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**Expression of Interest**

**EST – AUTISM LEAD**

**DALHOUSIE & CAMPBELLTON AREA SCHOOLS (1.0 FTE)**

**For the 2018-19 School Year with a possibility of an extension**

**Competition #: 18-057**

**Education Support Teacher – Autism Resource Teacher (EST-A)** contributes to the education of students with diverse needs in inclusive schools and classrooms by:

• Providing support for students with complex needs (direct or team-based) in response to district requests which may include:

- Assessment;

- Data analysis;

- Support development of Personalized Learning Plans including behaviour support plans;

- Identifying appropriate curriculum materials;  - Related in-service training.

• Supporting the implementation of the Provincial Autism Strategy by:

- Providing support to optimize student transitions at school entry or between grades and schools;

- Maintaining written documentation of school consults, student observations and recommendations;

- Ensuring that interventions with documented empirical effectiveness for children with autism are prioritized and form the basis of educational services;

- Guiding staff in the use of efficient, accurate and non-intrusive data collection to enable decision-making.

• Promoting the principles of Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA).

• Supporting development and implementation of ABA programming for students with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD).

• Remaining current with respect to research and evidence-informed practices.

**Qualifications:**

* NB Teaching Certification
* Minimum of five (5) years’ experience in the public school system
* Level 1 and 2 of the ASD and Behavioural Interventions course

Please submit a complete application indicating competition number. Applicants are asked to demonstrate in their applications how they have acquired the qualifications and skills required for this position.

Please forward your resume to ASDNJobs@nbed.nb.ca by **Friday, June 1, 2018 at noon.**