

PLEASE POST

The **Eastern Townships School Board** is seeking candidates for the following full time position:

PSYCHOEDUCATOR

Based in Magog

Full-time (100%) project for the 2018-2019 school year with possible extension

We also welcome applicants who would prefer part-time work (2-3 days/week)

NATURE OF THE WORK

The position of psychoeducator encompasses, in particular, responsibility for carrying out prevention and screening activities, providing assistance and guidance as well as evaluating the adaptation difficulties and adaptive skills of students experiencing or likely to experience social maladjustments in order to create conditions to foster the student's optimal adaptation, restore and develop his or her adaptive skills and autonomy in interaction with his or her environment. He or she provides advice and support to school resources and parents.

SOME CHARACTERISTIC DUTIES

As part of the Complementary Educational services team, you will lead various projects, particularly targeting kindergarten to grade 2 students. Some of the responsibilities associated with this position include :

- Consultation with school personnel about effective methods related to the integration of children with emotional and/or behavioral difficulties in the inclusive setting of the regular classroom
- Animation of effective school and classroom programs designed to support these students (i.e. social skills, anger management etc.)
- Provision of in-service training to school personnel in handling behavioral difficulties and in effective methods of intervention and behavior management/modification
- Record keeping and report writing in accordance with the norms established by the Complementary Services Department
- The assessment and development of intervention plans designed to remediate emotional and/or behavioral difficulties in conjunction with school personnel, parents, and the students
- Referral and coordination with outside agencies for specialized services to students

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

- Be a member of the *Ordre des psychoéducateurs et psychoéducatrices du Québec*
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively in English and French
- Excellent organizational skills and ability to create and animate workshops
- Interest and ability to work with students at the elementary level (mainly kindergarten to grade 2 students)
- Knowledge of current theory and research in the field of psycho-education and adaptive programming

\$43,765 - \$80,572