

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BAYFIELD
AMERICAN INDIAN LANGUAGE, HISTORY & CULTURE INSTRUCTOR
(POSITION DESCRIPTION)

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Wisconsin Indian History and Culture (927) and Indian Language (926) PK-12 Certification
2. Demonstrate verbal and written proficiency in Ojibwe language
3. Sensitivity to the unique needs of American Indian children and families
4. Understanding and respect for the culture and history of Native Americans in the State of Wisconsin
5. Work collaboratively with staff, parents, community members and other child support systems in the best interest of students

REPORTS TO: Principal

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Impart knowledge and values on Ojibwe history and culture to students.
2. Foster growth of Native American students through sense of self-identification
3. Maintain orderly classroom climate and support students in behavioral matters through established PBIS practices.
4. Maintain a nurturing classroom environment through relationship building with students, parents/families and the community.
5. Support student academic growth and achievement through established RTI practices
6. Use technology as a tool for teaching, learning and communication
7. Ensure that course outcomes are aligned with established standards and conduct curriculum alignment work as required
8. Develop and present lessons and student assignments/activities on the subjects of Ojibwe language, history and culture. Establish process of evaluating student work and providing feedback.
9. Evaluate student academic growth and achievement through the use of formative and summative assessments and communicate with students, parents/families and staff members on student progress
10. These responsibilities are a general description of the primary duty assignments and are not intended to reflect each task associated with the position
11. Awareness of unique needs of special needs students
12. Other duties as assigned by administration

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job.

The work environment:

- Is primarily indoors with some outdoor activities expected
- Is in a temperature controlled area when inside and is subject to local weather conditions during outside activities
- Is where frequent interruptions and distractions occur
- Is where moderate levels of noise are likely to occur
- Is where possible exposure to human blood and bodily fluids may occur

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