

School Crossing Guard (Part Time)

An employee in this position assists children in safely crossing streets on the way to and from school in the mornings and afternoons. This position will perform duties at assigned locations including Belmont Elementary School, Chaloner Middle School and Manning Elementary School. Crossing Guards report to Captain Gorton Williams at the Roanoke Rapids Police Department. This seasonal part-time position's schedule is subject to Roanoke Rapids Graded School District's traditional school calendar. To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required.

Skills/Abilities/Knowledge/Work Style:

- Manage and control vehicular and pedestrian traffic at designated crossings
- Assess and decide when gaps in traffic allow for safe crossing
- Guide and direct children across streets, stopping traffic as necessary
- Communicate traffic and crossing rules and other information to students and adults
- Report any incidents or unsafe conditions to school officials and local law enforcement
- Use traffic control devices such as signs, flags, or hand signals to guide traffic
- Ensure students follow safety guidelines while waiting or crossing the street
- Help children on their way to and from school cross the street safely
- Monitor traffic flow to locate safe gaps through which pedestrians can cross
- Report unsafe behavior by drivers or pedestrians
- Ensure all crossing equipment is in proper working order
- Must maintain a well-groomed appearance.
- Must have excellent communication skills.
- Must have excellent memory and ability to function well under stress.
- Must demonstrate flexibility, common sense, and good judgment.

Requirements:

- Experience as a crossing guard or similar role is preferred
- Knowledge of traffic laws and safety regulations
- Good vision and hearing
- Ability to stand for extended periods
- Excellent communication skills
- Responsible and reliable
- High school diploma or equivalent

Physical Demands:

- Regularly required to stand, use hands to finger, handle, or feel objects, tools, or controls, reach with hands and arms, and talk or hear.
- Must frequently climb or balance, stoop, kneel, crouch.
- Must occasionally lift and/or move up to 30 pounds.
- Must have close vision, distance vision, color vision, peripheral vision, depth perception, and ability to adjust focus

Environmental Conditions:

- The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

Position Open Until Filled