



Employment Opportunity

Job Title: Kanienkeha:ka Language Activator

Reporting To: Senior Administrator

Overview:

The Language Activator will be primarily responsible for mobilizing Mohawk language revitalization, retention and preservation. In order to achieve this the Language Activator will be responsible for developing and implementing community-based programs and initiatives that will:

- Stimulate an interest in language learning within the community;
- Support the creation of new speakers;
- Increase the use of the language within the community;
- Create new language resources for the community; and
- Capture and preserve the knowledge of current speakers in the community.

The Language Activator will also be responsible for seeking out and securing other sources of funding to further support the ongoing goals of revitalization, retention and preservation of the language.

Knowledge and Skills:

- Knowledge and understanding of Kanienkeha:ka culture, traditions and customs.
- Proficiency in developing and implementing community-based programming in a First Nation community.
- Ability to handle multiple responsibilities in a flexible and calm manner.
- Knowledge of computers and the software required for developing reports, proposals, and presentations.
- Knowledge and understanding of community inclusion.
- Strong proposal writing skills.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills.
- Strong organizational and administrative skills.
- High level of initiative and self-direction.
- Ability to work in a team environment.

Other Requirements:

- Must be able to work flexible hours.
- Must have a valid Ontario Class "G" license and access to a vehicle.