



## Navajo Language and Culture Teacher

Dream Dine Charter School

Shiprock, NM

**Start Date:** Immediately  
**Reports to:** Head Administrator  
**Status:** Full-time

**Pay:** Starting 50,000/annual salary

- Dental insurance
- Health insurance
- Life insurance
- Vision insurance

Apply for this position through the NISN network or with Dream Dine Charter School. They are located in Shiprock, NM. and can be reached at 505-368-2500

### **Summary**

As a Navajo Language & Culture Teacher, you will be responsible for serving as a classroom teacher in a public charter school. The instruction area will be Navajo Language and Culture in an elementary setting. This position will be assigned to grade levels Kindergarten through 5th.

### **Duties**

Work assignments may include the following under supervision:

- Prepare yearly instructional maps to meet daily lesson plans covering units of study and objectives, activities and evaluative methods/instruments for both group and individual instructional programs.
- Work cooperatively with all teachers to ensure that the Navajo language is supported and practiced in all classrooms.

- Teaching students by selecting, developing, adapting and implementing appropriate instructional methods and techniques utilizing resources to provide for academic achievement.
- Evaluate individual and group academic progress through the use of criterion-referenced tests, periodic standardized tests, oral tests, and/or other relevant evaluative methods/instruments.
- Develop and conduct instruction in an environment that promotes opportunities for students to develop rapport, inter-relationships, self-discipline and a positive self-image.
- Maintain control of assigned class(es) and handle discipline independently except for chronic or extreme behavior problems.
- Supervise assigned students as scheduled, throughout the academic day and/or activity in order to provide for the safety, health, and welfare of the students in compliance with school, Agency, and Area Guidelines.

#### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:**

- Bachelor's degree with 3 years teaching experience at the elementary level.
- Valid New Mexico teaching licensure with proper endorsement
- Level II Licensure Required
- Customer-oriented attitude
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Valid New Mexico driver's license
- Must pass a background check for the position
- Ability to thrive in a fast-paced and sometimes high-pressure environment

#### **PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

- May have to stand and sit for longer periods of time ; maneuvering objects, equipment, and controls using arms and hands.
- Position requires frequent lifting of 25 lbs.

#### **WORK ENVIRONMENT:**

- Work is performed in a typical interior/office environment.
- Noise level is usually minimal.