

The Family Connection

of Saint Joseph County, Inc.

The Family Connection of St. Joseph County, Inc. is looking for individuals to do a variety of classroom quality assessments in infant/toddler, preschool and/or elementary classrooms. Assessors work with a local team in conducting assessments with the goal of helping teachers improve quality in their early childhood classrooms. Assessments include the Early Language and Literacy Classroom Observation (ELLCO), HighScope's Program Quality Assessment (PQA) for preschool, program and infant/toddler classes, and the Classroom Assessment Scoring System (CLASS) for infant, toddler, preschool (PreK) and elementary (K-3, Upper EI) classrooms. Assessors would:

- Receive training in the assessments they will be conducting
- Make appointments with programs
- Conduct assessments in classrooms
- Score assessments
- Provide a written report
- Obtain/maintain assessor reliability where applicable

Minimum Qualifications:

- BA in Early Childhood or Elementary Education or BA with early childhood coursework.
- Teaching experience in early childhood and/or elementary.
- Knowledge of HighScope curriculum preferred for preschool assessors.
- Knowledge of Responsive Classroom curriculum preferred for elementary assessors.
- Strong writing skills.
- Ability to work independently.
- Dependability extremely important.
- Have own reliable transportation.

The Assessor position is part-time (paid per completed assessment) and, following the school year calendar, is seasonal work.

Please email a current resume and cover letter to: stephanie@famconn.org