

# Teacher – Cayuga Language

Date of Posting:	Closing Date:
October 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2017	November 10 <sup>th</sup> 2017

#### **Overview:**

At the SNP-STEAM Academy, students earn a high school diploma, an industry-recognized college diploma, and gain relevant work experience in their field of study. The school creates a seamless program for students to acquire the academic and technical skills and knowledge they need to achieve success. We are currently looking for a teacher to join our Academy to teach primarily in the field of language education, specifically Cayuga language. This position will commence with semester two of the 2017/2018 school year in January 2018.

#### **Responsibilities:**

The duties of this position will include, but are not limited to the following:

#### Working under the supervision of the SNP-STEAM Academy Principal, the Teacher shall:

- Instruct through lectures, discussions, and demonstrations in one or more subjects
- Establish clear objectives for all lessons, units, and projects, and communicate those objectives to students.
- Prepare, administer, and grade tests and assignments to evaluate students' progress.
- Prepare materials and classrooms for class activities.
- Adapt teaching methods and instructional materials to meet students' varying needs and interests.
- Maintain accurate and complete student records as required by law and administrative regulations.
- Assign and grade class work and homework.
- Maintain a system for the supervision and safety of all students.
- Use technology, hands-on activities and knowledge of Hodinohsó:ni' history, culture, values, contemporary issues, community priorities and stakeholders to enrich curriculum and instruction.
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Principal.
- Confer with parents or guardians, other teachers, counselors, and administrators in order to resolve students' behavioral and academic problems.

#### **Qualifications**

The successful applicant must have:

#### Education & Experience:

- 1. Bachelor Degree; Bachelor of Education degree,
- 2. OCT (Ontario Teaching Certification) in good standing,
- 3. Experience dealing directly with parents,
- 4. Experience and ability with a range of computer applications,
- 5. Experience working with a range of community organizations,
- 6. A high level of fluency in the Cayuga language. Fluency or familiarity with Mohawk and other Indigenous languages is an asset.



## **Criminal Record Check:**

The Teacher will be required to provide an original Criminal Background Check –Vulnerable Sector Screening that is satisfactory to the employer prior to the first day of work at SNP-STEAM Academy, and an Offence Declaration that is satisfactory to the EMPLOYER by August 31 of each year in which they are employed by Six Nations Polytechnic.

## Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

- 1. A general current knowledge of Hodinohsó:ni' history, culture, values, contemporary issues, community priorities and stakeholders.
- 2. A background in or knowledge of STEM/STEAM Pathways.
- 3. Knowledge of current research and instructional best practices.
- 4. High level of communication skills with a particular emphasis on excellent writing ability.
- 5. Flexibility in learning new program areas or approaches.
- 6. Superior Instructional leadership skills.
- 7. Sound interpersonal skills and good professional judgement.
- 8. Ability to work both independently and in a team work setting demonstrating Hodinohsó:ni' values of G'anigohi:yo:/Kanikoriio.

### Salary:

This full time position (37.5 hours/weekly) will be compensated commensurate to the incumbent's combined qualifications and experience.

## Application Procedure:

Applications will be accepted until November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

- **1.** A <u>cover letter</u> outlining relevant experience and qualifications. Please reference areas identified within the contract posting (i.e. fields of demonstrated excellence).
- 2. A <u>curriculum vitae/resumé</u> outlining relevant experience, educational background

Names and contact information for three professional, community, and/or academic references.

All application materials can be sent to the attention of:Mr. Aaron Hobbs, PrincipalEmail:Aaron.Hobbs@SNPolytechnic.comPlease place STEAM Academy - TEACHER in the subject line.

Or in a sealed envelope mailed or hand delivered, clearly marked "STEAM Academy-TEACHER" to: Six Nations Polytechnic Inc. 2160 Fourth Line Road, PO Box 700 Ohsweken, Ontario NOA 1M0 Or Six Nations Polytechnic Brantford 411 Elgin Street Brantford, Ontario N3S 7P5