

Education Specialist

TRIO - Veterans Upward Bound

Job Description: The Veterans Upward Bound Education Specialist will work with 125 veterans to motivate and assist participants in the development of academic and other requisite skills necessary for acceptance and success in a program of postsecondary education. The Education Specialist is responsible for assessment and enhancement of basic skills through counseling, mentoring, tutoring and academic instruction in the core subject areas. The primary goal of the program is to increase the rate at which veterans enroll in and complete postsecondary education programs.

Qualifications: Henderson State University is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Affirmative Action Employer with a significant commitment to the achievement of excellence and diversity among its faculty, staff and students. In pursuit of this commitment, candidates will possess a Master's degree (preferably in counseling, social work, education, or related areas) and/or enrolled in a graduate degree program. The Education Specialist must have experience in the U.S. military. The Education Specialist must be open to and have the ability to work with faculty and veteran students, facilitating group workshops in academic advising, financial aid/college applications, and academic counseling.

Salary: Salary mid \$30,000's. The Veterans Upward Bound grant is a federally-funded program and is contingent upon new federal grant funding.

The University: Henderson is located in Arkadelphia, AR, a charming, family-centered community of 11,000 residents situated one hour south of Little Rock. Nestled in the foothills of the Ouachita Mountains, the community is home to two universities, a strong public school system, a thriving medical community, two recreational rivers, the iconic DeGray Lake, and is approximately 30 miles from historic Hot Springs National Park, one of the great American treasures. Please visit www.hsu.edu, www.arkadelphiaalliance.com, or www.arkadelphiaschools.org for more information about Henderson and our community.

Application:

To be considered, each applicant must provide a letter of application, vita, complete resume, three letters of recommendation, and unofficial transcripts.

Submit all items electronically to:

LTC Tommie Campbell (retired)
Search Committee Chair
campbet@hsu.edu

Review of applications will begin **June 1, 2021** and continue until the position is filled. The final applicant for this position will be required to submit to a background screening including a criminal background check pursuant to university policy. The applicant will also be required to provide official transcripts to Human Resources. Under the provisions of the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act, applications are subject to public inspection upon written request.