

Department of Education and Early Childhood Development

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (SECONDMENT)

Program Development Specialist English Language Arts 10-12 and Religious Education 10-12

Division of Programs and Services, Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, 3rd. Floor, West Block, Confederation Building, St. John's, NL.

DUTIES: Reporting to the Manager of Curriculum, this position will provide leadership in the preparation and implementation of English Language Arts and Religious Education curricula and prepare curriculum guides and related curriculum support documents. This is a challenging, professional position that will involve working collaboratively in partnership with professional groups and individuals. The incumbent utilizes authorized learning resources in work with teachers and school administrators to support the 10-12 provincial English Language Arts and 10-12 Religious Education curriculum. S/he provides leadership in professional learning initiatives and in-service of new curriculum, in collaboration with school districts. The individual works with other provincial program development specialists, consultants and school district specialists to develop plans and policies related to teaching and learning of English Language Arts 10-12 and Religious Education 10-12. S/he will perform other related duties as required.

QUALIFICATIONS: Knowledge of authorized provincial English Language Arts and Religious Education curriculum, as well as knowledge of outcomes-based education, program evaluation, professional learning, and implementation strategies. Candidates must also possess effective leadership, communication, analytical, organizational, and decision making skills, with the ability to demonstrate initiative and establish and maintain effective working relationships. These qualifications would be acquired through completion of an undergraduate degree with a major or minor in English and/or Religious Studies, and a Master's Degree in Curriculum and Instruction or similar Masters of Education; supplemented by considerable related teaching experience at the secondary level, with significant high school experience. Travel throughout the Province will be required at certain periods during the school year.

This position requires the incumbent to hold a valid teaching certificate issued by the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, Newfoundland and Labrador. The successful candidate must be employed on a continuous contract basis with a Newfoundland and Labrador school district and able to be seconded from their current position in accordance with the provisions of the NLTA collective agreement.

SALARY: In accordance with NLTA Collective Agreement

CLOSING DATE: May 31, 2019

Applications quoting "PDS – ELA & RE (10-12) Application" in the subject line should be submitted directly to: Joanne Hogan at jhogan@gov.nl.ca.

For more information about this secondment opportunity, please call: Joanne Hogan at 729-2440.