



Human Resources
29 Cougar Court
Taft, CA 93268
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www.taftcollege.edu

Classified Employment Opportunity

Application Deadline: Monday, June 12, 2017 @ 4:00 p.m.

Library and Learning Resources Technician

Classified Salary Range 13 ~ \$2,810.00 – \$3,586.00 per month in six steps. The District provided health and welfare benefits, valued at \$19,530.96 for 2016-17 includes medical, dental and vision for the employee and dependents, and life insurance for the employee.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Taft College is a single-campus district in Kern County. Taft is located in the foothills at the southwestern edge of the San Joaquin Valley just 35 minutes west of Bakersfield, two hours north of Los Angeles and two hours from California’s central coast. The Taft area is home to 18,000 residents and numerous companies who enjoy friendly neighbors, temperate climates and bustling economy. Cultural and recreational opportunities include the West Kern Oil Museum, Carrizo Plain National Monument, Tule Elk State Reserve and the Buena Vista Aquatic area. Residents enjoy a reasonable cost of living along with affordable housing and good schools.

The college is a designated Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI) with unique programs in Energy Technology, Engineering, Dental Hygiene and STEM-related disciplines. Taft College’s Full Time Equivalent Students are over 2,600 with an average class size of 20. The District has a diverse student body that is 55.9% Hispanic, 31.6% White, 6.2% Black, 2.2% Mixed Race, 1.7% Asian, 1.1% Filipino, 0.7% Native American, 0.4% Unknown and 0.3% Pacific Islander.

The college has 62 full-time faculty, 80 adjunct faculty, 146 classified staff, 24 classified administrators and 7 certificated administrators.

DEFINITION

Under general supervision performs a variety of clerical and technical duties; assist with the overall operation of the Library; assist students, faculty, staff and the public; performs related duties as assigned.

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES

Please refer to the Taft College website to view the complete job description.

The following duties are typical of those performed by employees in the classification, however, employees may perform other related duties not listed and not all duties listed are necessarily performed by each employee.

Ensure order and proper use of the Library, equipment and materials following established processes, guidelines and policies. Assist with the maintenance of the Library collection.

Equal Employment Opportunity

The West Kern Community College District is committed to the principles of equal employment opportunity and will implement a comprehensive program to put those principles into practice. It is the District’s policy to ensure that all qualified applicants for employment and employees have full and equal access to employment opportunities and are not subjected to discrimination in any program or activity of the District on the basis of national origin, religion, age, gender, gender identity, gender expression, race or ethnicity, color, medical condition, genetic information, ancestry, sexual orientation, marital status, physical or mental disability, pregnancy, or because he/she is perceived to have one or more of the foregoing characteristics, or based on association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics. The District will strive to achieve a workforce that is welcoming to men, women, persons with disabilities, and individuals from all ethnic and other groups to ensure the District provides an inclusive educational and employment environment. Such an environment fosters cooperation, acceptance, democracy, and free expression of ideas.

Application materials are available in the HR Department, on our website under Jobs and EdJoin.

Websites:
www.taftcollege.edu
www.edjoin.org

**Human Resources Department
Summer Hours:**
Monday - Thursday
7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday
Closed

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES, continued

Assist students, faculty and the general public in researching and retrieving information from electronic and print media.

Perform general office duties including computer entry and retrieval, filing, answering phones and reception.

Process and repair instructional, reference and circulating materials.

Maintain records and files for assigned service desk.

Maintain records and prepares reports, as needed.

Distribute and collect Library materials.

Organize, receive, distribute and shelve instructional, reference and circulating resources both print and non-print.

Maintain shelving order and files.

Participate and assist with inventory.

Assist instructors and receive direction on specific library related projects, materials and student assignments.

Ensure Library equipment and materials are maintained and in proper working condition. Order supplies. Assist patrons with the operation of copiers and printers.

May assist and advise student workers.

Perform other related duties as requested or assigned.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Education and Experience

Associate degree or equivalent. Or any combination equivalent to one (1) year of college coursework and one (1) year of office experience which includes experience with computer software programs in the workplace.

Desired Qualifications

Working with the public in a customer service environment.

Library experience or coursework in library technology.

Bilingual: English/Spanish

Physical Requirements

1. Vision sufficient to read documents and computer terminal displays.
2. Speech and hearing to communicate in person or by telephone.
3. Manual dexterity sufficient to use a variety of office equipment, computer keyboards and to handle paper.
4. Sit for long periods of time.
5. Ability to lift and carry 25 pounds such as paper and reports.
6. Ability to bend and reach to retrieve and file supplies, equipment and documents.

Reasonable accommodations will be made for candidates and employees with physical disabilities.

PAY RANGE

Range 13 on the Classified Employees Salary Schedule/Non-Exempt.

SUPERVISION

Direct supervision is received from the Research and Instruction Librarian and Vice President of Instruction. Work direction may be given to student workers. No supervision is exercised. May take or give work direction on projects as assigned.

HOURS & TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT

Assignment is typically 40 hours per week and 12 months per year. Assignments are typically 40 hours per week and 12 months per year. May require evening, over-time, holiday or weekend hours throughout the year. Work is generally performed indoors.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

Employment with Taft College is not complete or official until applicants meet all pre-employment requirements. Candidates with foreign degrees must provide official certification of equivalency to U.S. degrees by a recognized U.S. credential evaluation service. Offers of employment are contingent upon Board of Trustees approval. All new employees are required to submit official transcripts, proof of freedom from tuberculosis, and proof of eligibility to work in the United States. Employees must sign an Oath of Office and submit fingerprints for CA Department of Justice clearance. Taft College reserves the right to modify or rescind this job announcement at any time.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

To be considered for review, applicants must submit the following application materials:

1. A District classified application
2. A cover letter outlining your education and experience relevant to this position.
3. A current resume.
4. Transcripts (unofficial is acceptable).

Application forms may be obtained from www.taftcollege.edu.

Paper applications need to be hand delivered or mailed to: Taft College Human Resources Department
29 Cougar Court
Taft, CA 93268
Telephone: 661-763-7805
Email: tcjobs@taftcollege.edu

Classified online application submission: www.edjoin.org

Current employees must provide documentation and materials in the same manner and degree of detail as any other applicant.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

Application materials must be in the Human Resources Department no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 12, 2017. It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that all application materials are received. Application materials must be mailed, hand delivered, or e-mailed. Emails must be followed by original documents. All application packets that are complete at that time will be forwarded to the screening committee. Incomplete applications may not be reviewed.

INTERVIEW

A candidate selected for an interview will be required to visit Taft College at his/her own expense upon a date selected by the District. Meeting the minimum qualifications does not guarantee an interview.

MISSION STATEMENT

Taft College is committed to creating a community of learners by enriching the lives of all students we serve through career technical education, transfer programs, foundational programs, and student support services. Taft College provides an equitable environment defined by applied knowledge leading to students' achievement of their educational goals.

Applicants who are protected under the Americans with Disabilities Act and who, are due to a Disability, require accommodations for completing the application process, testing, (if required for the position), or the interview, should notify the Human Resources Department 10 working days before the accommodation is required.