



Employment Opportunity: Pre-Kindergarten Teacher, Full-time Employment

The East Central First Nations Education Authority (ECFNEA) is committed to providing the highest quality of Educational Services by our people, for our people, to our people. The Authority focuses on developing and implementing programs that address the needs of the First Nation Community, including Culture, Cree Language, and Trauma-Sensitive Programs that address the needs of the First Nation community of James Smith, which consists of the Chakastaypasin Band of the Cree Nation, James Smith Cree Nation, and Peter Chapman Band.

The ECFNEA's facilities include the Bernard Constant Community School (BCCS) located on James Smith Cree Nation (JSCN) and a sub-office in Nipawin.

To obtain more information on the ECFNEA, please visit the website at <https://www.ecfnep.ca/>

The BCCS is a dynamic Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 12 school, serving the needs of approximately 440 students. The school is supported by a professional staff of 30-plus teachers and a full complement of support staff. The school's focus will include Trauma-Sensitive Programs, a full complement of a Wellness Team, a comprehensive Cree Language Program for all grades and divisions, a Land-based Learning Program, a Cultural Program, a Sports Academy Program, and a Treaty Essential Learning Program. Applicants who can speak the Cree Language and can display knowledge of, and working experience in, the other noted areas will be considered assets.

Position Title

Pre-Kindergarten Teacher

Qualifications

The successful candidate will possess the following:

- a Canadian Police Information Centre's (CPIC) Criminal Records Check and a Vulnerable Sector Check;
- a valid Driver's license; and
- Certification in ECE Level 2;

Duties and Responsibilities

The following criteria will be important considerations in the hiring process.

- a strong background in the Cree Language will be a definite asset;
- a strong background in teaching Pre-K School subjects is preferred;

- ability to Indigenize content and pedagogy to leverage student success;
- embrace strong connections with the community and be open to engage fully in the rich cultural and extracurricular life of the school;
- identify children's individual learning needs
- lead students in activities to promote their physical, mental and social development and their school readiness;
- may supervise teachers' aides and student teachers;
- participate in staff meetings, educational conferences and teacher training workshops;
- prepare courses for presentation to students according to the approved curriculum;
- prepare, administer and correct tests;
- prepare, evaluate and implement remedial programs for students requiring extra help with Learning Supports, Social Emotional teacher, parents, and school administration; and
- strong collaboration skills are needed as teachers work together to improve student academic outcomes.

Salary and Benefits

Salary/Wages are commensurate with experience. Extended health benefits, vacation or holiday pay, and personal or sick leave may be available, depending on contract terms.

Application Process

Please send applications electronically in Word to the undersigned, complete with a covering letter, a resume (with all supporting documentation) and a minimum of three professional references, including your most recent employer.

If you require further information or to submit your application, please contact or email to:

Jacklyn Burns
Executive Assistant/HR Administrative Assistant
East Central First Nation Education Authority
jacklynburns@ecfnea.ca

The ECFNEA would like to thank all applicants who have applied for these positions. However, not all applicants will be contacted. The successful applicant will be required to produce a satisfactory Criminal Records Check and Vulnerable Sector Check. Only those who meet the requirements we are seeking will be contacted regarding the next steps in the process.

Deadline for applications: Open until position is filled.