



**AAMIJWNAANG FIRST NATION EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
LANGUAGE AND CULTURE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR
12 MONTH CONTRACT**

The Language and Culture Early Childhood Educator will assist in the development and facilitation of an integrated Language and Cultural Program for the benefit of children 0-6 and their families.

JOB DUTIES:

- Maintain and introduce Anishinaabemowin words and phrases following weekly activities identified with children's programs and seasons.
- Maintaining a daily record of activities, new word, progress, etc.
- Acting as a resource for parents, staff, and service providers.
- Contributing to the general operation of service by working co-operatively with other staff, attending staff meetings, attending Early Childhood Development Team meetings when necessary, and assisting staff with children as necessary.
- Working directly with each age group (children and staff) on a weekly basis.
- Providing exposure to Anishinaabemowin culture through crafts, singing songs, dancing, finger plays, story telling, cooking and other age appropriate activities.
- Provide daily programming for the Kindergarten classroom
- Arranging for Guest Elder's, workshops, events, and trips that relate to cultural awareness.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Graduation from a post secondary program in Early Childhood Education would be an asset.
- Experience working with young children and knowledge of the Child Care and Early Years Act.
- Organize and maintain excellent record keeping
- Demonstrated knowledge of the Anishinaabemowin language, culture, and traditions.
- Must be able to teach primary words/phrases from the Ojibway language.
- Must possess First Aid and Infant/Child CPR Certification.

APPLICATION TO INCLUDE:

Cover letter with contact information.
Resume listing education and work experience.
At least two references with contact information.

Please forward applications to:
Band Manager
978 Tashmoo Ave
Sarnia, ON N7T 7H5
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Complete job description is available at the Band Office. Deadline for applications is February 28, 2017, AT 4:00PM. The successful candidate must provide an acceptable Police Record Check. (C.P.I.C.) with Vulnerable Sector Search.