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**BC Public Service
Ministry of Education
Victoria**

Indigenous Languages Coordinator

An opportunity to provide expertise in the development of vital provincial policies

Salary \$69,900.80 - \$79,791.25 annually

The Indigenous Education Branch develops, coordinates and implements a range of policies, strategies, programs and agreements related to Indigenous Education to improve the school success of Indigenous students. The Branch has responsibility for implementing the BC Tripartite Education Agreement, overseeing activities related to Indigenous Education in BC's public schools as well as working closely with a broad range of partners, including Indigenous organizations and communities. The Branch provides promising-practice for school district programs, supports School Districts in system change initiatives to better meet the needs of Indigenous students, works with Indigenous organizations and communities, federal partners and collaborates with other Ministries and agencies.

The Indigenous Languages Coordinator provides educational expertise in the development of provincial policies, standards, programs, and resources to support reconciliation and the preservation and revitalization of BC Indigenous languages. The position works across the ministry, directly with the First Nations Education Steering Committee and with other education partners to ensure infusion of Indigenous content and pedagogies in curriculum, assessments, teaching and learning resources/materials.

Qualifications for this role Include:

- Bachelor's degree or higher in education or a related field, such as a linguistics, Indigenous studies or humanities.
- The following experience may have been gained in a work, community or volunteer-based setting:
 - Conducting research, analysing findings and presenting recommendations to partners and/or senior management (including Indigenous and/or public sector);
 - Working with Indigenous communities. Preference may be given to working with Indigenous communities in B.C.;
 - Developing, implementing and revising programs and policies;
 - Consulting, collaborating and working with multiple partners or organizations or communities with different interests and priorities;
- Planning, coordinating, managing and evaluating multiple projects.
- Preference may be given to applicants who are eligible for membership in the BC College of Teachers and/or graduate work in an education related field.
- Preference may be given to candidates with directly related experience in the K-12 education sector (public schools, First Nations operated schools or independent schools).
- Preference may be given to applicants with Indigenous ancestry (First Nations, Metis, Inuit).

For more information and to apply by August 13, 2019, please go to:

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