



FT (1.0) Secondary Shop/Applied Skills Teacher (2017-18)

Job Code: 1808148

School District #60 (Peace River North)

Closing Date: Ongoing

Job Type:	School:	Start Date: Sep 01, 2017
Full Time	Prespatou Elementary-	End Date: June 30, 2018
Openings: 1	Secondary	Salary: as per collective agreement

Position Description

A temporary full-time (1.0) Secondary Shop/Applied Skills/Classroom teacher is required by School District No. 60 (Peace River North). The assignment will be at Prespatou Elementary/Secondary School effective September 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018.

Prespatou Elementary Secondary is a vibrant K-12 school located in a beautiful rural setting approximately one hour's drive from Fort St John. The school's population is just over 320 students from Kindergarten to grade 12. Prespatou School services a broad range of students from the communities of Prespatou, Buick Creek and Blueberry River First Nations. The students speak a variety of languages such as Low German, Beaver, Cree and Russian. Our students enjoy an active lifestyle at home and at school. The school building is the hub for the community with many events held regularly (meetings, gym nights, sewing, music, dinners, weddings). Educational services provided include English as a Second Language, Learning Assistance, and Inclusion. Staffing currently includes 16 K-12 teachers, 3.5 support educators and 9 support staff. We value the relationship between school, community and our PAC. Our PAC has 12 elected members who meet monthly. For more information please see www.prespatou.prn.bc.ca.

Qualifications and Experience

- Valid BC Ministry of Education Teaching Certificate (or eligible for)
- Experience with adapting and modifying curriculum to meet the needs of students
- Journeyman status or trained in carpentry and/or metal Fab with the ability to deliver a strong, engaging experience to high school and elementary students
- Current First Aid
- Awareness of the safety aspects of running a shop
- Cognizant of the learning outcomes and evaluation processes outlined in provincial curriculum
- Qualifications and ability to teach identified subjects at the graduation level and a willingness to adapt to the needs of the school
- Experience/training/knowledge of Positive Behaviour Support (PBS)
- Ability/desire to work collaboratively with students and parents
- Experience planning with Teachers and Education Assistants and a willingness to work in a collaborative model regarding curriculum, assessment, instruction and planning

- Ability to work as part of a team to develop and implement individualized learning plans for students with academic, social, emotional and physical learning difficulties and adjust to the needs of the students
- Excellent interpersonal, communication, collaborative and organizational skills
- Strong classroom management skills, while maintaining student dignity
- Committed to professional development
- Experience or knowledge of Assessment for Learning
- Ability to differentiate instruction and support varying learning needs
- Training in teaching ELL students
- Commitment and a willingness to work with colleagues on staff development activities linked to school goals for enhancing student learning

Compensation

- \$700 relocation allowance for teachers from BC, AB and Yukon and up to \$1000 for teachers from other areas
- \$2,418 recruitment allowance (paid over 10 months of the school year, based on the FTE)
- Salary as per collective agreement. Current salary grid is \$46,716 - \$87,635
- Benefits as per collective agreement with option to enrol in medical, dental, extended health, and group life insurance. Benefits are employer paid based on FTE
- Isolation allowance of \$943.00 paid over 10 months

For more information please contact:

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About School District 60

School District 60 is noted for innovative educational practices and excellent cooperative relationships between all educational partners. School District 60 is progressive and growing. The district's schools provide education services to approximately 6000 ethnically and demographically diverse students. SD60 is located on the eastern side of the Rocky Mountains in the northern tip of the Canadian Prairies in beautiful Fort St. John, BC. The region's economy is prosperous and expanding. Fort St John is a city for all seasons and year-round playground for those who like pristine wilderness, an active lifestyle, cosmopolitan city life and the enthusiasm of an energetic community.

Why School District 60

- Professional development opportunities
- Supportive culture of teacher collaboration
- Curriculum and teacher supports
- French Immersion, music, & outdoor education programs
- Advanced technology facilities and resources
- Progressive and growing district
- Innovative educational practices