

Psychologist/Psychological Associate

Special Education and Student Services Department

COMP- 20/398

Non-Affiliated (Professional Group)

Job description

Under the direction of the Chief Psychologist, and working as part of a multi-disciplinary team, the Psychologist/Psychological Associate provides consultation, assessment and counseling services for students in both elementary and secondary schools.

More specifically, you will:

- Provide appropriate clinical assessments and/or intervention strategies to support students with a variety of needs (e.g. learning, developmental, behavioural, social-emotional, mental health)
- Provide short-term counseling to students
- Provide crisis intervention as per Board protocols
- Provide support to Special Education classes as needed
- Support classroom and resource teachers in the development of Individual Education Plans
- Provide professional learning sessions to educators and other Board personnel
- Participate on board and Department Committees
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Chief Psychologist

The ideal candidate will have a Ph.D. in Clinical and/or School Psychology or Masters degree in School Psychology and must be registered or eligible for registration by the College of Psychologists of Ontario. Experience with a variety of current assessment materials (WISC-V; WIAT-III, etc.), skills in working within a collaborative model with other professionals, as well as excellent interpersonal and communication skills; leadership, organization and problem solving skills are required. A valid driver's license and a vehicle are also required. Individuals who possess an equivalent combination of education and experience may also be considered.

In addition, candidates should possess strong leadership skills, excellent interpersonal and oral and written communication skills, commitment to the



building of Catholic professional learning communities, expertise in collaborating on projects at the school and system level and excellent organizational skills.

At the OCSB, we recognize diversity as a source of organizational strength. We welcome applications from those who have demonstrated a commitment to advancing student mental health with clear focus on human rights, and on reducing disproportionality and disparity in outcomes. Those with experience in serving racialized communities, and those with identities that have been historically disadvantaged and marginalized, will bring assets that are valued within the organization.

This is a full time permanent position with an annual salary range of \$82,703 - \$105,373. A comprehensive employee benefits package is provided. The start date is approximately February 1, 2021.

How to apply

Applicants are required to complete the application form and attach a cover letter and resume in pdf format, by 5:00 pm on January 18, 2021.

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The OCSB proudly serves over 40,000 students in 84 schools. We offer an education that respects all faiths' universal values and is grounded in Catholic principles. We foster innovation to inspire Deep Learning so that all can realize their full potential. We offer a collaborative work environment, fulfilling careers, and the opportunity to make a difference in our students' lives.

The OCSB adheres to equitable hiring, employment and promotion practices and is committed to an inclusive workforce that reflects the diversity of our students. We encourage applications from Indigenous peoples, racialized people, persons with disabilities, people from gender diverse communities and/or people with intersectional identities, as well as others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

The Ottawa Catholic School Board acknowledges that the land on which our schools are located is the traditional unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinabek Peoples. We extend our respect to all First Nations, Inuit and Métis Peoples for their valuable past and present contributions to this land.

Pursuant to the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, (AODA), if you require accommodations at any time throughout the application process, please contact katherine.kelly in the Human Resources Department via email at katherine.kelly@ocsb.ca prior to the posting closing date so that appropriate arrangements can be made.



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