

Lummi Nation School

Educational Excellence for the Future



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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

JOB TITLE: School Psychologist

OPEN: August 9, 2019

CLOSE: August 23, 2019

EXEMPT: No

JOB CODE:

SALARY: WA Teacher Pay Scale (DOE)

DIVISION: Education

SHIFT: Day

DEPARTMENT: LNS

LOCATION: Lummi Nation School

SUPERVISOR: SpEd Director

DURATION: Regular Full Time-12 Month Contract

VACANCIES: 1

JOB SUMMARY: Lummi Nation Schools is seeking a school psychologist with the ability to be an innovative leader and skilled at working with students and teams at the Kindergarten through 12 grade levels. Successful candidates will demonstrate the ability to support the teaching staff in delivering effective specialized instruction for all students and in designing effective programs for students with challenging behavior based upon the best available research and best practices.

ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES: include the following, and other related duties as assigned.

1. Integrate information obtained during assessment into an accurate and useful overview to be used for determining program and service eligibility and interventions.
2. Complete psycho-educational evaluations.
3. Assist school counselor in completing Functional Behavioral Assessments.
4. Participate in Manifestation Determination meetings.
5. Complete Social/Emotional Evaluations.
6. Assist in developing 504 Plans.
7. Attend IEP and evaluation meetings.
8. Compile written reports integrating assessment results, observations, and other factors including professional judgment and recommendations of the IEP team.
9. Demonstrated ability to work effectively as a collaborative problem solver and member of an assessment/IEP team.
10. Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively and collaborate with students, parents and staff.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- Master in school psychology, educational psychology, or a related field in the appropriate area.
- Valid Educational Staff Associate certificate in school psychology.
- Must possess a valid Washington State Driver's License and meet eligibility requirements for tribal insurance.
- Lummi/Native American/Veteran preference policy applies.

KNOWLEDGE, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

- Ability to apply culturally-sensitive techniques and assessments to evaluate academic skills, learning aptitudes, personality and emotional development and social skills.
- Knowledge of sensory integration techniques.

- Ability to work with non-verbal and multi-disabled students.
- Ability to develop individual programs in order to meet student needs.
- Ability to provide recommendations for services, goals, and objectives for student IEP's and ensure compliance with program requirements.
- Ability to identify proper assessment tool for testing.
- Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively in writing.
- Ability to conduct evaluation(s) using standardized and informal tests within required times. Knowledge of and ability to apply special education laws, rules and regulations governing the education of children with disabilities.
- Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively in writing.
- Experience assessing students with learning disabilities, health, physical, intellectual, and/or emotional challenges.
- Experience in providing diagnostic and educational services to students with disabilities. Team leadership skills, decision-making skills and skills in the all areas of disability.
- Ability to monitor and manage evaluation schedule.
- Experience in providing psychological services in a school setting *preferred*

REQUIREMENTS:

- This position required contact with or control over Indian children and is therefore subject to an extensive criminal background check.
- Must pass pre-employment and random drug and alcohol test to be eligible for and maintain employment, as required by the LIBC Drug & Alcohol Free Workplace Policy.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- All elements of this job description apply
- Salary depends on qualifications
- Academic School Year (12 month teacher contract),
- 90 Day Orientation Period Applies

TO APPLY:

To obtain a Lummi Indian Business Council (LIBC) application go to: <https://www.lummi-nsn.gov/widgets/JobsNow.php> or request by e-mail libchr@lummi-nsn.gov For more information contact the HR front desk (360) 312-2023. Submit LIBC application, cover letter, resume & reference letters no later than 4:30 p.m. on the closing date listed above. If listing degrees or certifications include copies. Mailing Address: 2665 Kwina Road, Bellingham, WA 98226.