



Toronto District School Board

Support Worker

Toronto, ON

The Toronto District School Board (TDSB) invites applications for the position of Support Worker at George Webster Public School within Learning Centre 4. If you can fluently use ASL or English Based Signing, and you're ready to make a difference, here's your opportunity.

Reporting to the Principal, you will provide assistance in a classroom setting, where a teacher has been formally identified in requiring additional support to interpret Sign Language between the teacher and students, and to ensure a safe learning environment.

PRIMARY DUTIES

More specifically, as a Support Worker, you will:

- Receive and interpret information between the teacher and students, including the use of assistive technology.
- Receive and interpret information between the teacher, administration and staff.
- Attend, and interpret at, staff and grade team meetings, various committee meetings, etc. (between teacher and staff).
- Interpret on field trips and overnight trips.
- Interpret at meetings (PLCs, team meetings), special events, parent-teacher interviews, curriculum nights, and communication with parents.
- Report student activity to the teacher to ensure a safe learning environment for teacher/students.
- Accompany the teacher on all duty assignments, professional activities, conferences, workshops, etc.
- Perform other related duties, as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

To take on the role of **Support Worker**, you must have:

- A three (3)-year community college diploma (English ASL Diploma) with two (2) years' experience working with deaf persons of all ages in an educational setting, or an equivalent combination of education and experience.
- High level of facilitating between hearing and deaf persons.
- Strong knowledge of Deaf Culture.
- Ability to fluently use ASL or English Based Signing (e.g. PSE) to support a wide range of academic abilities, use appropriate vocabulary in both ASL and English, and vocalize accurately using appropriate English speech and intention of message as conveyed in the sign message and fingerspell with clarity.
- Ability to communicate in a sensitive, courteous manner with students, parents, staff and the general public.
- Proven ability to follow directions, policies and procedures in an appropriate and timely manner.
- Understanding of, and commitment to, confidentiality.

Hours: 6 hours per day, according to program needs.

Work Year: School Year

Wage Range: \$35.44 - \$42.23 per hour

This CUPE Local 4400 **Permanent** position is located at:

Posting No. CUPE C-22-4088EX-LC4 George Webster Public School, 50 Chapman Avenue

Please submit a resume and cover letter, with all relevant documents, in MS Word or PDF format, by **NOON on May 13, 2022, quoting the appropriate posting number in the subject line**, to:

Resume.Submission@tdsb.on.ca

Wheelchair Accessibility: Information regarding accessibility to TDSB locations is available online at http://fsweb/FSReports/Reports/SchoolLevel_SearchMode.asp?ContentId=108&ContentNm=Barrier+Free&BFS_CATEGORY=B.

The Toronto District School Board adheres to equitable hiring, employment, and promotion practices.

We strive to meet the accommodation needs of persons with disabilities. Applicants are encouraged to make their needs for accommodation known in advance during the application process.

Only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted. We are unable to acknowledge or confirm receipt of applications.
