



## EDUCATING THROUGH AN INDIGENOUS LENS

### **Job Description: ELA Teacher 6th-8th grade, 1.0 FTE.**

**Bdote Learning Center** is an elementary K-8, public charter school located in Minneapolis, MN. We are a year-round Dakota and Ojibwe language immersion school. We strive to develop a love of lifetime learning, language and culture, and to create a college preparatory path for all students.

**Bdote seeks a English Language Arts 6-8 teacher:** This specific position will provide 45 minute ELA instructional lessons for middle school grades 6th-8th. Although Bdote is an immersion school, this position will not be working with students during immersion time and instruction is expected to be in English.

**This position will begin as soon as possible.**

#### **Qualifications:**

- Minnesota teaching license in 5-8<sup>th</sup> grade Communication Arts and Literature or English/Language Arts, or Reading, or English or similar.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills and ability to build trust with colleagues
- Growth mindset
- Willingness to learn and use some Ojibwe and Dakota language.

#### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- A minimum of 2 years teaching in a high-need school with demonstrated student results
- Prior language immersion experience preferred
- Knowledge of place-based education preferred
- Experience working with the Native American community

#### **Compensation:**

Competitive wages and benefits. Salary range is dependent on language level, education, and experience.

Benefits include full employee health and dental insurance as well as short term disability insurance.

**Interested candidates** should submit the following:

- Cover letter
- Resume
- List of three professional references with contact information

*Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position has been filled. We are looking to fill this position quickly. Bdote Learning Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate among applicants on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, marital status, religion, age, disability, or veteran status.*

Please submit cover letter, resume, and list of references to [biidaasigekwe@bdotelearningcenter.org](mailto:biidaasigekwe@bdotelearningcenter.org)

Job Type: Full-time, position open until filled