs. A professional development plan is designed based on district input as well. TMCSEA provides diagnostic, consultative and training services for member district students, parents and staff. The Association has approximately 95 employees.

TMCSEA also operates the Schramm Educational Center which is a multi-faceted facility committed to providing high quality services to students ages 3-21 with significant disabilities. Students receive individualized instruction through a modified curriculum with a focus on communication, social skills, daily living skills, and job skills. The school has an early childhood program, elementary classes, middle school classes, and high school classes. Students participate in community-based instruction, community work experiences and adaptive physical education. Assistive technology, visual supports and positive behavioral intervention supports are integrated throughout the educational environment. Students age 14 ½ and older are part of the transition process focusing on work related skills and independent living to prepare for adult life. Interns may benefit from a unique opportunity at Schramm Educational Center in conducting standardized assessments, functional behavior assessment, and behavior consultation with the low incidence population.

TMCSEA member districts range from small, rural districts to larger suburban districts with a range of socio-economic levels. Interns will work in a variety of settings and with students of all ages and abilities. Within the district settings, interns will be given the opportunity to participate in problem solving meetings for both academics and behavioral concerns. They may be involved in early childhood screenings, play-based assessments, group counseling, individual counseling, conducting functional behavioral assessments, initial evaluations and/or reevaluations, manifestation determinations, and teacher consultation. Interns will obtain a wide variety of hands-on experience with diverse student populations, assessment instruments, curriculum/intervention resources and technology under the supervision of TMCSEA School Psychologists. Interns will have opportunities to refine areas of interest, establish relationships, build professional connections, network, and participate in professional development/training. Multiple pathways to permanent employment positions within our cooperative/districts are available upon successful completion of the internship.

TMCSEA is seeking a full-time School Psychologist Intern for the 2020-2021 school year. Interns will follow a school district calendar working a total of 185 days during the hours of 8:00am-3:30pm with competitive compensation of \$26,000. Interns shall have their own transportation and may request mileage reimbursement if traveling between schools is required.

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Member School Districts; 50-District No. 50 Schools; 51-Central Grade School; 52-Washington Elementary Schools; 76-Creve Coeur Schools; 85-Robein School; 86-East Peoria Elementary Schools; 98-Rankin School; 102-North Pekin-Marquette Hts. Schools; 108-Pekin Public Schools; 137-South Pekin Grade School; 303-Pekin Community High School; 308-Washington Community High School; 309-East Peoria Community High School; 606-Spring Lake Community Consolidated; 701-Deer Creek-Mackinaw Community Unit; 702-Tremont Community Unit; 703-Delavan Community Unit; 709-Morton Community Unit; 126-Havana Community Unit; 189-Illini Central Community Unit; 191-Midwest Central Community Unit