



Grades 6-8th Lakota Language Teacher

Department: Red Cloud Elementary School

Supervisor: Principal

Status: Full-Time

Classification: Exempt

MISSION

Maŋpíya Lúta embraces Lakŋota and Jesuit Catholic values and teachings to grow as a community through education, spiritual formation, Lakŋota language, art, and culture.

RCIS includes two elementary schools, a high school, The Heritage Center, and six churches on Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in southwestern South Dakota. By integrating both Lakota culture and heritage with spiritual beliefs and practices from the Lakota and Catholic traditions, RCIS aims to educate both the mind and the heart of its students, parishioners, and staff, creating leaders of tomorrow with competence, conscience, and compassion.

Position Summary:

This faculty member will work in the Elementary and Middle School teaching, mentoring and working collaboratively with peers.

RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES:

- Teach assigned Lakota Language courses
- Provide homework assistance to students
- Communicate effectively with parents regarding student progress
- Participate in school activities
- Actively participate in staff meetings
- Complete all student record keeping responsibilities including grading, assessments and behavior using the Infinite Campus system
- Integrate Lakota and Ignatian spirituality into classroom pedagogy
- Other duties as assigned

POSITION SPECIFICATIONS:

I. Qualifications

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- Bachelor's Degree
- Endorsements in Lakota Language
- SD Teacher Certification - Preferred

II. Physical Requirements:

- Must be able up to lift 50 lbs
- Must be able to climb stairs

Closing Date: Open until Filled

Starting base salary: \$37,000.00 with certification.

To Apply

Email or Submit; cover letter, resume and Certified Teaching Application with any supporting documents to:

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