



Nishnaabemwin Coordinator

Department: Culture and Heritage
Posting Date: December 16, 2022
Location: Nipissing First Nation, ON
Schedule: Standard Work Week
Job type: Full-time, Permanent
Vacancies: 1
Reports To: Culture and Heritage Manager

Under the supervision of the Culture and Heritage Manager, the Nishnaabemwin Coordinator will oversee, coordinate and evaluate Nishnaabemwin programs, leaning activities and resources within the policies and procedures of Nipissing First Nation, including the culture & language strategic plan.

What you'll do in the role

- Maintain and upkeep an inventory of Nishnaabemwin resources
- Assist in the development of an action plan to reclaim and revitalize Nibisiing Dialect language; including promoting and advocating for language learning and the presence of language at Nipissing First Nation
- Plan, organize and promote Nishnaabemwin learning opportunities and events for community, staff and NFN programming i.e. daycare centres
- Coordinate translation services.
- Ensure that Nibisiing culture is included in the scope of our first language
- Act as resource lead for the Nishnaabemwin language committee.
- Submit applications for funding to language development
- Gauge and evaluate language learning.

Just a few reasons to join Nipissing First Nation

- Opportunity to work with a dynamic team with career growth across multiple departments
- Nipissing First Nation prides itself in providing its employees with job security, competitive wages and a safe working environment.
- On-the-job training to support your success in the role
- A defined contribution pension plan
- Comprehensive Health Plan including Medical, Vision, Life and Disability insurance
- Casual dress
- Better than average vacation and leave packages

What you bring to the table

- Must be a registered Nipissing First Nation member
- Must have a proven moderate fluency of Nibisiing Nishnaabemwin dialect and be willing to upgrade fluency skills



Employment Opportunity

- Must have an excellent rapport and reciprocal relationship with fluent speakers and cultural knowledge holders
- Must have a strong interest in learning Nibisiing Nishnaabemwin dialect and culture
- Must be able to work and learn in an online setting
- Must have strong organizational skills in record-keeping using Microsoft office applications
- Must have experience in planning community events based on culture and language.
- Must be willing to work on Nishnaabemwin and culture projects independently, attend online classes regularly, and participate with fluent speakers and cultural knowledge holders
- Must possess skills in grant writing and be aware of funding agencies for Nishnaabemwin culture initiatives
- Must be willing to work as a team player

Application Deadlines:

This posting is currently open to all registered Nipissing First Nation members. Please advise your status in your application

- Due to the nature of this position, only round one applicants will be considered

Nipissing First Nation supports the training and growth of their members and strongly encourages their members to apply to positions. Work experience and training opportunities are taken into consideration when screening applications.

Nipissing First Nation members are encouraged to apply to all rounds of employment postings. As per Section 24(1)(a) of the Ontario Human Rights Code, Nipissing First Nation gives preference to First Nation applicants for any employment opportunities.

If you are excited by this opportunity and want to be a part of Nipissing First Nation, please apply online by emailing your cover letter and resume to resumes@nfn.ca no later than 4:30pm on the application deadline noted above.

Miigwech to all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.