



## GRAND ERIE DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

Requires a

### HALF-TIME EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANT at

**St. George-German Public School, St. George, Ontario**

The Grand Erie District School Board's 2,800 employees provide quality education to approximately 26,000 full-time equivalent students who attend our 72 schools. The Board spans a geographic area encompassing the City of Brantford and the Counties of Brant, Haldimand and Norfolk. The Board requires a qualified half-time Educational Assistant to work under the direction of the classroom teacher and under the supervision of the Principal. Placement may be in a regular and/or self-contained classroom setting. The Principal reserves the right to reallocate educational assistant positions within the school at any time based on student needs.

#### **Responsibilities:**

The successful candidate may be required to do lifting, toileting, possible catheterization, and feeding of students. Participation in swimming programs and rider's aid duties may be required. The candidate may also need to prepare learning materials, provide input and implement Individual Education Plans and Behaviour & Safety Plans. The wearing of personal protective equipment may be required. The successful candidate must have a demonstrated ability to build rapport with challenging students, to work collaboratively with staff and students, and to implement student programs as directed by the teacher. The candidate must also have demonstrated knowledge of the factors that influence student behaviour, and appropriate strategies to prevent, manage and de-escalate student behavior along with the ability to implement Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA) strategies. Understanding of program accommodations and modifications to meet the diverse needs of students with learning and behavioural challenges is required. Familiarity with the Life Skills Planner, task analysis and being respectful of confidentiality and privacy issues are also a requirement.

#### **Qualifications:**

- Community college diploma in a related discipline (ie educational assistant, developmental service worker or child and youth worker)
- Experience working with school-aged special needs students preferred
- Current certification in Behaviour Management Systems (BMS) preferred
- First Aid certification preferred
- Autism Intervenor course or experience working with children with Autism preferred

Hours: 12:15 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

Effective date: As soon as possible

Hourly Rate: \$24.88/hr. The Grand Erie District School Board offers a very competitive benefit package.

**APPLY:** If your qualifications, positive attitude and commitment to excellence make you an ideal candidate for consideration please submit your application to:

Human Resources Services - Job Competitions  
Grand Erie District School Board – Head Office  
349 Erie Avenue, Brantford, ON N3T 5V3  
Fax: (519) 759-5362 or E-mail: [hr@granderie.ca](mailto:hr@granderie.ca) **Please quote posting # 48-18-19**

**DEADLINE: Monday November 19, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.**

All submissions are to include a complete cover letter, resume, qualifications, and the names of three (3) professional references at least one of which must be a current supervisor (one document if submitted electronically). All new employees are required to provide an original Police Record Check (which includes a "vulnerable sector search") acceptable to the Board prior to the commencement of employment.

Applicants with a disability that requires an accommodation to enable their participation in the interview process should advise the Board when contacted for an interview. Any assessment and selection materials and processes used in the interview process can be made available in an accessible format, upon request in advance.

All submissions are subject to a screening process and some applicants may not be granted an interview.