



ABORIGINAL SUPPORT WORKER

(Casual-On-Call)

School District No. 42 (SD42) meets the learning needs of approximately 16,000 students of all ages in Maple Ridge and Pitt Meadows, and is defined by its determination to keep student learning and growth at the heart of all its decisions. With an annual budget of over \$200M and over 2,000 staff, the school district provides K-12 educational services in 22 elementary schools, six secondary schools, and two alternate schools. It also provides a variety of certificate programs and relevant quality life-long learning opportunities through Ridge Meadows College and Continuing Education.

SD42 is looking for qualified candidates interested in working as Casual Aboriginal Support Workers in our district. Aboriginal Support Workers assist the Itinerant Teachers for Aboriginal Education by working with identified aboriginal students within schools in the district on an individual or small group basis, and provide guidance and support in order to foster educational success. SD42 currently has approval, under Section 42(3) of the Human Rights Code by the BC Human Rights Commission, re hiring preference may be given to applicants who have Indigenous ancestry. Applicants of Indigenous ancestry should clearly indicate their ancestry in their application package.

The applicant will possess:

- Successful completion of Grade 12 and one year post-secondary education in First Nations Culture or equivalent experience,
- Two (2) years experience maintaining effective working relationships with members of the aboriginal community,
- Good observation skills and the ability to keep accurate notes and records,
- Knowledge of the effects on aboriginal students of cultural differences.

If you are regularly available for work (Monday to Friday) and able to travel to any school within the District (from Pitt Meadows to Whonnock), we'd love to meet you. While this position is casual (on-call) with no guarantee of hours, shifts are steadily available and there are also many opportunities for securing regular positions as you gain seniority.

Rate of Pay is \$31.12 per hour + 12% in lieu of benefits. To apply, please forward your cover letter, resume, [district application form](#) and supporting documentation to applicants@sd42.ca.

For more information about our School District please visit:

<http://www.sd42.ca/our-district>

Our staff members are the foundation of our system. When you join our school district, you become part of a talented community of educators and support staff dedicated to enriching the lives of all students and helping them achieve success.

