

Santa Maria-Bonita School District

PAINTER

BASIC FUNCTION

Under the direction of an assigned supervisor, perform skilled work in painting, redecorating and surface preparation; perform semiskilled and skilled functions in other maintenance trade areas.

REPRESENTATIVE DUTIES

Use brush, roller or spray equipment in applying paint, varnish, shellac, enamel, lacquer and other protective and decorative finishes to a variety of surfaces, including wood, metal, glass, plaster, stucco, wallboard, brick and cement**E**; scrape, sand and fill in preparing surfaces for painting or repainting**E**; apply undercoat and finish coats to a variety of surfaces**E**; size and tint plaster walls and other surfaces**E**; erect, rig, move and work from scaffolding and platforms**E**; clean brushes and tools, and maintain a variety of painting equipment**E**; mix paint, match, blend, harmonize and contrast color**E**; plan, organize and lay out painting related tasks**E**; estimate labor and material costs; requisition and maintain an adequate inventory of supplies, materials and equipment**E**; drive a service vehicle to and from work sites**E**; prepare walls and hang vinyl wall coverings as required; refinish furniture, lockers and automotive and general equipment; paint simple signs; lay out and paint athletic courts and parking lots as required; operate sandblasting equipment as required; coordinate and direct the work of others as required; assist in reporting and preventing facility vandalism; perform related duties as assigned.

KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITIES

Knowledge of:

Methods, materials, tools and equipment used in painting, tinting, and finishing work;
Methods of preparing different surfaces for painting and repainting;
Safe working methods and procedures.

Ability to:

Skillfully mix paint, match colors, prepare walls and hang wall coverings;
Safely erect and work from riggings and scaffolding;
Safely and skillfully use a variety of hand tools;
Plan, lay out and coordinate the work of others;
Accurately estimate labor and material costs;
Maintain simple records and prepare complete and concise reports;
Understand and carry out oral and written directions;
Establish and maintain cooperative working relationships with others.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

Any combination equivalent to: Graduation from High School supplemented by training or coursework in modern painting methods and techniques; and two years of experience as a journey level painter.

LICENSES AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Valid California Driver's License;
Insurability by the District's liability insurance carrier.

WORKING CONDITIONS

Environment:

Indoor and outdoor environment;
Driving a vehicle to conduct work.

Physical Abilities:

Reaching overhead, above the shoulders and horizontally;
Climbing ladders and working from heights;
Seeing to paint and perform assigned duties;
Hearing and speaking to exchange information;
Standing for extended periods of time;
Heavy physical labor;
Kneeling or crouching.

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Hazards:

Fumes from paints and solvents;

Working on ladders or scaffolding;

Working at heights;

Working around and with machinery having moving parts.

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