February 17, 2021

Dear University,

The Fremont Union High School District is seeking qualified educators in the field of Special Education. I am hoping that you might consider sharing this information with the credential candidates in your program. We currently are accepting applications for the 2021-22 school year for Mild/Moderate, and Moderate/Severe positions.

Our District: The Fremont Union High School District is one of the most respected districts in the State of California. The highest standards of teaching and learning, along with accountability for student achievement, are the cornerstones of the District’s outstanding high schools—Cupertino, Fremont, Homestead, Lynbrook, and Monta Vista. All five schools continuously hold top rankings throughout the region, state, and nation, garnering many awards and recognition based on both the achievement of students and the programs designed to support student achievement. The reputation of the schools is often an attraction for families to move into the District.

The Fremont Union High School District serves over 10,000 students in a 42 square mile area covering all of the City of Cupertino, most of the City of Sunnyvale and portions of the Cities of San Jose, Los Altos, Saratoga, and Santa Clara. With the support of its educators, parents, and community members, the District strives to make its high schools the very best learning place for all students in grades 9 through 12, and post-secondary who reside within its attendance boundaries.

Our Special Education program: The Fremont Union High School District is proud to offer one of the most comprehensive special education programs in the state of California. Program highlights include:

- A broad range of special education support at each school site for academic, social-cognitive, language development and therapeutic services. Continuum of services offered include Co-Taught classes, Specialized Academic Instruction, Case Management, Group and Individual Counseling.
- WorkAbility and Transition Partnership Program services that develop employability skills for success after graduation. Work based learning sites include a Smoothie Shop, Cards, Wings Gardens, and the K9 Krunchies dog biscuit business.
- The Academic Community Transition program serves secondary and post-secondary students with moderate to severe disabilities. Each program incorporates community based instruction to foster the generalization of skills taught in the classroom.
- Coordinated services for students with visual impairments, occupational therapy, and a therapeutic special day class are supported through the SELPA.
Professional development and collaboration opportunities are available for teachers at their school site, but also in partnership across the district’s five schools. Teacher mentors provide additional support for curriculum development, classroom management, and individualized assistance in accordance with each teacher’s needs. With a district-wide emphasis upon collaboration, FUHSD teachers work together on an on-going, consistent basis with the goal to improve student achievement.

**We will begin our interview process on Saturday, March 6, 2021.** We have openings currently listed on EdJoin for Mild/Moderate Teachers, and Moderate/Severe Teachers. A flyer is enclosed for you to share or post.

Interested applicants should visit: [www.fuhsd.org/employment](http://www.fuhsd.org/employment)

Please contact us with any questions. I would be happy to speak with you to share more about the opportunities we offer. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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