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Early Learning and Child Care Consultant

Ministry of Education
La Ronge, SK

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The Ministry of Education is committed to quality early learning that supports positive child development, enhancement of literacy and student achievement for all Saskatchewan people. By putting the needs of each and every student first, we will ensure that our province has a highly skilled and highly educated population that will contribute to the success of our province.

The Early Learning and Child Care Program has an exciting **permanent full-time** opportunity for an **Early Learning and Child Care Consultant** in La Ronge, Saskatchewan. Reporting to the Program Manager for the Northern region this position is responsible for:

- Developing, licensing, and monitoring child care services;
- Supporting parents and caregivers;
- Assisting community groups and individuals to meet their child care needs;
- Actively working towards the recruitment and retention of new licensed family child care providers in the area;
- Ensure information about early childhood care and education is available to the public; and
- Enforcing *The Child Care Act* and *The Child Care Regulations, 2015*.

To be successful in this position you will be a strong verbal and written communicator who is able to:

- Establish and maintain strong working relationships with a diverse group of people;
- Effectively mediate and negotiate solutions with various stakeholder groups in a diplomatic manner;
- Identify needs and issues and determine an appropriate course of action to address concerns;
- Independently plan and prioritize responsibilities in order to achieve work objectives;
- Prepare and deliver presentations related to child care;

Typically, the knowledge and experience required in this position would be acquired through:

- Experience as the Director of a child care centre and related early childhood education;
- An equivalent amount of related education and experience will also be considered.

A valid Saskatchewan driver's license is required as overnight travel to different northern communities is required.

What we offer:

- Dynamic, challenging work for talented individuals
- A competitive salary
- Comprehensive benefits package including pension
- Paid vacation, earned days off (EDO) and other types of leave (maternity/paternity/adoption, family/personal leave, sick leave)

- Inclusive work environments
- Advancement opportunities
- Flexible work arrangements

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Competition Number: EDU001161

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