

## **Killeen Independent School District Job Description**

**Job Title:** Food Service Equipment Repair Technician  
**Department:** Plant Services  
**Reports To:** Lead Plumber  
**FLSA Status:** Non-exempt

### **SUMMARY**

Performs routine maintenance and troubleshooting of all food service equipment.

**ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES** include the following:

Measures, cuts, and threads pipe and connects it to feeder line and equipment or appliance.

Tests and examines pipelines and equipment to locate leaks and faulty pipe connections and to determine pressure and flow of gas.

Dismantles meters and regulators, and replaces defective pipes, thermocouples, thermostats, valves, and indicator spindles.

Studies building plans and working drawings to determine work aids required and sequence of installations.

Inspects structure to ascertain obstructions to be avoided to prevent weakening of structure resulting from installation of pipe.

Locates and marks position of pipe and pipe connections and passage holes for pipes in walls and floors.

Cuts openings in walls and floors to accommodate pipe and pipe fittings.

Bends pipe to required angle by use of pipe-bending machine or by placing pipe over block and bending it by hand.

Assembles and installs valves, pipe fittings, and pipes composed of metals, such as iron, steel, brass, copper, and lead; and nonmetals, such as glass, vitrified clay, and plastic.

Joins pipes by use of screws, bolts, fittings, solder, plastic solvent, and caulks joints.

Fills pipe system with water or air and reads pressure gauges to determine whether system is leaking.

Installs and repairs food service equipment fixtures such as garbage disposal units, fryers, ovens, ranges (gas and electric), meat slicers, mixers, and dishwashers.

Welds holding fixtures to steel structural members.

Assembles and installs new or reconditioned appliances.

Performs other duties as may be assigned by the Lead Plumber or Plant Services Supervisor.

**SUPERVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES**

Directly supervises 1 to 4 employees in Plant Services. Carries out supervisory responsibilities in accordance with the organization's policies and applicable procedures. Responsibilities include training employees; planning, assigning, and directing work.

**QUALIFICATIONS** 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. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

**EDUCATION and/or EXPERIENCE**

High school diploma or general education degree (GED) and a minimum of one year experience in the food service equipment repair, five years experience preferred.

**LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Ability to read and interpret documents such as safety rules, operating and maintenance instructions, and procedure manuals. Ability to write routine reports and correspondence.

**MATHEMATICAL SKILLS**

Ability to add, subtract, multiply, and divide in all units of measure, using whole numbers, common fractions, and decimals.

**REASONING ABILITY**

Ability to read and understand diagrams, schematics, and blueprints.

**CERTIFICATES, LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS**

Possess current drivers license.

**PHYSICAL DEMANDS** The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to stand and use hands to finger, handle, or feel. The employee is regularly required to walk; sit; reach with hands and arms; climb or balance; stoop, kneel, crouch, or crawl; talk or hear; and taste or smell. The employee must occasionally lift and/or move up to 100 pounds. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, depth perception, and ability to adjust focus.

**WORK ENVIRONMENT** The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently exposed to wet and/or humid conditions. The employee is occasionally exposed to moving mechanical parts, fumes or airborne particles, toxic or caustic chemicals, and outside weather conditions. The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

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The foregoing statements describe the general purpose and responsibilities assigned to this job and are not an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills that may be required.