

Grand Mound Elementary  
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Vehicle Required:      yes      no  
Driver's License Required:      yes      no  
On bus route:      yes      no  
Minutes from downtown **30**  
Olympia:  
Auto Insurance Required:      yes      no

**TITLE:** AmeriCorps Member Youth Service Provider

**SITE DESCRIPTION:** Grand Mound Elementary School serves approximately 500 students in grades 3-5 in the rural community of Rochester, Washington. Grand Mound was identified by the Gates Foundation for funding as a school that integrates technology into all facets of learning with the goal of improving student achievement and expanding student learning to its highest potential. Our student population includes 48% on free/reduced lunch. We offer special education, ELL, Hi-Cap (highly gifted) and remedial support programs in reading and math to our students. Also located on-site is a preschool and Headstart program.

**HOURS OF SERVICE:** 8:00 am – 4:30 pm, Monday-Friday (**Note: Times may be adjusted in August 2008**)

**JOB DESCRIPTION:**

The AmeriCorps member will actively participate in providing reading services for individual and group instruction working with 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade at-risk students and their teachers.

The AmeriCorps member may provide tutoring/mentoring support during the day one on one as identified by counselor/administrative/and teacher referrals of at risk students.

The Americorps member will actively participate in a variety of support services after-school. This may include homework club, assistance in our math/reading Success Maker computer lab, or providing family support.

The AmeriCorps member will support our Science curriculum and Math investigations by replenishing and prepping investigational kits and assisting in class as needed with teachers.

**MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES AND RELATED TASKS:**

- The applicant must be flexible and willing to work under a 180 school calendar schedule, in addition to an extended period of time into July.
- The applicant must be willing to learn and enjoy working with school-aged children.
- Must be able to do planning, tracking, and organizing of small groups on a daily basis.

**REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:**

The applicant must have a high school diploma or equivalent. Some experience in working with school-age children preferred. **Applicants should be able to follow the policy of the school being a drug, alcohol and violence free zone.**