

EDUCATION ASSISTANT

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 lifelong learning opportunities through Ridge Meadows College and Continuing Education. SD42 is looking for qualified applicants interested in working as an Education Assistant at Blue Mountain Elementary School effective September 3, 2024. Please note the incumbent for this position must be male.

The applicant will possess:

- Successful completion of Grade 12 plus the Special Education Teaching Assistant program or equivalent, plus successful experience working with individuals with special needs.
- Knowledge of behaviour management, conflict resolution and restraining techniques plus a variety of learning strategies and the ability to
 assist in modifying curriculum to suit individual student's needs.
- May be required to have basic signing at a level appropriate to the Hearing Impaired student.
- Ability to function and communicate effectively as a member of a team in the support of complex programs requiring a high degree of
 courtesy, discretion and maintenance of confidentiality with a wide variety of school personnel, students and parents.
- Flexibility, patience, stamina, emotional stability and maturity to assist students with a variety of challenges to develop to their maximum potential.
- Sufficient physical strength, health and coordination to perform the duties and responsibilities of the job.
- May be required to have a valid B.C. driver's license.
- This position requires the successful applicant to be male.

This is a full time continuing working 28 hpw, while school is in session. The hourly rate of pay is \$34.73 and additional hours may be available. To apply, please forward your cover letter, resume, <u>District Application Form</u> and supporting documentation to <u>applicants@sd42.ca</u>, quoting posting #C2425-122.

The district appreciates the interest of all applicants, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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.

