

# **Nooaitch Indian Band**

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Our Vision is healthy and economically successful community that respects our traditional culture and values.

# **JOB POSTING**

**DEPARTMENT: Nooaitch Head Start** 

POSITION/TITLE: Responsible Adult/Head Start Cook

**SUPERVISOR: Head Start Manager** 

The Nooaitch Indian Band is currently looking for a Responsible Adult/Head Start Cook to join our Head Start team. As the Responsible Adult/Head Start Cook, you will be responsible for supporting the Head Start team in: planning and carrying out culturally safe and developmentally appropriate activities for the afterschool program and prepare, cook and serve meals for the Head Start program.

#### PRINCIPAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Follows the general day to day activities or operations of the AHSOR program
- 2. Promotes, encourages and assures the AHSOR 6 components are implemented and delivered for children and their families
- 3. Maintains and oversees the general high quality operation of the kitchen program
- 4. Prepares, cooks and serves for the programs.
- 5. Cleans all dishes, utensils and prep materials completed for their meals
- 6. Sanitizes kitchen on a daily basis
- 7. Oversees the daily logs, following the permit and handling of food etc.
- 8. Organizes the inventory, grocery lists and shops for the grocery materials and or supplies.
- 9. Follows general program services and or deliveries as directed while ensuring procedures, policies etc. are maintained and updated.
- 10. Performs other related duties as assigned.

## **Desired Knowledge, Competencies & Behaviors**

- 1. Knowledge of AHSOR 6 components, practices and principles related to early child learning/development
- 2. Knowledge of needs specific to Aboriginal/First Nations populations in the area of early child learning and development
- 3. Ability to work cooperatively as a member of the childcare team, environment through personal behavior, work contributions and the sharing of knowledge
- 4. Participates in the developing of new ideas and methods for program enhancement and has the ability to adjust and adapt to changes

### **JOB SPECIFICATIONS**

## **Education & Experience**

- 1. Valid Food Safe Certification
- 2. Preferred work experience in food preparation
- 3. Knowledge of the food service industry and provincial regulations
- 4. Skills such as planning, organizing or other related skills
- 5. Knowledge and understanding in the importance of healthy, whole, and nutritious meals for children and families using the Canada Food Guidelines
- 6. Organized and demonstrates the ability to multi- task with minimum supervision
- 7. Valid Emergency Child Care First Aid Certificate that is recognized by Child Care Licensing Regulations
- 8. Record of immunization history
- 9. Must successfully pass the required pre-employment Criminal records check through the Province of BC
- 10. Excellent Communication skills and both oral and written
- 11. Demonstrates abilities to build strong relationships within the community

## Interested applicants please direct resumes and cover letter to:

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**Deadline for applications December 12, 2023**: Posting will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.