JOB DESCRIPTION

JOB TITLE: Career Guidance Counsellor

REPORTS TO: Head of School

DIRECT REPORTS: Industry & Workplace Coordinators, Librarian

DATE PREPARED: June, 2020

JOB PURPOSE

To provide leadership in the overall management of advisory services, career services, internship placement coordination.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develop, direct, and manage counseling and academic advisory services.
- Supervise all personnel assigned, recommending selection, retention, promotion and discharge as appropriate.
- Advise learners about what courses and educational programs they need for particular careers.
- Aid learners in the job search process by teaching them where to look for open positions and connecting them with job search resources.
- Counsel learners who are considering a career change.
- Evaluate learners' educational and work backgrounds in order to help them determine what they need to do next to achieve their goals.
- Teach job-search skills such as interviewing, resume writing, and networking and help clients practice them.
- Use aptitude tests to help learners get a better idea of their strengths and areas of challenges.
- Plan and develop career guidance programs which provide direct services to learners, staff and parents.
- Implement career development and guidance activities/programs.
- Develop and maintain a career resource center for students aiming at Enhancing Career Development through Partnership between Schools and Employers.
- Perform any other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATION AND EXPERIENCE

Bachelor's Degree in Guidance and Counseling with at least eight (8) years' experience in a similar role.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities
Knowledge

• Good understanding of TVET and Competency-based education

Skills

- Management & monitoring knowledge and skills
- Counseling & guidance Skills
- Communication & Listening Skills

Abilities

• Flexible