



## Elementary Teacher (Intermediate)

**Location:** Burnaby, BC

**Start Date:** 2025/2026 School Year

**Position Type:** Full-time (0.8 - 1.0 FTE), Permanent

Come join our team at **Deer Lake School (DLS)** in the heart of Metro Vancouver! We are seeking a passionate and dedicated **elementary (intermediate) teacher** to join our committed team of caring and spiritual professionals. If you are excited about guiding students through a pivotal stage in their academic and spiritual journey, we invite you to apply!

### About Us

Deer Lake School is a K-12 Seventh-day Adventist school dedicated to fostering a holistic learning environment where students grow academically, spiritually, and socially. Our curriculum integrates Adventist values, character development, and leadership training, preparing students for a life of faith and service.

### Position Overview

The successful candidate will be responsible for **teaching all core subjects at the elementary (intermediate) level** while integrating faith-based principles into instruction. This role requires strong classroom management, innovative teaching strategies, and a passion for student engagement.

### Responsibilities

#### Classroom Administration, Assessment & Planning

- Develop and implement yearly, unit, and daily lesson plans.
- Keep accurate assessment records and student portfolios for tracking progress.
- Regularly communicate with parents and administration regarding student progress.
- Complete Communication of Student Learning reports and other necessary documentation.

#### Educational Support

- Utilize best practices in lesson preparation and delivery.
- Provide extra support for students who need additional learning assistance.
- Identify students with potential special learning needs and work with the Educational Support Services Coordinator to develop IEPs.
- Implement differentiated instruction strategies to meet diverse student needs.
- Establish strong classroom management routines and conflict resolution strategies.
- Foster an engaging and safe learning environment.
- Plan and facilitate field trips that connect with the curriculum.

## **School Community Engagement**

- Supervise students during recess, lunch, and after-school activities.
- Volunteer in co-curricular activities such as coaching, yearbook, student leadership, and clubs.
- Build positive relationships with students beyond the classroom through intramurals, clubs, and extracurricular activities.
- Collaborate with other teachers and administration to improve school programs.
- Foster strong connections with parents to support student success.
- Serve as a spiritual mentor and model Christian values.
- Implement and model The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People / Leader in Me curriculum.

## **Qualifications**

### **Required:**

- **Bachelor of Education** degree.
- Hold or eligible for **BC Teacher Regulation Branch Certification**
- **Baptized member of the Seventh-day Adventist Church**, actively committed to Adventist values.
- \*Those certified in other countries who are eligible to teach under a one-year letter of permission or who have not completed NAD certification may also apply.

### **Preferred:**

- **North American Division (NAD) Certification.**
- Trained in **Encounter Bible Curriculum.**
- **Experience in middle school education** and student mentorship.
- Strong communication and organization skills.
- Comfort or fluency in French is an asset.

## **How to Apply**

Interested applicants should submit the following:

- A **cover letter** expressing interest and alignment with the school's mission.
- A **resume** detailing relevant qualifications and experience.
- **Contact information for three professional references.**

**Send applications to:** [cdomke@bcadventist.ca](mailto:cdomke@bcadventist.ca), cc: [admin@deerlakeschool.ca](mailto:admin@deerlakeschool.ca)

**Application Deadline:** March 31, 2025, or until filled.

We look forward to welcoming a dedicated and Christ-centered educator to our team! Join us in shaping young minds and hearts for a lifetime of learning and faith.