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INTERNAL / EXTERNAL
Competition #20-028
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
SECONDARY TEACHER WITH A FOCUS ON ART
School District No. 92 (Nisga'a)
Nisga'a Elementary Secondary School

School District No. 92 (Nisga'a) invites applications for a secondary teacher with a focus on Art with other duties assigned at Nisga'a Elementary Secondary School to start as soon as possible.

The school is located in the community of Gitlaxt'aamiks, also known as New Aiyansh, the Nisga'a Village in the heart of the Nass River Valley in British Columbia, Canada. As one of four Nisga'a Villages, it is considered the "Capital of the Nisga'a Nation."

The Nisga'a School District is situated at the end of a paved highway 97 km north of Terrace, a community with a Regional Airport offering regular 2-hour air service to Vancouver. The lands of the Nisga'a Nation are blessed with soaring mountains, dramatic lava beds and thriving rivers and streams. The natural beauty of Nisga'a lands is complemented by the rich cultural traditions of the Nisga'a Nation. There is a wealth of outdoor activities to enjoy in the area, including fishing, hiking, cross-country skiing, snowmobiling and much more.

The district offers comfortable housing at a reasonable cost and enjoys small class size in all four district schools, which are located within one hour of each other along the banks of the Nass River.

The successful candidate will have demonstrated

- Appreciation for the important role that Language and Culture play in Indigenous Education
- A learner focused attitude
- An inquiry-based mind set
- Successful experience teaching Visual Arts in a High School setting including digital art production, audio and video production, photography, information technology, creative writing, and Drama.
- Respect for diversity
- The ability to connect with and motivate secondary age young people
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Respect for the importance of meaningful parent involvement in school
- Effective classroom management skills
- Commitment to collaboration and teamwork with colleagues
- Willingness to challenge student learners in a culturally rich environment
- Knowledge of the changing BC curriculum and Core Competencies.

Pay and benefits are in accordance with the current Nisga'a Teachers Union Collective Agreement.

We thank all applicants and advise that only those short-listed will be contacted. The successful candidate will hold a B.C. Teaching Certificate and be a member in good standing with the Teacher Regulation Branch. For further clarification please contact Mark Koebel, Principal, Nisga'a Elementary Secondary School at mkoebel@nisd92.bc.ca. Please include a resume and cover letter including three reference letters no later than 12:00pm September 15, 2020.

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