

Name of district: Sunnyside Unified School District

Website: [susd12.org](http://susd12.org)

Address: 2238 E. Ginter Rd

City: Tucson

State: AZ

Zip code: 85706

Type of intern candidates your district is willing to accept (check all that apply):

- Doctoral
- Ed.S.

Name of district contact for school psychology internship: Deborah Mercier-Burmeister

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Participation format: In-person

In which parts of the internship fair will your district participate (check all that apply):

- 9:00-10:00 AM Meet-n-Greet
- 10:00-12:00 AM Interviews
- 1:00-3:00 PM Interviews

Is the internship funded: Yes

If so, what is the typical salary: \$25,000.00

How many interns do you anticipate hiring this year: 2

What are intern assignments from day 1? side-by-side at supervisor's school full-time

Please briefly describe what experiences an intern in your district would receive: We begin all of our students in a placement at the same site at the primary supervisor. As the year progresses, students may have rotations at other schools in order to gain experience in areas of interest. There will be a psychologist available at each rotation site. Within the second half of the school year and depending on level of development, interns may be given a school for their primary responsibility with a minimum of 2 hours a week of supervision. For example, during the current year interns spent the first

quarter at the site(s) of their supervisor 5 days. For the 2nd and 3rd quarters, interns have 2 days a week at a different site from their supervisor and the rest of their week at their primary site(s). Within the 4th quarter, some interns will be working at their own school full time with supervision a minimum of 3 hours weekly.

Describe professional development and training opportunities at site. (Check all that apply):

- regularly scheduled professional development for intern level trainees (targeting trainee skills)
- regularly scheduled psychologist group meetings/supervision/training (targeting all district school psychologists)

Will the supervisor(s) provide 2 hours of direct supervision for every 40 hours worked: Yes

How many hours do interns typically accumulate throughout the year: 1500

What other information should intern candidates know about your district or internship experience that is not listed here? Internships can be as individual as the interns. We work to create experiences for our interns based on their interests and requests for training experiences as well as their level of independence. We have a diverse population with a high level of need for bi-lingual supports and all forms of educational disabilities represented. Therefore, we can offer a varied and rich internship experience to meet the practice needs of interns

Are there at least two licensed doctoral psychologists on staff in the event that a doctoral candidate wishes to receive supervision consistent with a future pursuit of licensure: Yes

Do you require students to apply to the district ahead of time: No  
If so please provide directions for students on where to apply (physical address/email address/website) and what portfolio materials to submit:  
Applications are not required to be completed in advance. Once the positions are opened online, candidates may apply on the district website, [susd12.org](http://susd12.org). Go to the Careers tab and complete an application for the 2022-2023 School Year positions.