Education Officer

Ministry of Education Organization Ministry of Education, Ontario Public Service

Division: Student Achievement Division

Position Title: Education Officer

Job Term: Three Year Secondment

Location: Toronto Region – 315 Front Street, 13th Floor

Toronto, Ontario M7A 0B8

Compensation Group: Association of Management, Administrative and

Professional Crown Employees of Ontario

(AMAPCEO)

Salary: \$71,243 -\$122,991 per year

Posting Status Open Targeted

Posting Date: September 9, 2019 Closing Date: September 30, 2019

Are you interested in writing curriculum and helping to shape the future of education in Ontario? Join the Student Achievement Division at the Ministry of Education and become part of a highly motivated team in the Curriculum, Assessment and Student Success Policy Branch.

We are seeking an individual who:

- Has extensive Ontario teaching experience in secondary Science to lead revisions of this curriculum.
- Is able to plan, conduct and make recommendations on highly diverse, complex and far-reaching array of educational curriculum and related policy issues.
- Is able to develop, evaluate and facilitate digital resources and implementation strategies to support appropriate implementation in school boards and schools.
- Is able to coordinate committees to develop policy or supporting documents used as a basis for instructional programs across the province.
- Is able to interpret and instruct school officials, professional associations, and other
 areas of provincial and federal governments on curriculum policy and specialized
 areas of education, as well as prepare briefs, respond to correspondence, and
 develop and deliver professional learning workshops.
- Is able to develop and sustain positive relationships and networks with all major stakeholders, including gathering information, opinions and attitudes; identifying needs; providing advice, interpretation and clarification; and generating collaboration and cooperation amongst stakeholders on education policies and materials.
- Is able to coordinate with branch colleagues to ensure consistency in policy approaches and seamless education policies between elementary and secondary

- schools, and participates on committees, study groups and task forces addressing a wide variety of major policy and program related issues.
- Has curriculum expertise, instructional leadership experience, and a passion for increasing the achievement and well-being of all students.

What can I expect to do in this role?

You will lead the curriculum revision, development and implementation for:

- The Ontario Curriculum, Grades 9-10: Science, 2008
- The Ontario Curriculum, Grades 11-12: Science, 2008

You will also:

- Develop internal and external partnerships and represent the Student Achievement Division as needed with key stakeholder groups.
- Review, develop and/or implement resources to support student achievement, equity and well-being.
- Ensure curriculum supports are aligned with ministry priorities (e.g., Education that Works for You, the First Nation, Métis, and Inuit Policy Framework, Learning for All, and Growing Success).

Desired Knowledge and Experience:

- An excellent understanding of and extensive experience with the Ontario publiclyfunded education system.
- The ability to manage multiple, complex and sensitive issues with tact and diplomacy within demanding timelines.
- An ability to think strategically, anticipate and absorb complex and large-scale issues and to develop practical and effective policy positions.
- Strong planning, time-management, organization and collaboration skills.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills, including listening, engaging, presenting and reporting; and proficiency with MS Word, Excel, Power Point and experience with other web-based applications.

HOW TO APPLY:

Please send your cover letter and resume to Lilibeth Alagar at Lilibeth.Alagar@ontario.ca by the closing date.

If you require a disability related accommodation in order to participate in the recruitment process, please contact Lilibeth Alagar at Lilibeth.Alagar@ontario.ca.

Remember:

The deadline to apply is September 30, 2019 11:59 pm EDT. Late applications will not be accepted.

We thank you for your interest. Only those selected for further screening or an interview will be contacted.

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