

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Posting #: T003

Posting Date: February 2, 2023

Closing Date: February 24, 2023

School: Golden Horn Elementary School, Whitehorse, YT

Position: Principal FTE: 1.0 Permanent

Start Date: August 21, 2023

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE:

Please clearly demonstrate on your cover letter and resume, how you meet the following qualifications and experience:

- Possession of, or working toward a Master's Degree in Education or equivalent in educational administration and/or another related field;
- A minimum of 3 years of successful practice as a school Administrator;
- Successful teaching experience, Grades K-7 in a minimum of two school locations;
- Effective leadership in diverse school settings;
- Experience supporting culturally diverse school communities to achieve student learning success;
- Proven leadership in facilitating outdoor, experiential and land-based programs for students;
- Proven leadership in promoting healthy, active living;
- Demonstrated ability as an Administrator to improve student literacy and numeracy competencies with measured results;
- Ability to select and supervise staff and to manage risk.
- Completion of provincial/regional Principal and/or Supervisory Officer Qualifications is an asset
- Experience working with Yukon First Nations students, families and partners is an asset;

NOTE: Candidates who have the equivalent combination of acceptable education, training and experience to the education criteria identified above will be equally considered.

DESIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND SUITABILITY:

- Strong communication and interpersonal skills with the ability to develop, establish, and maintain rapport with students, families, staff, School Council, Yukon First Nations and other stakeholders;

- Ability to communicate student progress in literacy and numeracy to students, families and School Council as a foundation for continuous improvement;
- Strong and effective leadership skills with the demonstrated ability to inspire and motivate teachers and students to reach their full potential;
- Strong planning and organizational skills;
- A knowledge of, and sensitivity to, the culture and aspirations of First Nations people, an awareness of the legacy and historical impact of residential schools on First Nations learners;
- Ability to implement relevant Calls to-Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission in a school setting;
- Strong decision making skills demonstrating effective listening, ability to accommodate and to mediate diverse views;
- Administrative skills required to supervise budget, develop and implement school procedures, schedule for optimum learning and work with all stakeholders; and
- Experience with and commitment to restorative practice and positive approaches that enhance student engagement and learning outcomes.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- To be a Teacher in Yukon, you must hold a Teacher Certification in another Canadian province/territory first;
- Successful applicants will be required to undergo a Criminal Record Check including a Vulnerable Sector Check.
- Relocation is available.

TO APPLY FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY, GO TO:

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