



WOODLAND  
CULTURAL CENTRE

**Qgwehqwewh/Onkwehonweh Language Advisor**

Location:	Woodland Cultural Centre, 184 Mohawk Street, Brantford, ON
Position:	Qgwehqwewh/Onkwehonweh Language Advisor
Department:	Dwadwenaga:dat Language Centre
Hours:	14 hours per week for 12 weeks
Rate of Pay:	\$35.00 per hour (7.5 hours per day)
Closing Date:	December 10, 2021, 4PM

The Woodland Cultural Centre Dwadwenaga:dat Language Centre is seeking one highly motivated individual to take an advisor role in building community-based language programming, and assist in the implementation of the project grant “Dwadwenaga:dat-We Raise Up Our Words”.

The Qgwehqwewh/Onkwehonweh Language Advisor will report to the Language & Cultural Coordinator.

**Basic Job Description:**

1. Oversee the creation of language resource material in the six languages of the Hodiñhsoni Confederacy working alongside the Language & Cultural Coordinator.
2. Consultation with Woodland’s support communities Six Nations of the Grand River, Wahta Mohawks and Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.
3. Support and advise the building of resources in the Cayuga and Mohawk languages that will assist teachers in using the American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) assessment tools.

**Qualifications**

- An in-depth knowledge of Longhouse Protocols, Speeches, and Haudenosaunee cultural practices, including Ganñhonyñhk, Gei: Niyoihwa:ge:, and Gaihw:i:yo.
- Be orally proficient and literate in at least one Qgwehqwewh language, as the collection is centered around oral recordings in the Cayuga and Onondaga languages.
- Have a thorough knowledge of language learning methodologies and linguistics.
- Experience in language leadership, teaching, project coordination, and program development.
- The ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing.
- Have a good knowledge base of the proficiency levels and methods used within the American Council on Teaching Foreign Languages (ACTFL)

**SUBMISSION PROCESS:**

All applicants for this position should submit a cover letter, resume, a sample of writing in an Qgwehqwewh Language on the topic of their choice, and three references.

Preference will be given to applicants of Indigenous heritage.

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**If interested, please send cover letter and resumé with references to:**

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Administrative Assistant  
(519) 759-2650  
administration@woodlandculturalcentre.ca

**Please Note:**

- Only those applicants who meet the qualifications will be contacted for an interview
- Police Record Check and copies of education will be required at the time of Offer of Employment

**Nia:wen/Thank You**

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