

SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

POSITION DESCRIPTION

TITLE:	Painter	REPORTS TO:	Assigned Supervisor
DEPARTMENT:	Maintenance and Operations	CLASSIFICATION:	Classified
FLSA:	Non-Exempt	SALARY GRADE:	048 OSS
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BASIC FUNCTION:

Perform skilled painting work on school buildings, furniture, equipment, and other facilities.

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES: (Incumbents may perform any combination of the essential functions shown below. This position description is not intended to be an exhaustive list of all duties, knowledge, or abilities associated with this classification, but is intended to accurately reflect the principal job elements.)

E = Essential Functions

Scrape, sand, patch and fill, power wash, use solvents, and otherwise prepare surfaces which may contain lead for priming and painting. **E**

Apply a variety of paints, varnishes, lacquers, and floor and marine finishes by brush or roller, mix and match paints. **E**

Utilize specialized spray equipment for the application of paint on interior and exterior surfaces and within a spray booth; spray stripes for games and parking lots. **E**

Clean and remove graffiti from a variety of surfaces. **E**

Finish furniture; set up and work from ladders and scaffolds; paint the interior and exterior of buildings, equipment, and structures. **E**

Operate a variety of man lifts. **E**

Operate and maintain power sprayers and other related equipment. **E**

Requisition materials for jobs and estimate materials and labor costs. **E**

Fabricate signage utilizing vinyl lettering, computerized routing, and other materials. **E**

May direct the work of helpers or apprentices.

Perform related duties as assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE:

A combination of training, experience, and/or education equivalent to completion of a recognized painting apprentice training program; diversified painting experience may be substituted for the training requirements on a year-for-year basis.

LICENSES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

Possession of a valid California driver's license and availability of private transportation (mileage expense allowance provided).

Possession of hand tools common to the trade.

Personality and character suitable for working in schools.

NOTE: All applicants must acquire and maintain a Lead Related Construction certificate within their first year of employment in this classification and maintain the certificate during their employment as a painter per California State law.

Applicants must successfully pass and complete a medical respiratory physical examination including a blood level test (BLL) annually. Employees are required to wear a respirator and protective clothing during spray paint activities and while conducting activities which may expose them to any hazard.

Positions in this job class receive a hazard pay additive of approximately 5% for hazardous materials and lead-related work. This additive is included in the basic salary grade placement.

KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES:

KNOWLEDGE OF:

Materials, equipment, tools, and methods common to the trade.

Application of joint compounds, tape joint and seams of walls, partitions, and ceilings.

Plastering methods, mixing methods.

Safety methods and practices.

Reading and writing English communication skills.

ABILITY TO:

Read color charts and understand finish schedules.

Plan and organize work.

Rig and work from ladders, man lifts, and scaffolds.

Estimate material and labor costs.

Drive vehicles from site to site.

Meet schedules and time lines.

Maintain records.

WORKING CONDITIONS:

ENVIRONMENT:

Various indoor and outdoor work locations; exposure to hazardous materials.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

Strength and energy sufficient to maintain a rigorous work schedule involving driving and/or continuous, heavy physical exertion; hearing and speaking to exchange information; seeing to perform assigned duties

with normal color vision; standing for extended periods of time; dexterity of hands and fingers to operate equipment; kneeling, bending at the waist, and reaching overhead, above the shoulders and horizontally to perform assigned duties; lifting heavy objects.

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