



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

POSITION: Student Wellness Navigator (Full-Time)
LOCATION: Wiikwemkoong Junior school
SALARY: \$26.03/hour
START DATE: September 2024

Under the direct supervision of the school Principal, and general direction of the Superintendent of Academics/System Principal, the Student Wellness Navigator

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Provide one-on-one and group support and education to students who are experiencing social/emotional behavioral, encountering addiction problems, experiencing pregnancy/parenthood difficulties in school.
- Provide support for students at risk of dropping out of school.
- Provide life skills, coaching, offer advice, and support services for referred individuals and their families.
- Provide classroom support by supporting teachers in offering mindfulness techniques.
- Provide crisis intervention.
- Maintain appropriate and confidential records of all students.
- Liaise with other community agencies and services in Wiikwemkoong
- Collaborate with the Principal and various Wiikwemkoong Board of Education departments
- Participate and facilitate extra-curricular activities for students.
- Offer student support via art therapy, music therapy, creativity classes, etc..
- Develop and build relationships with students, parents, and education staff.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Undergraduate Degree/Diploma in Human Services (Social Work, Child and Youth Care, Mental Health and Addictions) with knowledge of trauma and healing protocols, methods and techniques considered an asset.
- Writing skills to prepare plans, reports, presentations and correspondence and other documents, with some requirements to motivate others to take action.
- Ability to develop/maintain confidential reports using a standardized format.
- At least three years of directly related experience with delivery of programming and understanding youth and supporting community development in First Nation communities.
- Knowledge and appreciation of Anishinabek Culture, Traditions, Language, and History.
- Provide a cover letter, resume, and 3 current work-related references.
- Provide current original vulnerable/criminal reference check upon offer of employment.

DEADLINE: May 14, 2024 @ 2 p.m.

DIRECT APPLICATION TO: Recruitment & Retention Coordinator
Wiikwemkoong Board of Education
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Wikwemikong, Ontario P0P 2J0
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Preference will be given to indigenous applicants. Self-identification is encouraged.

Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.