



Ontario

Trillium Demonstration School

Secondment Opportunities for Teachers at Provincial Demonstration Schools

- Do you want a unique opportunity to develop professionally?
- Do you have background and experience in the field of learning disabilities?
- Do you have Special Education qualifications?
- Are you interested in making a province-wide impact on the education of students with specific learning disabilities?
- Would you enjoy teaching in a residential facility, and teaming with residential staff?
- Do you enjoy working closely with clinical staff to support the academic and social-emotional needs of students?
- Are you interested in a change?

If so, then the Provincial Demonstration Schools may be what you are looking for!

The Demonstration Schools are part of the Provincial Schools Branch, a direct service department of the Ministry of Education. There are three Anglophone Demonstration Schools in Ontario: *Amethyst School* in London, *Sagonaska School* in Belleville and *Trillium School* in Milton. These schools serve students with severe language learning disabilities from across the province. Students attend for up to two years to gain skills in literacy, learning strategies, assistive technology, and self-advocacy to enable them to make successful transitions back into board programs. The Demonstration Schools are staffed by teachers seconded from Ontario school boards.

What's a Secondment?

- Secondments are one year renewable contracts between the teacher, the board and the provincial schools
- Teachers are remunerated on their board salary scale and retain benefits and seniority rights

Who's eligible to apply?

- Teachers who are currently in full-time employment with an Ontario District School Board or School Authority
- Teachers who have the permission of their Superintendent to apply

How do I find out about secondment opportunities in the Demonstration Schools?

- Opportunity bulletins are sent out to District School Boards as positions become open
- Postings on Jobsineducation.com starting in late winter / early spring
- Ads in local papers in late spring
- By calling the Demonstration School in your area

Amethyst Demonstration School - John Barry, Principal - 519-453-4400
Sagonaska Demonstration School – Bev Byrne, Principal - 613-967-2830
Trillium Demonstration School, Milton - Desiree Smith, Principal - 905-878-2851

Be sure to check www.psbnet.ca or www.jobsineducation.com
for future secondment opportunities