



VANCOUVER ISLAND WEST
School District 84
TEACHER POSTING No. 2018-08

CONTINUING 1.0 FTE SECONDARY TEACHER REQUIRED
KYUQUOT ELEMENTARY SECONDARY SCHOOL

Effective September 1, 2018

Working at KESS offers the incumbent a professionally stimulating and rewarding opportunity. The school is seeking an educator – experienced or novice – who would thrive with an opportunity to solve problems, think outside the box and work with colleagues and administration to continually improve learning for students while expanding his/her own repertoire of skills, abilities and creativity.

Teaching assignment may include, but may not be limited to:

- *Secondary Humanities and Electives*

The successful candidate will:

- have an exemplary work ethic, good communication skills;
- have the proven ability to work as an effective team member to promote a variety of school initiatives aimed at continuous school improvements;
- provide a welcoming, safe, experiential and stimulating learning environment appropriate to the learning needs of students;
- have the skills and commitment to effectively support the District's and school's goals to improve the success of First Nations students;
- be familiar and comfortable with adapting and modifying materials;
- deal meaningfully with differentiated student learning styles and demonstrate an ability to address individual student needs;
- incorporate into instruction hands-on, experiential and active learning activities;
- demonstrate knowledge and expertise in relation to the use of computer-assisted and on-line learning as both supplementary and primary course-ware resources;
- understand and apply the BC Performances Standards;
- be able to incorporate a wide range of effective classroom management strategies that maintain the dignity of students;
- possess an understanding of and an ability to assist in the development and execution of IEP's and Behavioural Plans for a number of students;
- provide evidence of the ability to deal effectively with intransigence;
- demonstrate exceptional student motivational skills;
- inspire students to expand the breadth and depth of their dreams;
- commit to supporting the District's and school's goal to improve student literacy, and be familiar with and knowledgeable about current Literacy practices, including reading intervention strategies, assessment and evaluation techniques, best practices, and curriculum surrounding literacy;
- demonstrate skills and commitment to building rapport with students;
- supervise teaching and education assistants who may be assigned;
- have the ability and commitment to frequent and exemplary communication with parents and guardians;
- be willing and flexible to teach other subjects, if required;
- be physically capable to perform the duties of this position.

Preferred Qualifications:

- BC Certified with the Teacher Qualification Branch with qualifications and experience at the secondary level with a major in English or Humanities;
- Successful experience in supporting individual student learning in a multi-grade classroom.

Inquiries can be directed to the Acting Principal of Kyuquot Elementary Secondary School at 250-332-5260.

Interested applicants should submit a letter of application, resume, references, teaching credentials, and transcripts, by 4 pm, May 17, 2018, to:

Annie McDowell, Associate Director of Human Resources
Vancouver Island West School District 84
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The successful applicant may be required to complete pre-employment online courses pertaining to health and safety, prior to the commencement of employment. Information will be provided.