

CHOCTAW COUNTY SCHOOLS



Choctaw County Board of Education
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Position Announcement Posting Date: May 21, 2026

POSITION: Alabama Reading Initiative (ARI) Local Reading Specialist

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Applicants must hold a current valid Alabama teacher's certificate in the area of responsibility.
- A bachelor's degree and advanced coursework or professional development in the science of reading such as multisensory language instruction, or comparable alternative training approved by the Alabama State Board of Education.
- A minimum of two years of experience as a successful elementary or literacy teacher.
- A knowledge of scientifically based reading research, special expertise in quality reading instruction and intervention, dyslexia specific interventions, and data analysis.
- A strong knowledge base in the science of learning to read and the science of early childhood education.
- Excellent communication skills with outstanding presentation, interpersonal, and time management skills.
- Must meet the suitability criteria for employment and/or certification/licensure under Alabama Child Protection Act of 1999 and Act No. 2002-457.

REPORTS TO: Principal

SALARY: \$47,600.00 -- \$91,912.00

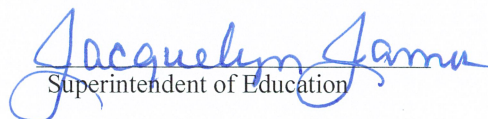
According to degree and years of public school experience

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:

Applications will be accepted until May 28, 2026.

The Choctaw County Board of Education is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, national origin, age, sex, handicap, marital status, or status as a disabled veteran.

Applicants must apply on the district website, under Departments, Human Resources, and Posted Positions, at www.choctawal.org or at <https://careersalk12education.org/choctawco>. Interviews will be conducted after the application period has expired.


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