
**COLDSRING-OAKHURST
CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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Coldspring-Oakhurst Consolidated Independent School District will have orientation and training for returning substitute teachers and new applicants on Tuesday, August 3, 2010.

The training will be from 9:00 -11:00 a.m. at the Jones Campus.

Attendance is mandatory for all certified and non-certified persons.

Furthermore, all COCISD substitutes require fingerprinting in accordance with Texas Senate Bill 9. Fingerprinting records will become part of the State database containing national criminal histories on school employees.

Fingerprinting will not be offered at the training. However, information regarding fingerprinting locations and schedules will be available.

Please note: a fingerprinting fee of \$50.20 will be assessed at the time of service. The fee will be reimbursed when a substitute has worked 10 days for COCISD.

And finally, first-time applicants who have not completed an online application and a criminal history background check must do so by August 3, 2010. Applications are on the District's website at www.cocisd.org.

New applicants must bring the following to orientation:

- a copy of their current driver's license,
- a copy of their social security card,
- proof of education,

- current TB test results.

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