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TITLE: PRINCIPAL CLERK TYPIST

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ISSUE DATE: November 01, 2025

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DEPARTMENT: HIUG/STATE COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

UNIT SCOPE: J250 Rowan University

SALARY: \$43,237.00 - \$62,340.00

CLOSING DATE: November 21, 2025

CLASS CODE: 13

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Open to employees in the competitive division who are currently serving in a title to which the announcement is open and have an aggregate of one year of continuous permanent service as of the closing date in the following title(s):

Senior Clerk Typist

Or to employees in the competitive division who have an aggregate of one year of continuous permanent service as of the closing date in any competitive title and meet the requirements listed below:

Experience: Two (2) years of keyboarding experience which shall have included clerical work containing a relatively large proportion of difficult tasks.

Note: Successful completion of a clerical training program with a minimum of 700 classroom training hours or 30 semester hour credits in secretarial science from an accredited college or university may be substituted for one (1) year of general experience indicated above. Course work must include keyboarding skills, methods, and procedures, and other courses may include office procedures, word processing, and business English. You must attach a copy of your transcript. Failure to do so will result in rejection from the examination process.

Note: A five-minute qualifying typing test (scored on a pass/fail basis) may be scheduled or administered during the interview process. If you have a current typing proficiency certificate you should attach a copy to your application. Applicants who have taken a typing test administered by the Civil Service Commission(CSC) or an approved representative of the CSC and have been issued a scoring report indicating a passing score, or a proficiency certificate, are not required to be tested again. Candidates will be graded on a scale based on the number of errors made. The minimum acceptable typing speed is 40 net words per minute. Net words equals total words per minute minus errors. Keyboards will be provided.

License: Appointees will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform the essential duties of the position. The responsibility for ensuring that employees possess the required motor vehicle license, commensurate with the class and type of vehicles they operate, rests with the Appointing Authority.

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- 1. NJAC 4A:4-2.6 states that all requirements listed must be met as of the closing date, including assignment to the department and unit scope, and satisfying the permanent status requirement.
- 2. Only on-line applications will be accepted. **Applications must be completed and submitted by 4:00PM** on the closing date. You must complete your application in detail. Your score may be based on a comparison of your credentials with the job requirements. Failure to complete your application properly may lower your score or cause you to fail. Note: Auto-fill may cause incomplete information on your application. Please confirm your name, address and phone number prior to submitting your application.
- 3. The Civil Service Commission is increasing its use of emails as a communication tool. Please ensure that your email is always up-to-date so that important information about the testing process is not missed. Please remember to check your junk mail, spam, and clutter for these important messages.
- 4. This examination is open to full- and part-time permanent employees. If an employment list results from this announcement, it may be certified to fill full-time and part-time positions. If 35- and 40-hour positions are used within the unit scope, the resulting list may be used to fill either work week position.
- 5. NJAC 4A:4-1.5 states that any employee who is serving on a provisional basis and who fails to file for and take an examination which has been announced for his/her title shall be separated from the provisional title.
- 6. In accordance with Public Law 2010 c.26, Veterans pay a reduced application fee of \$15.00 if they have previously established Veterans Preference with the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs (DMAVA) (as defined by N.J.S.A. 11A:5-1 et seq.). Those claiming Veterans Preference but have not yet received approval from DMAVA must pay the full application fee and may request a refund if the claim is approved at least 8 days prior to the issuance of this eligibility list. Please note this reduced fee does not apply to Public Safety titles.
- 7. SPECIAL NOTE TO ALL APPLICANTS Please make sure you are assigned to the unit scope indicated above. If you do not know your unit scope assignment, please contact your Human Resource Office. If you file an application for this announcement and you are not assigned to the unit scope indicated above, you will be found ineligible for this exam and your application fee will not be refunded.
- 8. If you are having difficulty submitting your application online, technical support and customer care are available during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. EST, Monday Friday, excluding holidays and emergency closings. Please Email: OAS.Support@csc.nj.gov or call (609) 292-4144. Please note that application support requests received outside regular business hours on the closing date will not change the application filing deadline so please file early.
- 9. Application fees submitted via personal check or money order must be postmarked within five (5) business days of submitting your application. If your fee is postmarked after five (5) business days, or is returned as invalid, you will be declared ineligible and denied admittance to the examination process.