School District #49 (Central Coast)
Sir Alexander Mackenzie School/Bella Coola Elementary School

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Continuing Itinerant Special Education Teacher (1.0 FTE)
September 1, 2017
Internal/External

A continuing full-time (1.0) Special Education Teacher is required by School District #49 (Central Coast). The assignment will be at Sir Alexander Mackenzie School School/Bella Coola Elementary School effective September 1, 2017. Interested teachers who are a member or who are eligible to become a member of the Teacher Regulation Branch are invited to apply.

Required Experience and Qualifications:

- Masters in Special Education or working towards
- Demonstrated ability to work collaboratively with others to support the learning of students with a variety of needs
- Knowledge of effective research-based teaching strategies and formative assessment techniques
- Ability/experience to carry out a variety of assessment, including classroom observation, administration and interpretation of norm-referenced assessment instruments, curriculum-based assessments, and diagnostic teaching methods
- Ability to implement extensive Individual Education Programs (IEP’s) (detailing adaptations and modifications) in consultation with classroom teachers, parents, students and district resource personnel
- Ability/experience to support students designated with Chronic Health
- Training and experience in working with ELL/ESD students and files
- Ability to support teachers within their classrooms to create inclusive learning environments
- Wide range of teaching and management strategies
- Knowledge of numeracy and literacy curriculum in K-12
- Knowledge of methods for evaluating and selecting instructional materials suitable for students with special needs
- Ability/expertise to work with students either individually or in small groups or in a classroom setting
- Excellent interpersonal, communication, collaborative and organizational skills
- Advocacy for and empathy with students with special needs
- Ability to work with students experiencing learning and/or behavioural difficulties
- Ability/expertise to collaborate with classroom teachers and team-teach when warranted to support the learning of special needs students
- Willingness to work collaboratively with the inclusive education departments/teams and school administration
- valid BC Ministry of Education Teaching Certificate (or eligible for)
- Knowledge of Aboriginal World View and understanding
- Sound knowledge of technologies such as Solo6, Kurzweil, Smartboards and their educational application.
- A team approach to school planning
- Strong interpersonal, communication and collaborative skills and proven ability to work co-operatively and effectively with other educators in a collegial team setting
- A strong commitment to positive and consistent engagement and communication with parents and other stakeholders

Applications containing details of education, relevant experience and references are being accepted until position is filled and should be submitted to: jbaillie@sd49.ca

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