

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

POSITION: Educational Assistant

LOCATION: Wiikwemkoong Board of Education

START DATE: September 2023

SALARY: \$24.69

SUMMARY:

The Educational Assistant will work under the direct supervision School Principal, and indirect supervision of the Yaasgaabwitaaget (Superintendent of Academics).

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ➤ To assist in program delivery and work closely with the Special Education and Classroom Teacher in integrating individual student education plans.
- Keep a daily log of student's progress, maintain positive contact with parents.
- Contribute to the diagnostic evaluation process.
- Participate in school activities and ongoing professional growth.
- To work with assigned students to develop social skills, develop timetables, and assist with daily physical functions.
- To work one-on-one in assisting students with physical disabilities.
- Implement speech and language programs, physiotherapy and occupational therapy, behaviour modification and life skills programs as needed.
- Assist with overall Special Education needs as required.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- ➤ Developmental Services Worker (DSW), Early Childhood Education diploma, Native Classroom Assistant Program certificate, Education Support Worker Diploma or willingness to begin one.
- Knowledge of Discipline and Behavior Theories.
- > Experience in a childcare setting is an asset
- In excellent health and may be required to become physically involved (and heavy lifting 30lb+).
- A strong interest and competency in meeting the requirements of special needs children.
- > Experience working with First Nations students an asset.
- Provide a cover letter, resume, and 3 work related references.
- Fluency in the Anishinaabe language, knowledge, and appreciation of Anishinaabe culture and heritage are considered definite assets.
- Provide a negative COVID-19 test prior to beginning work.

DEADLINE: On-Going

DIRECT APPLICATIONS TO: "Educational Assistant"

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Preference will be given to Indigenous applicants. Self-identification is encouraged. *Only those selected for an interview will be contacted. *