

School District 47 Sustainability Teacher Coordinator

Introduction

We are seeking a highly motivated and knowledgeable **Sustainability Coordinator** to provide leadership in sustainable practices and energy conservation within School District No. 47. The successful candidate will play a pivotal role in promoting sustainability initiatives, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, and implementing climate change adaptation strategies. Reporting to the Superintendent, the Sustainability Coordinator will be responsible for incorporating sustainable strategies and practices and creating awareness and training programs for all staff and students.

Requirements

- Membership with the BC Teacher Regulation Branch.
- Master's degree in a related field.
- Proven experience in leading environmental and sustainability initiatives.
- Strong understanding of greenhouse gas emissions reduction strategies and climate change adaptation.
- Knowledge of sustainable strategies and practices, including waste management, energy efficiency, renewable energy, and sustainable transportation.
- Strong leadership and project management abilities.
- Ability to work collaboratively with stakeholders at all levels, including students, staff, administrators, community partners, and rights holders.
- Excellent communication skills, with the ability to effectively convey complex information to diverse stakeholders.
- Experience in developing and delivering training programs and awareness campaigns.
- Passion for sustainability and a commitment to creating positive environmental change.

Responsibilities

- Develop and implement comprehensive sustainability plans and programs that align with the District's Strategic Plan.
- Work with students and staff to promote an understanding and awareness of sustainability issues by planning and coordinating educational sessions, training and campaigns and promoting energy and water conservation, waste minimization, recycling, sustainable building and landscape design, alternative transportation, procurement of green products, etc.
- Serve as a liaison between various departments and staff to ensure communication and resource coordination for sustainability programs and projects.
- Collaborate with various stakeholders, including administrators, teachers, staff, and students, to foster a culture of sustainability.
- Monitor and report on the District's progress towards sustainability goals.
- Stay current with industry trends, regulations, and best practices in sustainability, and apply this knowledge to enhance the District's sustainability.