# **Position Title**SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

### **Required Application Type**

**NYS Certification** 

#### Job Description

#### Four full-time (1.0 FTE) elementary positions; 7.5 hours per day; extended academic calendar

- Expectations for high quality, research-based instruction in general education classrooms.
- Develop and implement universal, classroom-based screening to identify students' needs for additional support.
- Develops collaborative, team-based approach to implement and evaluate alternative interventions.
- Assists in developing a positive environment within classrooms and programs to promote positive and cooperative working relationships.
- Evaluates and re-evaluates short term behavioral and academic objectives on a regular basis throughout the school year for students with on-going behavior plans.
- Develops and maintain communication with the students' teachers, school psychologist, parents, school counselors, social workers, and appropriate outside agencies.
- Attends student support meetings as needed.
- Evaluates special education referrals for social emotional support service.
- Develops solution-focused outcomes for social, emotional, behavioral, and academic issues as they arise.
- Refers as necessary to Mental Health Services outside of the school environment.
- Maintains files on students; documentation should include time spent and general content of session and progress.
- Assists with de-escalation and behavior support as needed.
- Carries out all other duties as assigned by Director of Student Services.

#### **Job Qualifications**

#### Must possess a valid NYS Certification in School Social Worker

## Must also possess Clinical or Master Social Worker License; Clinical Social Worker level is preferred

- Experience with students with special needs preferred
- Must be able to work collaboratively with the classroom teams

**Salary:** \$50,000 -- \$65,000, commensurate with experience. Plus comprehensive benefits package. Work year: 10 month academic calendar plus additional time in summer when Horseheads CSD students are in session, for example Extended School Year and Regional Summer School.