# Position: Special Education Teacher

# Location: Chief Mistawasis School

# Apply By: Open till Filled

# Job Summary:

To create a school environment favourable to learning and personal growth; to establish effective rapport with students; to motivate students to develop skills, attitudes and knowledge needed to provide a good foundation for inclusive education in accordance with each student’s ability; to establish good relationships with parents and other staff members

# Reports to:

Principal

# Job Duties:

* Confer with parents, administrators, testing specialists, social workers, and professionals to develop individual educational plans designed to promote students’ educational, physical, and social needs
* To assist teachers and educational assistants to employ special educational strategies and techniques during instruction to improve the development of sensory and perceptual-motor skills, language, cognition, and memory
* Teach personal development skills such as goal setting, independence, and self-advocacy, and prepare students for later grades and life skills relevant to their development
* Meet with other professionals to discuss individual students’ needs and progress
* Observe and evaluate students’ performance, behaviours, social development, and physical health
* Maintain accurate and complete student records, and prepare reports on children and activities, as required by Mistawasis Nêhiyawak policies, and administrative regulations
* Participate in the scheduling and directing of second level services, including, educational psychologist, speech and language pathologist, occupational therapist, and other clinicians
* Perform all other acts reasonable and necessary to accomplish their primary function as requested by the Principal and/or Designate.
* provide guidance and support to administrators, learning support teachers and classroom teachers to ensure the implementation of appropriate educational programming, including, individualized programming to meet students’ needs (IIP’s)
* Collaborate with school teams to identify required supports for students, such as assessments, transition plans, safety plans, etc.
* Collaborate with staff to plan and coordinate alternative education programming
* Develop and deliver professional development for staff
* Work collaboratively with outside agencies to provide supports for students

# Qualifications and Skills:

* Minimum education degree (B.Ed.)
* Must possess or be in the process of obtaining your Post-Degree Certificate in Special Education or related Degree
* Saskatchewan Teachers Professional A certificate
* a current, original Canadian Criminal Record Check (CPIC) and Vulnerable Sector Check
* Ability to work collaboratively with colleagues, and with other agencies
* Ability to maintain confidentiality
* Valid First Aid/CPR

Please submit cover letter, resume, and professional references to:

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Only those candidates to be interviewed will be contacted.