





GRAND COUNCIL TREATY #3 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position:Cultural CoordinatorLocation:Kenora, ONDuration:Full-time, two-year contact (with possibility for extension)Closing Date:Open until filled

Job Overview:

The Cultural Coordinator will work with the Territorial Planning Unit (TPU) to promote the learning of cultural heritage, and ensure cultural and spiritual protocols are carried out across all TPU-related work. The Cultural Coordinator will work with Elders and Knowledge Keepers across Treaty #3 to support and encourage Anishinaabe identity, hold and/or coordinate Ceremonies, coordinate annual cultural events, and promote the learning and use of Anishinaabemowin.

Responsibilities:

- Ensure the TPU maintains a strong cultural and spiritual connection through their work, and support the TPU in all aspects related to Anishinaabe culture
- Lead and/or coordinate in Ceremony, and traditional and/or spiritual practices for TPU initiatives as required
- Build and maintain relationships with Elders and Knowledge Keepers
- Work with Elders and Knowledge Keepers to lead, share, and build knowledge and understanding of Ceremony and traditional teachings with Treaty #3 communities and their members
- Promote the use of Anishinaabemowin in TPU initiatives and create Anishinaabemowin learning opportunities for Treaty #3 youth
- Work with the TPU to create and deliver cultural workshops and initiatives to strengthen cultural connection, language, and traditions in Treaty #3
- Attend and participate in engagement sessions from the TPU, Federal/Provincial Governments, natural resource proponents, etc.
- Other duties as assigned

Candidate Eligibility Criteria:

- Knowledgeable and actively participating in Treaty #3 and Anishinaabe culture and traditions
- Can speak Anishinaabemowin
- Knowledge of Manito Aki Inaakonigewin, Nibi Declaration, and the 7 Grandfather Teachings
- Must have valid driver's license, in good standing, and access to a reliable vehicle
- Must have a clear criminal records is required upon hiring
- Must be able to travel on short notice

The following are considered assets for the positions but not a requirement:

- Experience leading educational workshops and teachings
- Ability to establish and maintain effective, respectful working relationships with GCT3 staff, Treaty #3 First Nations, federal or provincial ministerial staff, and the general public.

Please send cover letter, resume, and contact information for 3 references to the attention of:

Human Resources Department Grand Council Treaty #3 P.O. Box 1720, Kenora, Ontario P9N 3X7 Email: <u>hr@treaty3.ca</u>

We would like to thank all candidates in advance for their interest in this position, however only those being considered will be contacted.